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Mrs. Kay Drey 515 West Point Avenue University City, MO 63130

Dear Mrs. Drey:

Enclosed per your request is a copy of the "Final Environmental Impact Statement on 10 CFR Part 61, 'Licensing Requirements for Land Disposal of Radioactive Waste.'" (NUREG-0945)

In your letter dated January 3, 1983 you also asked about the effective dates for Part 61. Part 61 and related amendments were published as a final rule in the Federal Register on December 27, 1982 (47 FR 57446). The provisions of the rule dealing with new disposal sites will be effective on January 26, 1983. The provisions of the rule which apply to waste generators become effective one year after publication on December 27, 1983.

Thank you for your interest in our low-level waste regulations.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By

Kitty S. Dragonette Low-Level Waste Licensing Branch

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