Oocket 70-8 License SNM-7

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Mr. Gregory H. Fess NRC Licensing Coordinator Battelle Memorial Laboratories 505 King Avenue Columbus, Ohio 43201-2693

Dear Mr. Fess:

SUBJECT: TRANSFER OF SNM-7 LICENSE REVIEW AND MAINTENANCE RESPONSIBILITY

The purpose of this letter is to confirm our recent discussions with you and other Battelle staff that the review and maintenance responsibilities associated with Materials License SNM-7 has been transferred from NRC Headquarters, Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards to NRC's Region III Office. The transfer of licensing responsibility was officially made on March 18, 1994. Thus, Region III will be handling your pending license renewal application, future amendments, and any new licenses that may replace your current NRC license.

Please direct all future correspondence to the following address:

Chief, Nuclear Materials Safety Branch Division of Radiation Safety and Safeguards U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region III Office 801 Warrenville Road Lisle, IL 60532-4351

Mr. Kevin Null of the Region III Office has been assigned as the Battelle project manager. Should you have any questions regarding this matter, Mr. Null can be reached at (708) 790-5711.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY Robert C. Pierson

Robert C. Pierson, Chief Licensing Branch Division of Fuel Cycle Safety and Safeguards, NMSS

cc: Kevin Null, RIII

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