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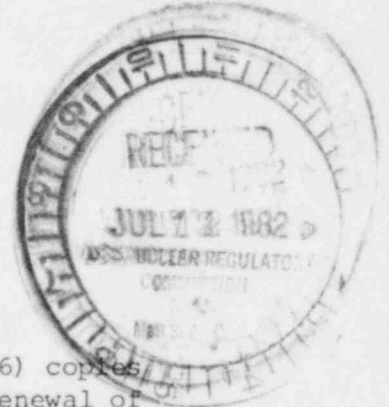
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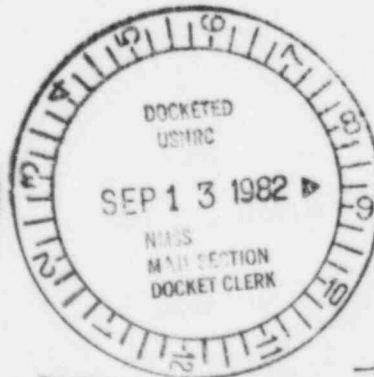
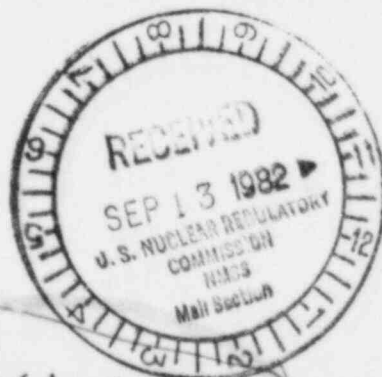


Dear Mr. Page:

We are mailing this date, under separate cover, six (6) copies of our supplemental application information document for renewal of Source Materials License SUB-526. The existing license authorization will expire August 31, 1982. We have enclosed our draft in the amount of \$45,800.00 as specified in 10CFR170.31 for the license renewal fee.

The Allied Chemical Metropolis UF₆ conversion plant has been an operating, licensed facility since 1958. Actual plant releases, and plant environmental impact measurements have been documented for many years. A comprehensive Environmental Information Report (EIR) was prepared in 1975 and updated through 1977, which supported the Commission's negative declaration relative to routine renewal of the license in 1977.

The present renewal application involves no increase in the scope of the current authorization, and no new facilities are currently planned which might significantly change the environmental impact resulting from continued operations. The application addresses all significant environmental factors which would be covered in a separate Environmental Information Report, these include land use, demography, geology, hydrology, meteorology, ecology, effluent controls, environmental monitoring, and accident potential. Extensive environmental monitoring information is provided in Chapter 5 of the application which demonstrates that the current environmental impact of plant operations is less than that which was found to be insignificant by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission in 1977.



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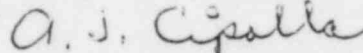
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We feel the incorporation of all significant radiation safety and environmental discussions into one document, namely this license application, is cost effective in minimizing the labor and paperwork burden on both the Licensee and The Commission. This cost effective approach appears to be congruent with the philosophy and intent mandated by the "Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980".

If we may cooperate in any other way, to assure a timely renewal of the license, please do not hesitate to call.

Yours very truly,



A. J. Cipolla
Plant Manager

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Enclosure: Draft for \$45,800.