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VIA OVERNIGHT MAIL

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Office of Nuclear Materials Safety and Safeguards
United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Rockville, MD, 20852

January 21, 1994

Re:

License No. SUB-908 Docket No. 040-07604

Subject:

Release Survey Report for V-1 Pond

Dear Mr. Nalluswami:

Enclosed for NRC approval are four (4) copies of a report entitled "Radiological Status Survey of the V-1 Pond Site, Mixed Waste Pond Closure Project." The report and referenced survey have been completed according to the procedures specified by the NRC in NUREG/CR-5849. The survey was conducted for BP Chemicals Inc. by Halliburton NUS Environmental Corporation. Dames and Moore provided project oversight and prepared the subject report. NUS Laboratory in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, was utilized as the primary laboratory with ENSECO Laboratories of Arvada, Colorado, and PACE, Inc. of Golden, Colorado, utilized as quality assurance and quality control laboratories.

The V-1 Pond site is currently available for confirmatory survey by the NRC's designated contract laboratory. It is requested that NRC do whatever may be possible to expedite the review, confirmatory sampling and final approval process so that construction of the disposal cell to be located at the site of V-1 Pond may commence in April 1994. Your cooperation and support in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

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