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Re: Request for Agreement States to Review License Files (SP-94-011)

Dear Mr. Bangart:

This letter is a preliminary response to your request that Agreement States review available license files to obtain information on licensees who were likely to have conducted medical or scientific radiation effects research on humans prior to 1975. We searched our database to identify files we received from the NRC when we became an Agreement State in June 1987 to determine how many files would need to be reviewed to meet the criteria specified in your letter. The Department is currently limiting its search to facilities in the Chicago area, and has determined that 31 facilities originally licensed by the AEC as broad scope medical, academic or research facilities should be reviewed.

The Department is actively reviewing the license files for these facilities to determine if there was any human research conducted. Please note that this is a very time intensive task since many of these facilities had more than one radioactive materials license. As of the date of this letter we have reviewed all license files for seven of the largest of the identified facilities.

If you have any questions regarding the information contained in this letter, please contact either Kathy Allen or myself at 217-785-9947.

Sincerely,

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