



# Mallinckrodt Specialty Chemicals Company

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Monday, November 19, 1990

U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Materials Licensing Section  
Region III  
799 Roosevelt Road  
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

Gentlemen:

Reference: U. S. NRC License No. 24-05804-02

This is in regard to your letter dated November 2, 1990, in which you noted an apparent violation of our license. This apparent violation is repeated below with our response.

"As of July 27, 1990, you were required to comply with 10 CFR 30.35, of the NRC regulations, which requires licensees with quantities of licensed material that you are authorized to possess to submit a decommissioning funding plan or a certificate that financial assurance for decommissioning has been provided. Our records indicate that NRC has not yet received your response to this requirement. Therefore, you appear to be in violation of 10 CFR 30.35."

In a letter dated July 20, 1990, Mallinckrodt requested an amendment to the above-referenced license to reduce our possession limits below those which require a decommissioning funding plan. Our possession limits were reduced as requested in Amendment No. 24 dated October 15, 1990. Our limits are 100 millicuries total of any byproduct material with half-lives less than 120 days.

Sincerely,

MALLINCKRODT SPECIALTY CHEMICALS COMPANY

Preston D. Wright  
Resident Radiation Safety Officer

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