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January 20, 1975

U. S. Atomic Energy Commission Division of Materials Licensing Washington, D. C. 20545

> Re: Byproduct Material License No. 20-12943-01 Amendment No. 03 dated September 28, 1973

Dear Sirs:

Reference is made to letter of U. S. Atomic Energy Commission, Directorate of Regulatory Operations, Region 1, dated January 10, 1975, photocopy of which is enclosed for your ready reference.

Consistent with the first paragraph, page 2 of said letter, we respectfully request that until the violations called to our attention are remedied to the satisfaction of your office and Region 1, our captioned license be amended and limited to storage only of the byproduct material referenced in items 6, 7 and 8 of such license until such time as:

- All Waltham Compass Corp. personnel working with Pm-147 receive additional training in the safe handling of radioactive material.
- A complete radiation survey of Waltham Compass Corp. is made by our consultant, Mr. M. M. Bolton of M.I.T.
- 3. Copies of all inventory and wipe test records be collected and maintained at the Waltham facility. (At the time of inspection (12/13/75), the records were at the Bantam, Connecticut office of Waltham Compass Corp.)
- 4. All the violations set forth in the letter of Directorate of Regulatory Operations, Region 1 have been remedied.

The Atomic Energy Commission, Directorate of Regulatory Operations, Region 1 at King of Prussia, Pa. will be notified when the matters set forth in the enumerated items are believed to be in compliance. No work with the byproduct material Pm-147 will be resized until a satisfactory Atomic Energy Commission inspection has been made and our license restored to full effectiveness.

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We have this day written to the Directorate of Regulatory Operations, Region 1, and enclose copy of our letter for your ready reference.

Should anything further be required in connection with the subject matter of this communication, please feel free to call upon us.

Very truly yours,

WALTHAM COMPASS CORPORATION

Benjamin D. Pollack Clerk (Secretary)

Enclosure