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Attention: Mr. R. W. Darmitzel, Manager
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Gentlemen:

Subject: NRC Inspection of Building 102, Advanced Fuels Laboratory (AFL)

This letter refers to the special safety inspection conducted by J. F. Pang, B. A. Riedlinger and P. R. Zurakowski of this office on September 10 and 14, 1982 at Building 102, Advanced Fuels Laboratory where special nuclear materials have been used under NRC License No. SNM-960.

No items of noncompliance with NRC requirements were identified within the scope of this inspection.

This inspection consisted of a confirmatory radiological survey performed relative to the decontamination of the Advanced Fuels Laboratory in Building 102 for release of the facility with respect to plutonium (alpha) contamination. The areas examined and the results of the survey are described in the enclosed inspection report. A copy of this survey is being transmitted to our Advanced Fuel and Spent Fuel Licensing Branch in Washington, D. C. You should continue your discussions with that organization concerning the future regulatory status of this Laboratory (AFL).

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790(a), a copy of this letter and the enclosure will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room unless you notify this office, by telephone, within ten days of the date of this letter and submit written application to withhold information contained therein within thirty days of the date of this letter. Such application must be consistent with the requirements of 2.790(b)(1).

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Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be glad to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

Original signed by
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H. E. Book, Chief
Radiological Safety Branch

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