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IN THE MATTER OF:

KERR-MCGEE CHEMICAL CORPORATION (WEST CHICAGO RARE EARTH FACILITY)

STA-583

Docket No.: 40-2061

Response of City of West Chicago, Illinois, to Kerr-McGee request for consolidation of license amendment number 6 for hearing with license amendment number 5.

Kerr-McGee Chemical Corporation (Kerr-McGee) submitted a request to the Commission dated September 23, 1982, seeking consolidation of its request for Amendment number 6 with Amendment number 5 for purposes of the hearing granted by NRC to the City of West Chicago on the earlier amendment request. (NRC Order CLI-82-1 dated August 6, 1982, amended September 17, 1982).

Kerr-McGee's request states that the issues raised by

Amendment number 5 and 6 may be efficiently decided in one hearing.

The City of West Chicago has no objection to consolidation of the two amendment requests. It too is interested in the efficiency of the administrative process.

The City of West Chicago has not at this time received any information about the format or the timing of the upcoming hearing. The City of West Chicago assumes that notice of the timing and procedures to be used in the hearing will be given to the parties in sufficient time to allow adequate preparation.

Respection submitted

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cc: To parties on the attached service list.

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