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MEMORANDUM FOR: Vandy L. Miller, Chief, Materials Licensing Branch, NMSS
FROM: John E. Glenn, Chief, Nuclear Materials Safety Section B
SUBJECT: LICENSE NO. 37-03572-02E (EXPIRED), HAMILTON WATCH COMPANY, INCORPORATED, LANCASTER, PENNSYLVANIA

On January 28, 1985, a licensee representative, Paul Karpousiz, Vice President of Operations, was contacted and informed that License No. 37-03572-02E had expired on March 31, 1984 and that no renewal application had been received. The licensee representative explained that they possessed tritium and promethium-147 timepieces and plan to amend License No. 37-03572-06 to include this material. The licensee representative confirmed that an application would be filed by April 1985, and that the licensed material would be maintained in secure storage until a new license was received. An application for an amendment dated April 10, 1985 was received April 15, 1985.

License No. 37-03572-02E authorized both possession and exempt distribution. We understand that an application has been filed with the Materials Licensing Branch, NMSS, to amend License No. 37-03572-08E to include the distribution portions of the expired license.

Based on the above information, we recommend that License No. 37-03572-02E be retired. Please notify us when your action is complete and the status has been changed to "4" so we may remove the file from our shelves.

Original Signed By:
Laurence F. Friedman, Ph.D.
John E. Glenn, Chief
Nuclear Materials Safety Section B

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