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Docket No. 030-20772

License No. 29-21430-01

Fabco Piping, Inc.
c/o Synergy Systems Corporation
ATTN: Mr. Ronald Spangler
President
One World Trade Center
Suite 3000
New York, New York 10048

Gentlemen:

Subject: Inquiry No. 030-20772/89-01

This refers to your letter dated April 17, 1989, in response to our letter dated March 28, 1989.

Thank you for informing us of the corrective actions documented in your letter. When we receive confirmation from you regarding the disposal of the nuclear gauges License No. 29-21430-01 will be retired.

Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:
John J. Miller



John R. White, Chief
Nuclear Materials Safety Section C
Division of Radiation Safety
and Safeguards

cc:
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NMSB TELEPHONE CONVERSATION RECORD

DATE OF CALL: 19 May 92
TIME OF CALL: 1420

PERSON CALLED: Carl Blein (OUTGOING CALL) PHONE NUMBER: 212-964-8220
PERSON CALLING: _____ (INCOMING CALL)
FACILITY NAME: J.J. McMullen Group / Fabco Supply Inc.
LICENSE NO. 29-21430-01 DOCKET NO. 030-20772

SUBJECT: Disposal of analytical sources.

SUMMARY: I contacted Blein for directing FMC. Blein was cordially cool. He wants no exposure shipping sources. He wants the inspection report. He now denied he is Fabco's president and said the company now has no officers. In response to a question "has the company been dissolved" he said no. He asked "why is it taking so long to send the report?" I told him it is in the commercial chain.

ACTION REQUIRED/TAKEN:
Send the inspection report and hold the letter. Consider Bellamy's Cooperan report request.

SIGNATURE: [Signature]

MAIL CONTROL NO. none

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NMSB TELEPHONE CONVERSATION RECORD

DATE OF CALL: 24 Dec 92

TIME OF CALL: 1110

PERSON CALLED: Conrad Darg
(OUTGOING CALL)

PHONE NUMBER: 201-992-8700

PERSON CALLING: _____
(INCOMING CALL)

FACILITY NAME: Lowenstein & Harder, Attorneys at Law

LICENSE NO. 29-15207

DOCKET NO. 03-14658

SUBJECT: Whorebroth of Mrs. Spurgeon

SUMMARY: Spoke with Conrad Darg. Hee from representative
Spurgeon who rented the property to Faber in 1980
Spurgeon in every to recover in the name of Conrad. Applied
leave in Morris County and is represented by Margulies,
Mend, Harrington and Katz in JC 201-963-0900. Robert
Margulies and Judith Katz are the ones to call. Saw B
Korner and Terwin reported that Faber went south selling
off assets and equipment & then went out of business '88.
There was a chain of companies owned by Mrs. Mellen - a said
the first is office in the WTC. They are Faber, Mr. Faber, DE,
Mrs. Bruce Foundry, South Portland Cigars Company &
Mrs. Mellen who is a principal owner of the Houston Getto and
M. J. Davis

ACTION REQUIRED/TAKEN: Speak with Kara Smith and
then call Judith Katz.

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NMSB TELEPHONE CONVERSATION RECORD

DATE OF CALL: 24/12/92

TIME OF CALL: 1050

PERSON CALLED: Richard Burgos
(OUTGOING CALL)

PHONE NUMBER: 609-633-7141

PERSON CALLING: Richard Burgos
(INCOMING CALL)

FACILITY NAME: Fabco

LICENSE NO. 29-18207-01, 29-21430-01 DOCKET NO. 030-146589 90-2072

SUBJECT: Decommissioning of Fabco, Harrison, N.J. site

SUMMARY: NJ DEE, BAI has no registration for Fabco. R. Burgos states the site (refers to file metals from the Clear up process. He has no idea of whether Fabco can be reached and the fact HAM might be present. Stated there were three large buildings and even not sure of what's in them. Would like details of device so they could recognize it if they saw it. Wants see to survey the site, referred me to Township and Funder at 701-992-9700, so Council heard day.

ACTION REQUIRED/TAKEN: Call day. Mail description to Burgos at DEE/ DAFSA/ ISEE/ BECRA CN 023 Trenton 08625

INITIALS/TITLE: J. M. B.

MAIL CONTROL NO. None

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DATE OF CALL: 1 Feb 93

TIME OF CALL: 1315

PERSON CALLED: C. Katz, Esq
(OUTGOING CALL)

PHONE NUMBER: 201-965-0700

PERSON CALLING: _____
(INCOMING CALL)

FACILITY NAME: Faber Super Inc

LICENSE NO. 29-18207-01

DOCKET NO. 030-20772

SUBJECT: Trace for four missing sources

SUMMARY: Counsel Katz contacted. He stated his firm does not represent Faber but does represent Mrs. Sparger. Attorney James ^{ON FILE} Dravzek represents Faber. Acc # is 201-653-2000.

ACTION REQUIRED/TAKEN:

Call Dravzek

SIGNATURE: C. Katz

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DATE OF CALL: 1 Feb

TIME OF CALL: 1430

PERSON CALLED: James Dranzek
(OUTGOING CALL)

PHONE NUMBER: 201-653-2008

PERSON CALLING: _____
(INCOMING CALL)

FACILITY NAME: Fabco Siping

LICENSE NO. 29-21430-01

DOCKET NO. 030-20772

SUBJECT: Messing sources

SUMMARY: He is not Fabco's General Counsel. Declined to give his firm's name. Stated he represented them in certain negotiations and would see what he could do. Will call.

Note: James Dranzek is listed as an attorney in the D.C. phone book with office at Four and Square Plaza.

ACTION REQUIRED / TAKEN:

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SIGNATURE: Scat

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August 10, 1992

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DATE OF CALL: 1. Feb 93

TIME OF CALL: 1530

PERSON CALLED: Seelin Garg
(OUTGOING CALL)

PHONE NUMBER: 201-992-8700

PERSON CALLING: _____
(INCOMING CALL)

FACILITY NAME: Fabco

LICENSE NO. 29-18202-01

DOCKET NO. 030-14658

SUBJECT: More Fabco information

SUMMARY:

- 1) There are two Fabcos: a) Fabco Piping Incorporated (MD) and Fabco Piping, Inc. of DE.
- 2) The Fabcos are two of a number of privately held companies all of which are a part of what might be called the McMillen group. They are: J. McMillen, Naval Ftr., So. Portland Eng. Co.; Offshore Brass; Piping Industries; Fabco of DE; Fabco of DE, and, probably Crowell and Underhill.
- 3) The Corporation Trust Co is the transfer agent for Fabco. Their address are:
 - 1) in DE Corp. Trust Co, Corp. Trust Center, 1209

ACTION REQUIRED/TAKEN:

(over)

See Korea and beyond mem as to next step. NOV was sent, response back but no action. How often does the NOV go?

SIGNATURE: [Signature]

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The Co-707a contained an another smaller diameter
analyzer model 9254. The source serial no. is B247
and was assayed as 3 mCi in 1981 and was replaced
Jan 1982. TN had no further contact with FAO after
that date. The device uses a two position flip
switch. The 9256 uses a rotary selector switch in 4
positions. The detector containing the Am-241 fits into
a keyed circular aperture (deformed). The second
smaller detector containing the Cd was not located. This
explains the vacant storage slot in the case.
TN will dispose of the source for \$200; shipping
plus freight. The system can be sent in the
shipping Al suit case via motor freight.

DATE OF CALL: 18 Feb 1993

TIME OF CALL: 1445

PERSON CALLED: George Schlovia
(OUTGOING CALL)
Becker & Company, account

PHONE NUMBER: 201-785-9400

PERSON CALLING: _____
(INCOMING CALL)

FACILITY NAME: Fabco

LICENSE NO. 29-21436-01

DOCKET NO. 030-20772

SUBJECT: Whereabout of Fabco

SUMMARY:

- 1) Guyton leased ~ 40 acres of their site to Fabco and turned over equipment to Fabco. Fabco broke the lease and defaulted on the site. Fabco used midnight movers to remove equipment.
- 2) Guyton owns the properties tied to Guyton as the principle owner of Guyton.
- 3) In early July of 1992, Guyton sold to
4) van Leeuwen Pipe & Tube Corp. sold all equipment but not the buildings and land. The Guyton name was also sold and Guyton employees became van Leeuwen employees. van Leeuwen's main office is in Houston, TX; they are a

ACTION REQUIRED/TAKEN:

dictated company
keep going

SIGNATURE: C. J. [Signature]

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- Corp Street, Myrtle DE 19501 and, b) in NY at
Corp Street Co, 26 West Wall Street, Trenton 08608.
- 4) Spang was a Faber NY Chairman of the Board
and President until 1955. Her address is 240
Gregory Road, Franklin Lakes, NJ 07417.
 - 5) As of 1/1/1992 Carl Blum, Jr was exec. of Faber
NJ - addresses 1 WTC, suite 3000 NY NJ 10048-
0383 and 21 South End Ave, apt 440, NY NJ 10028
(note I have reservation about both both addresses)
Blum of us also I received Faber, DE.
 - 6) Mike Mcullen has a 2 #M house in upper Montclair
(high area and value) and is also "in" Texas. He is a owner
of the Houston Astros and the NY Devils coach or
apparently rep for sale. The so called "restructured company"
may be legally Mike Mcullen Holding, Inc.
 - 7) Both Fabers were active in Morrison. During 1984
all assets were transferred to the DE Faber entity.
 - 8) The NY law attorney for Faber is the firm of
Kilmartin, Schafte and Fort, 1 William St
NY 10004, 212-425-3220. Patrick Kilmartin was
once a Faber Director and represented Faber in
later activities.
 - 9) James F. Dronzek is a member of the law firm of
Soreff, Rosalino, Doherty and Marsden of
Jersey City, 201-655-2000. Dronzek does
not represent the "restructured" owner or
estate of Mike Mcullen Holding.

DATE OF CALL: 19 Feb 92

TIME OF CALL: 1100

PERSON CALLED: James Whitmore
(OUTGOING CALL)

PHONE NUMBER: 512-388-9285

PERSON CALLING: _____
(INCOMING CALL)

FACILITY NAME: TN Technology formerly Texas Nuclear

LICENSE NO. 29-15207-01

DOCKET NO. 030-14058

SUBJECT: TN Analyzer

SUMMARY: I discovered the contents of the 9200 analyzer series kit as found in the former Faber facility, and noted an empty space in the storage slot. The 9256 analyzer contained the 30 mCi of Pu-238 source serial no. B357. Mr. Whitmore confirmed this. The Pu-241 is used as a stabilizing source embedded in the detector. This is an ^{not} exempt quantity per 30.15(a)(9)(iii); activity is 0.054 Ci. The Pu is in a fixed position and the filter rotated above it. A major window is beneath the source positioned above the sample. (over)

ACTION REQUIRED/TAKEN:

none

SIGNATURE: [Signature]

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SAMPLE RECORD SHEET
REGION I LABORATORY

LAB CONTROL NUMBER 301542

ROUTINE URGENT DATE NEEDED

SAMPLE LOCATION: Fine Different Licensees
COLLECTED BY: C. Amato DIVISION: 1600 PHONE: 2-25-93

DATE ANALYSIS BEGAN: 2-25-93 DATE COMPLETED: 2-25-93
ANALYZED BY: N.M. Vance APPROVED BY: J. Lotter DATE: 2-25-93

NO.	DATE	HOUR	SAMPLE DESCRIPTION	ANALYZE FOR	INSTRUMENT USED	QUANTITY USED	DATE COUNTED	COUNT TIME	CROSS COUNT	BACK GROUND	NET COUNT	REMARKS	
F-1				gross	LD	1	2/24	10 min	1	3	-2±2	0.222	-0.9±0.9
F-1					LD	1			1		-2±2		-0.9±0.9
F-2											1±2.6		0.4±1.2
F-1								3			0±1.1		0±1.1
F-2								1			-2±2		-0.9±0.9
G-1								1			-2±2		-0.9±0.9
W-1								1			-2±2		-0.9±0.9
A-1				gross				12	18		6.54	0.264	-2±2
F-1								15			3.57		-1±2
F-2								13			2.6		0±2
F-1								10			8.53		-3±2
F-2								1			6.55		-2±2
F-1								1			6.55		-2±2
W-1								9			9.82		-3±2
													BLD = 9 dpm

* Random uncertainties reported are 1 standard deviation, i.e. small negative and other results $\leq 2\sigma$ are interpreted as including "zero" or as not detected. If appropriate, estimates of possible systematic errors are reported in parentheses.

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DATE OF CALL: 3 Mar 1993

TIME OF CALL: 1340

PERSON CALLED: Dora Bryan
(OUTGOING CALL)

PHONE NUMBER: 512-388-9287

PERSON CALLING: _____
(INCOMING CALL)

FACILITY NAME: Fabco

LICENSE NO. 29-²¹⁴³⁰~~1826~~

DOCKET NO. 030-20772

SUBJECT: Shipment of Analyzer.

SUMMARY: TN shipped on 29 Sept 78 to Cornell and Underhill of Hoboken, NJ on 9200 series analyzer consisting of:
 BU-234 serial B 357; 20 mCi Fe-55 serial # B358 in source holder (also called head) 9256;
 3 mCi Cd-109 serial No. B-247. License returned Cd head for source check out & head was returned Jan 1982. Shipped by motor freight as special form (the analyzer that is) in carryover cases sealed in security tape. Case placed in sturdy cardboard. Box and BOL marked "Cleared RAM in instrument, UN 2910, NOS"; 49 CFA 173.421 and 422 followed.

ACTION REQUIRED/TAKEN:

SIGNATURE: _____

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DATE OF CALL: 12 Mar 93

TIME OF CALL: 075-8

PERSON CALLED: Blein ^{residence} (OUTGOING CALL) PHONE NUMBER: _____

PERSON CALLING: _____ (INCOMING CALL)

FACILITY NAME: Fabco

LICENSE NO. _____ DOCKET NO. _____

SUBJECT: Contact C. Blein

SUMMARY: I spoke w Mrs. Blein; she was very polite and gave me Mr. C. Blein's office no. as 212-945-2480 and advised me to contact him there. She asked why the NRC was calling and I told her.

ACTION REQUIRED/TAKEN:

Call Blein.

SIGNATURE: C. [Signature]

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DATE OF CALL: 16 Nov 93

TIME OF CALL: 1551

PERSON CALLED: Carl Blem
(OUTGOING CALL)

PHONE NUMBER: 212-964-8102

PERSON CALLING: _____
(INCOMING CALL)

FACILITY NAME: Faber

LICENSE NO. _____

DOCKET NO. _____

SUBJECT: Cyrt meeting, and return of sources.

SUMMARY: The discussion was very cordial. Mr. Blem understandably was "caught by surprise". My cyrt statement was "I found the sources". I advised him Faber was responsible for them. He asked what were Faber's options. I told him get a license or get rid of them. He asked how does he get rid of them. I told him to ask the vendor or obtain a consultant. I agreed to send him the 314's with the inspection report. The mailing address is: J. Mc Mullen Group, Inc., 1470, route 300, NY 11048

ACTION REQUIRED/TAKEN:
send report and 314

SIGNATURE: C. Z. nato

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