

JUL 7 1994

DOO1  
DAB

Velsicol Chemical Corporation  
ATTN: Charles R. Hanson  
Vice President  
Environmental Management  
2603 Corporate Avenue  
Memphis, TN 38132

License No. SMB-0833(Terminated)  
License No. STC-0833(Terminated)  
Docket No. 040-06264(Terminated)

Dear Mr. Hanson:

SUBJECT: SPECIAL INSPECTION CONDUCTED OF THE FORMER MICHIGAN CHEMICAL CORP.  
SITE, ST. LOUIS, MICHIGAN (REPORT NO. 999-90063/94002(DRSS))

This refers to the special inspection conducted on March 28 and 29, 1994, of the former Michigan Chemical Corporation site located in St. Louis, Michigan. Licensed activities were previously authorized by Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) Source Material License Nos. SMB-0833 and STC-0833. The special inspection was conducted by Mr. Michael Kurth and Mr. Darrel Wiedeman of this office. The preliminary results of the inspection were discussed with Mr. Randy Gentry of the Memphis Environmental Center, Inc., Mr. Robert Skowronek of the Michigan Department of Public Health, and Mr. Jim Mitchell of the Environmental Protection Agency and other staff members, during the onsite inspection on March 28, 1994. This also refers to the telephone conversation between Mr. Gentry and Mr. Kurth on June 27, 1994, regarding the results of the Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education (ORISE) laboratory analyses of water samples collected at the time of our inspection.

The enclosed copy of the inspection report identifies areas examined during the inspection. The inspection consisted of a selective examination of representative records, observations, independent measurements, and interviews with personnel.

No violations of NRC requirements were identified during the course of this inspection.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosure will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this inspection.

9407180073 940707  
REG3 QA999 EMVVELS  
99990063 PDR

Sincerely,  
*Original Signed By G. L. Shear*  
for Gary L. Shear, Chief  
Fuel Cycle and Decommissioning Branch

Enclosures:

1. Inspection Report  
No. 999-90063/94002(DRSS)
2. Diagram of Clay Capped Site

See Attached Distribution

RIII  
Kurth/dp  
06/ /94

RIII  
Wiedeman

RIII  
McCann  
7/7/94

RIII  
Shear  
7/7/94

150022

150071

JUL 7 1984

Distribution

cc w/enclosures:

R. Gentry, Memphis Environmental  
Center, Inc.

R. Skowronek, Michigan Department  
of Public Health

W. Wagaw, Michigan Department  
of Natural Resources

J. Mitchell, EPA

T. Prendiville, EPA

D. Iacovone, Ecology and  
Environment, Inc.

bcc w/enclosures:

PUBLIC (IE 07)