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Docket No. 50-184

License No. TR-5

U.S. Department of Commerce
National Bureau of Standards
ATTN: Dr. R. S. Carter, Chief
Reactor Radiation Division
Washington, D.C. 20234

Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection No. 50-184/83-01

This refers to the routine safeguards inspection conducted by Mr. A. Della Ratta of this office on January 20, 1983 at Gaithersburg, Maryland of activities authorized by NRC License No. TR-5 and to the discussions of our findings held by Mr. Della Ratta with you at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during this inspection are described in the NRC Region I Inspection Report which is enclosed with this letter. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspector.

Within the scope of this inspection, no violations were observed.

In accordance with Section 2.790(d) of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, documentation of findings of your control and accounting procedures for safeguarding special nuclear materials is deemed to be commercial or financial information within the meaning of 10 CFR 9.5(a)(4) and shall be subject to disclosure only in accordance with the provisions of 10 CFR 9.12; therefore, the pertinent sections of the enclosed inspection report will not be placed in the Public Document Room and will receive limited distribution. Additionally, in accordance with Section 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and the remaining sections of the enclosed inspection report that do not contain 2.790(d) information will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room. If this report contains any information that you (or your contractors) believe to be exempt from disclosure under 10 CFR 9.5(a)(4), it is necessary that you (a) notify this office by telephone within ten (10) days from the date of this letter of your intention to file a request for withholding; and (b) submit within 30 days from the date of this letter a written application to this office to withhold such information.

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Consistent with section 2.790(b)(1), any such application must be accompanied by an affidavit executed by the owner of the information, identifying the parts sought to be withheld, containing a full statement of the reasons and basis for withholding and specifically addressing the considerations listed in 10 CFR 2.790(b)(4). The information sought to be withheld shall be incorporated as far as possible into a separate part of the affidavit. If you do not notify us of the intent to request withholding in the ten days specified or if the written application is not submitted in the 30 days specified these sections of the report will be placed in the Public Document Room. Telephone notification of your intent to request withholding, or any request for an extension of the 10 day period which you believe necessary, should be made to the Supervisor, Files, Mail and Records, USNRC Region 1, at (215) 337-5223.

No reply to this letter is required. Your cooperation with us in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:

to J. H. Joyner
Thomas T. Martin, Director
Division of Engineering and
Technical Programs

Enclosure: NRC Region I Inspection Report No. 50-184/83-01
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