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License No. STB-1525

Ambel Precision Manufacturing Corporation
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Gentlemen:

Subject: Routine Inspection No. 040-08972/91-001

On March 29, 1991, C. T. Oberg of this office conducted a routine safety inspection at Bethel, Connecticut of activities authorized by the above listed NRC license. The inspection was limited to a review of the magnesium-thorium (Mg-Th) waste storage shed attached to the outside rear wall of the plant, the theft from this shed of several 55 gallon drums containing Mg-Th waste chips, machining operations in progress on Mg-Th castings on hand, and receipt and transfer records. The findings of the inspection were discussed with E. Roland and M. Slater at the conclusion of the inspection.

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

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 will be placed in the Public Document Room. No reply to this letter is required.

Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:
John D. Kinneman

John D. Kinneman, Chief
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