U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

REGION III

Reports No. 40-8760/84-03(DRMSP); 70-2955/84-03(DRMSP)

Docket Nos. 40-8760; 70-2955

Licenses No. SMC-1377; SNM-1903

Licensee: Edlow International Company

1100 - 17th Street, N.W., Suite 404

Washington, DC 20036

Inspection Conducted: May 31, 1984 and June 4, 1984 (telephone)

Inspection At: Edlow International Company, 3131 St. Clair Avenue

East St. Louis, IL and NRC RIII Office

Type of Inspection: Announced Special Physical Protection and Safety Inspection

Date of Previous Physical Protection Inspections: December 8-9, 1983

January 9-11, 1984 March 7-8, 1984

Inspector:

Materials and Safeguards Branch

Approved By:

R. Creed, Chief

Safeguards Section

D. J. Freniawski, Chief

Materials Radiation Protection

Section 2

Inspection on May 31, 1984 and June 4, 1984 (Reports No. 40-8760/84-03(DRMSP); 70-2955/84-03(DRMSP))

Areas Inspected: Included a followup inspection regarding previous open items relevant to security systems and followup verification of outdoor storage of natural and low enriched UF6 and further site analysis relevant to the licensee's April 11, 1984, correspondence to Region III. The inspection

involved 2 inspector-hours by one NRC inspector

Results: No items of noncompliance were identified. The licensee agreed to move the 11 natural UF₆ filled cylinders from Compound 1 to Compound 2 to ensure safer storage of this material from a potential train derailment. This movement would be conducted in conjuction with an anticipated offsite shipment of U₃ O₈ in about six weeks.

ATTACHMENT CONTAINS 10 CFR 2.790(d)

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