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Mr. Harold L. Price, Director
Division of Civilian Applications
U. S. Atomic Energy Commission
Washington 25, D. C.

Subject: Standards for Protection Against Radiation

Dear Mr. Price:

In connection with 10 CFR Part 20 "Standards for Protection Against Radiation," we are asking for an opinion from your office concerning your minimum specifications for "restricted areas" as defined in Section 20.3 (d).

Specifically, we are concerned with a special situation which is as follows:

By-product solid residues from our monazite processing operations are stored by us in piles on a piece of ground reserved for this purpose. The area of ground currently being used amounts to two or three acres. These residues are of low radioactivity, but are high enough to require storage in a "restricted area." It is our plan to fence off this area to control access.

The type of fencing to be used is now under consideration. Since we want the fencing to meet your requirements for radiation protection standards, we are asking for your minimum acceptable specifications for a fence which would pass inspection by your inspection teams.

Your prompt reply in this regard will be appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

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