



UNITED STATES  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

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Docket No.: 50-354

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Nuclear Assurance and Regulation  
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Dear Mr. Mittl:

SUBJECT: PROCESS CONTROL PROGRAM (PCP)

The Hope Creek Safety Evaluation Report listed as a proposed condition (License Condition 5) that:

...before processing solid wastes, the applicant must obtain NRC approval of the solid waste process control program addressing the requirements of 10 CFR 61 and BTP ETSB 11-3.

By letter dated August 21, 1985, you submitted a revised PCP which addressed the solidification of Class A wastes. We have completed our review of the PCP and concluded that even though the PCP does not provide for sampling and evaluation of the end product, the PCP is acceptable for use in processing Class A wastes.

The Hope Creek PCP does not currently apply to the solidification of Class B and C wastes. As noted in your August 21, 1985 letter, you have committed to modify the PCP as necessary to apply to Class B and C wastes after the solid waste system undergoes a pre-qualification test program conducted by its vendor.

Until the PCP is revised to include the solidification of Class B and C wastes, the proposed license condition will be changed to read:

...before processing Class B and C solid wastes, the applicant must obtain NRC approval of the Class B and C solid waste process control program addressing the requirements of 10 CFR 61 and BTP ETSB 11-3.

Should we find, following receipt of your revised PCP, that the Class B and C solid waste sections are acceptable, the proposed license condition will be removed; moreover, if the revised PCP is found acceptable prior to the fuel load date the operating license will not include a license condition on this matter.

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Please notify David Wagner, (301) 492-8525, of your schedule for revising the PCP to include Class B and C solid wastes.

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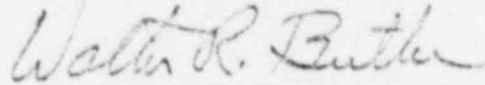
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