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Director of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards USNRC Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Sir:

Recently, in an attempt to locate and verify the various nuclear sources used in Golden Cat operations, we discovered a discrepancy regarding ownership of two sources formerly owned by Golden Cat. The purpose of this letter is to request a formal transfer of ownership for these sources from Golden Cat to American Colloid Company.

Prior to 1991, Golden Cat owned a facility in Paris, Tennessee. Two Kay-Ray brand nuclear belt scales were located at this facility. In 1991, this facility was closed and lay dormant for approximately 1 year. In late 1992, American Colloid purchased this facility from Golden Cat, and began production. In recent conversations with American Colloid and Kay-Ray, we have discovered that ownership for these scales was not transferred. Kay -Ray still has the source serial numbers listed under Golden Cat's ownership, and as such we would like to initiate the process required to change ownership of these devices.

The following information is relevant to each source:

Source 1:

Manufacturer: Amersham/Kay-Ray

Model Number: 7062B Serial Number: 22874

Scurce size and Isotope: 50 mci, Cs-137

Source 2:

Manufacturer: Amersham/Kay-kay

Model Number: 7062B Serial Number: 21615

Source size and Isotope: 25 mci, Cs-137

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The contact person who is aware of these sources at American Colloid is Jim Ruddell. He may be reached at (307) 896-3305, voice mail at 1-800-323-0629, extension 382, fax at (307) 896-2168, or by mail at American Colloid Co., HCR 69 Box 135, Belle Fourche, South Dakota, Zip code 57717.

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