

Mr. Kevin L. Holsopple
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November 25, 1997

Dear Mr. Holsopple:

I am responding to your letter dated November 11, 1997, which requested an amendment to license SMC-1562 to extend the decommissioning plan submittal date for the Reading facility. We have completed the initial processing of your request, which is an administrative review.

We have determined that the information provided in your letter is sufficient to begin processing your request. Please note that the additional review may identify omissions in the submitted information or technical issues not identified during the administrative review that require additional information. We will inform you separately of our schedule for completing our review.

A copy of your correspondence has been forwarded to our License Fee and Accounts Receivable Branch, Office of the Controller, which will contact you separately if the appropriate license fee has not been submitted for your request, or for billing if your request is subject to full cost recovery.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please contact me at (301) 415-6613.

Sincerely,
[original signed by]
Timothy E. Harris, Project Manager
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