

## UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001

December 23, 1998

The Honorable Pete V. Domenici United States Senate Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Domenici:

This letter responds to your September 10, 1998 letter to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) regarding the disposal of radioactive materials from the Metcoa site in Pennsylvania to a Waste Control Specialist site in Texas. The NRC has completed its review of the proposal to ship the waste to Andrews County, Texas and has determined that no NRC approval is required for transfer of the material.

I have enclosed for your information a letter to Egan and Associates regarding this decision. I hope this information responds to your request.

Sincerely,

Dennis K. Rathbun, Director Office of Congressional Affairs

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