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Gentlemen:

Subject:

SUB-526

Docket No. 40-3392

We have enclosed two (2) copies of our "Facility Effluent Report" representing the period of July 1, 1997 to January 1, 1998.

Sincerely,

Interim Plant Manager

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Enclosure: Facility Effluent Report (2)

CC:

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Nuclear Regulatory Commission

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FACILITY EFFLUENT REPORT

TYPE OF FACILITY:

UF, Conversion

LICENSE:

Source Materials No. 5 B-526 Docket No. 40-3392

FACILITY ADDRESS:

AlliedSignal Inc. - Metropolis Works P. O. Box 430 Metropolis, IL 62960

REPORTING PERIOD:

July 1, 1997 - January 1, 1998

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