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Mr. Joe Holonich, Branch Chief U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Division of Waste Management Mail Stop T7J9 11555 Rockville Pike Rockville, MD. 20850

Re: Docket No. 40-8084 Source Material License SUA-1119

SUBJECT: Request for extension of the filing deadline for the annual Groundwater Corrective Action Report.

Dear Mr. Holonich:

As agreed to by Mr. Mike Fliegle of your staff and myself during a telephone conversation on June 26, 1998 we will submit our Annual Groundwater Corrective Action report on July 31, 1998 rather than June 30, 1998.

The reason for the requested delay is as follows: During April of this year Rio Algom Mining hired outside consultants to review the progress of our current CAP and to provide suggestion for improving the program. Our consultants are scheduled to present their preliminary findings in the middle of July. The requested extension will allow us to incorporate any new approaches in our CAP report.

If you or your staff have any questions concerning this submittal, please call (801) 686-2217.

Respectfully,

1. Juni F. G. Fossey Radiation Safety Officer RAMC - Lisbon Operations

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xc: P. Goranson w/attachments Director, Div. of Radiation Safety and Safeguards, Arlington TX. Return Receipt Requested P 290 197 210 File

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