

From: [Balcom, Mark](#)
To: [Lyndsey Allison Russell](#)
Subject: [External_Sender] RE: Request for Additional Information for License Amendment dated 6/22/26
Date: Wednesday, August 26, 2026 1:19:20 PM
Attachments: 23 leak exp 12-16-26.pdf
25 leak exp 10-7-26.pdf

Attached are the last 2 leak tests for the nukes that came from Kerens, WV.

Thank you

Mark

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Good afternoon Mark,

As a follow up to our phone conversation, please provide records indicating that the gauges moved from your Kerens, WV facility to your Frederick, MD facility, had not leaked. Once received, I can continue with the review of your license amendment.

If you have any questions or concerns, please let me know.

Thank you again,

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Correct, sorry for the confusion.

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Mark,

To verify, you removed two, not three, gauges (#23 and #35) from Kerens, WV and took them to the MD storage facility?

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Sorry, nuke 35 was there, not 25.

Thanks

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LEAK TEST CERTIFICATE

MD Materials License # MD-13-020-01

This certifies that leak test analysis was conducted on the sample with the following information. The results shown below accurately represent the level of removeable contamination.

Gauge Model	MC-3	Gauge S/N	M330807124	Leak Test Date	6/16/2026
	Source		Reading in microCuries		
	7124		0.00007581		
	7124		0.00000134		

Note: 0.005 microCuries (185 Bq) or greater is considered a leaking source. The source(s) tested above may remain in use.

Reviewed by: Doyle Sines

Date: JUN 23 2026

Tuesday, June 23, 2026



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LEAK TEST CERTIFICATE

MD Materials License # MD-13-020-01

This certifies that leak test analysis was conducted on the sample with the following information. The results shown below accurately represent the level of removeable contamination.

Gauge Model	3430	Gauge S/N	20619	Leak Test Date	3/16/2026
Source		Reading in microCuries			
75-2000		0.00005948			
47-16099		0.00000			

Note: 0.005 microCuries (185 Bq) or greater is considered a leaking source. The source(s) tested above may remain in use.

Reviewed by: Douglas Sines

Date: MAR 30 2026