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FOIA/PA REQUEST

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Carol Ann Reed, FOIA/PA Officer U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, DC 20555

Re:

Freedom of Information Act Request

Bernard R. Wright v. Owens-Corning Fiberglas Corporation, et al. No. GD 97-16201. Court of Common Pleas, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania Richard Lee Owens v. Owens-Corning Fiberglas Corporation, et al. No. GD 98-3325. Court of Common Pleas, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania

Dear Ms. Reed:

We represent Kaiser Aluminum & Chemical Corporation, one of the defendants in the above-captioned litigation. I write in follow-up to my telephone conversation with you this afternoon, Thursday, July 29, 1999.

We have received documents from the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, and the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, relating to the possession and use of radioactive materials by Jones & Laughlin Steel Corporation, Aliquippa, Pennsylvania (J&L Aliquippa).

By this letter, and under the Freedom of Information Act, we request copies of U.S. Atomic Energy Commission and U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission records documenting, for the period 1943 - 1983:

concerns re: J&L Aliquippa protocols re: use of radioactive materials; incidents of exposure to radiation at J&L Aliquippa; and, illness/disease associated with exposure to radiation at J&L Aliquippa.

I will telephone you on Friday, July 30, 1999, to confirm your receipt of this letter. Should you need to speak with me at any time, my telephone number is 207-941-2321.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

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Sincerely,

Therese MacDonald Legal Assistant

Enclosure

EXPERT SYSTEM LICENSE EVALUATION EVALUATION REPORT FOR LICENSE 37-02567-02

INVENTORY CONTENTS FOR LICENSE NUMBER: 37-02567-02

Docket 30-06077

Licensee: JONES & LAUGHLIN STEEL CORPORATION

Address: ALIQUIPPA, PA

Zip: 15001

This license was listed as SUPERCEDED BY ANOTHER LICENSE

Contents of the new license field 37-02567-06

State of operation:

Site used: No site of operation given

Disposition information present: NO DISPOSITION INFORMATION GIVEN

Remarks: File Cover "Covered by 37-2567-06"

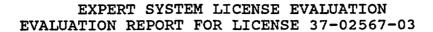
JOB NUMBER: 0132 BOX NUMBER: 18

INFORMATION ON EXACT AMOUNTS OF MATL WAS NOT NEEDED TO EVALUATE

THIS LICENSE WAS ELIMINATED FROM CONSIDERATION

The reason for elimination was: SUPERCEDED BY NEW LICENSE

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Licensee: JONES AND LAUHGLIN STEEL CORPORATION Site of operation: LICENSEE'S ADDRESS

-- Type and form of materials licensed--

Material--

--Form--

CO-60

Sealed

--For evaluation purposes, amounts of the following materials were obtained----Amount-- --Unit--Material----Form--

CO-60

SEALED

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Initial rank for the SEALED sources is:

0.23

1. License included only sealed sources

2. There was at least one sealed source authorized on this license which was not accounted for by the disposition information.

3. There was at least one sealed source on this license for which the amount remaining was reduced according to the length of the half-life

4. Sealed sources or shielding on the license had a low hazard rating.

Category for sealed sources: SEALED SRCS ELIMINATED FROM CONSIDERATION

EXPERT SYSTEM EVALUATION WAS BASED ON THE INVENTORY RECORD IN JOB 0043, BOX 12

Docket 30-06078

Licensee: JONES AND LAUHGLIN STEEL CORPORATION

Address: ALIQUIPPA PENNSYLVANIA

Zip: 15001

State of operation: PA

Site used: LICENSEE'S ADDRESS

Disposition information present: NO DISPOSITION INFORMATION GIVEN

This license was listed as expired on 07/31/74

Remarks:

JOB NUMBER: 0043

BOX NUMBER: 12

EXPERT SYSTEM LICENSE EVALUATION EVALUATION REPORT FOR LICENSE 37-02567-04

INVENTORY CONTENTS FOR LICENSE NUMBER: 37-02567-04 Docket 30-10708

Licensee: JONES AND LAUGHLIN STEEL CORPORATION

Address: ALIQUIPPA, PA

Zip: 15001

This license was listed as SUPERCEDED BY ANOTHER LICENSE

Contents of the new license field 37-02567-07

State of operation:

Site used: No site of operation given

Disposition information present: NO DISPOSITION INFORMATION GIVEN

Remarks: FRONT FOLDER: COVERED BY 37-02567-07

JOB NUMBER: 0227

BOX NUMBER: 15

INFORMATION ON EXACT AMOUNTS OF MATL WAS NOT NEEDED TO EVALUATE .

THIS LICENSE WAS ELIMINATED FROM CONSIDERATION The reason for elimination was: SUPERCEDED BY NEW LICENSE

EXPERT SYSTEM LICENSE EVALUATION EVALUATION REPORT FOR LICENSE 37-15699-01

Licensee: JONES AND LAUGHLIN STEEL CORPORATION Site of operation: JONES & LAUGHLIN STEEL CORP, ALIQUIPPA WORKS, ALIQUIPPA, P

INFORMATION ON EXACT AMOUNTS OF MATL WAS NOT NEEDED TO EVALUATE

1. License is nonsuspect because it was superceded by another license

THIS LICENSE WAS ELIMINATED FROM CONSIDERATION

The reason for elimination was: SUPERCEDED BY NEW LICENSE

EXPERT SYSTEM EVALUATION WAS BASED ON THE INVENTORY RECORD IN JOB 0056, BOX 15

Docket 30-09601

Zip: 15001

Licensee: JONES AND LAUGHLIN STEEL CORPORATION

Address: ALIQUIPPA, PENNSYLVANIA

This license was listed as SUPERCEDED BY ANOTHER LICENSE

Contents of the new license field 37-02567-05

State of operation: PA

Site used: JONES & LAUGHLIN STEEL CORP, ALIQUI Disposition information present: CERTIFICATE

Remarks:

JOB NUMBER: 0056

BOX NUMBER: 15

Date of last evaluation/revision: 09/17/92 Reviewer: SSC

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EXPERT SYSTEM LICENSE EVALUATION REPORT FOR LICENSE SNM-00908

NAME OF LICENSEE: JONES & LAUGHLIN STEEL CORPORATION
LISTED SITE: ALIQUIPPA, PENNSYLVANIA TYPE OF ACTIVITY OR FACILITY: FACILITY NOT SPECIFIED
Description of LICENSEE ACTIVITY UNDER THIS LICENSE
THE USE OF A PU-BE NEUTRON SOURCE IN A MOISTURE GAUGE.
MATERIALS INFORMATION FOR THIS LICENSE
Information on type and form of materialsAuthorized MaterialForm Authorized
PU-BE PELLETS Sealed source(s)
DATA ON MATERIAL AMOUNTS WAS NOT COLLECTED DURING THE LICENSE EVALUATION
FINAL DECISION FOR SEALED MATERIALS: SEALED SRCS ELIMINATED FROM CONSIDERATION Sealed sources were accounted for and therefore eliminated from consideration
SEQUENCE OF RECORDED REASONING
1. FIRST SITE: There was sufficient information in the file to establish a likelihood that no material was possessed under the license.
COMMENTS FOR LICENSE EVALUATION
Description of LICENSEE ACTIVITY UNDER THIS LICENSE
THE USE OF A PU-BE NEUTRON SOURCE IN A MOISTURE GAUGE.
SEALED PU-BE NEUTRON SOURCE FOR USE IN A MOISTURE GAUGE. THE
CERTIFICATE OF DISPOSITION INDICATED THAT THE SOURCE AND THE GAUGE WERE NEVER PURCHASED BY THE LICENSEE.
END OF COMMENTS FOR LICENSE EVALUATION
EXPERT SYSTEM EVALUATION WAS BASED ON THE

---- FOLLOWING INVENTORY RECORD -----Docket Number: 70-00960 **REGION RESPONSIBLE: I** LICENSEE NAME: JONES & LAUGHLIN STEEL CORPORATION
STREET ADDRESS: ALIQUIPPA WORKS DIVISION City: ALIQUIPPA
FIPS state code (principal operation): PA

Site used: ALIQUIPPA, PENNSYLVANIA Disposition information present: CERTIFICATE Licensee indicated no material ever possessed This license was listed as expired on 06/30/68

APPLICATION INFORMATION

There WAS a licensee application contained in the file The application contained some information on material use.

GENERAL INVENTORY RECORD COMMENTS: PU-BE SOURCE USED IN A MOISTURE GAUGE. JOB NUMBER: 1710 BOX NUMBER: 12

COMMENTS ON INVENTORY ENTRY FOR SNM-00908

ACCORDING TO THE CERTIFICATE OF DISPOSITION, THE SOURCE WAS NEVER PURCHASED OR RECEIVED.

Date of last evaluation or revision: 06/20/94