

Mr. Ben Baker
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1261 Building
Midland, MI 48667

December 8, 1999

SUBJECT: COMMENTS ON THE REVISED RADIOLOGICAL HEALTH AND SAFETY PLAN SUBMITTED FOR AN AMENDMENT ON LICENSE STB-527

Dear Mr. Baker:

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If you should have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Sam Nalluswami of my staff at (301) 415-6694.

Sincerely,

Original signed by: L. Beal for:
Larry W. Camper, Chief
Decommissioning Branch
Division of Waste Management
Office of Nuclear Material Safety
and Safeguards

License No. STB-527
Docket No. 40-17

Enclosures:

1. NRC Staff Comments
2. NRC Form 3
3. NRC Guidelines FC 83-23

cc: DOW Chemical Dist. List
D. Minnar, MIDEQ

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