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RESPONSE TO FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA) / PRIVACY ACT (PA) REQUEST

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RESPONSE TYPE [] FINAL [x] PARTIAL

REQUESTER

Ms. Patti. Thomson

DATE

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PART I. -- INFORMATION RELEASED

- No additional agency records subject to the request have been located.
Requested records are available through another public distribution program. See Comments section.
APPENDICES Agency records subject to the request that are identified in the listed appendices are already available for public inspection and copying at the NRC Public Document Room.
APPENDICES A Agency records subject to the request that are identified in the listed appendices are being made available for public inspection and copying at the NRC Public Document Room.
Enclosed is information on how you may obtain access to and the charges for copying records located at the NRC Public Document Room, 2120 L Street, NW, Washington, DC.
APPENDICES A Agency records subject to the request are enclosed.
Records subject to the request that contain information originated by or of interest to another Federal agency have been referred to that agency (see comments section) for a disclosure determination and direct response to you.
We are continuing to process your request.
See Comments.

PART I.A -- FEES

- AMOUNT * \$ [] You will be billed by NRC for the amount listed. [] None. Minimum fee threshold not met.
[] You will receive a refund for the amount listed. [] Fees waived.
* See comments for details

PART I.B -- INFORMATION NOT LOCATED OR WITHHELD FROM DISCLOSURE

- No agency records subject to the request have been located.
Certain information in the requested records is being withheld from disclosure pursuant to the exemptions described in and for the reasons stated in Part II.
This determination may be appealed within 30 days by writing to the FOIA/PA Officer, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001. Clearly state on the envelope and in the letter that it is a "FOIA/PA Appeal."

PART I.C COMMENTS (Use attached Comments continuation page if required)

SIGNATURE - FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT AND PRIVACY ACT OFFICER

Carol Ann Reed [Signature]

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**APPENDIX A
RECORDS BEING RELEASED IN THEIR ENTIRETY**

<u>NO.</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION/(PAGE COUNT)</u>
1.	08/15/52	Memo to AFSB files from J Hitch re: visit to Veterans Admin Hospital, Wilshire & Sawtelle Boulevards, Los Angeles 25, CA, 7/23/52 (4 pages)
2.	04/06/55	Letter to R. Libby from P. Aebersold re: general license for the possession and use of radioisotopes (2 pages)
3.	03/07/56	Application for byproduct material license by Veterans Admin Center (2 pages)
4.	03/08/56	Letter to F. Bauer from L. Rogers re: radioiron (1 page)
5.	03/30/56	Byproduct Material License 4-181-1 superceded by License 4-181-2 dated 4/25/56 (1 page)
6.	04/02/56	License 4-181-1 schedule update information (1 page)
7.	04/25/56	Byproduct material license 4-181-2 (1 page)
8.	06/28/56	Application for byproduct material license 4-181-3 (3 pages)
9.	07/17/56	Byproduct Material License 4-181-3 (1 page)
10.	07/31/56	Application for byproduct material license 4-181-5 (4 pages)
11.	08/21/56	Crossed out byproduct material license 4-181-5 superseded by 4-181-7 (4 pages)
12.	08/24/56	Note to Chief, Radioisotope Division from R. Bringham re: AEC forms 313, application for byproduct material license (5 pages)
13.	09/10/56	Letter t W. Blahd from R. Cunningham re: visit planned on 10/3/56 (1 page)
14.	09/13/56	License 4-181-3 byproduct material license supplementary sheet (1 page)
15.	09/18/56	Letter to S. Perry from C. Buchanan re: receipt of preceptor statement (1 page)
16.	09/26/56	Byproduct Material License 4-181-6 (1 page)

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17.	10/15/56	Letter to W. Blahd from R. Cunningham re: recent visit to Veterans Admin Center (1 page)
18.	10/22/56	Memo to Isotopes Extension Files from R. Hervin & R. Cunningham re: Visit to Veterans Admin Center, Wilshire and Sawtelle Boulevards, Los Angeles 25, CA (4 pages)
19.	10/31/56	Letter to I. Weinstein from P. Aebersold re: Notice of licensing requirement (3 pages)
20.	11/14/56	Letter to W. Blahd from C. Kwast re: use of Thulium 170 unit (1 page)
21.	11/28/56	Certificate for responsible radioisotope users (1 page)
22.	12/05/56	Application for byproduct material 4-181-5 (4 pages)
23.	02/14/57	Letter to P. Aebersold from N. Baker re: License 4-181-5, amendment 1 (1 page)
24.	03/15/57	Letter to W. Gore from C. Buchanan re: licensing of Strontium 90 (2 pages)
25.	03/21/57	Letter to Drs. W. Blahd & N. Baker from C. Buchanan re: byproduct material license 4-181-7 (3 pages)
26.	03/22/57	License 4-181-7 schedule update information (1 page)
27.	03/27/57	Letter to C. Buchanan from N. Baker re: return of superseded license 4-181-5 (1 page)
28.	04/24/57	License 4-181-7 schedule update information (1 page)
29.	04/24/57	Byproduct material license 4-181-7, amend 1 (1 page)
30.	03/21/58	Application for byproduct material license 4-181-6 (4 pages)
31.	04/28/58	License 4-181-6 schedule update information (2 pages)
32.	04/28/58	Byproduct Material License 4-181-6, amend 1 (1 page)

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33.	06/25/58	Application for byproduct material license renewal of 4-181-3 (2 pages)
34.	07/28/58	License 4-181-3 schedule update information (2 pages)
35.	07/29/58	License 4-181-3 AEC byproduct material license supplementary sheet (1 page)
36.	11/12/58	Certification of status of radioisotope (byproduct material) program under AEC byproduct material license 4-181-6 (1 page)
37.	01/04/57	License 4-181-5 schedule update information (2 pages)
38.	09/08/60	Certification of status of radioisotope (byproduct material) program under AEC byproduct material license 4-181-3 (1 page)
39.	02/19/69	Memorandum to Chief, Engineering Division, from Chief, Radioisotope Service, Subject: Disposal of Radioactive Waste, with two enclosures (3 pages)
40.	07/25/69	Letter to Mr. D. W. Dinneen, Director, Real Estate Staff, Veterans Administrator, from Fred H. Johnston, Chief, Real Property Division, Property Management & Disposal Service, Subject: Portion, Veterans Administration Center, Los Angeles, California, 9-V-Calif-514-I (1 page)
41.	08/12/69	Letter to Mr. Fred H. Johnston, Chief, Real Property Division, Property Management & Disposal Service, from D. W. Dinneen, Director, Real Estate Staff, Subject: Radioactive Waste Burial (1 page)
42.	10/22/69	Letter to Director of Licensing and Regulations, U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, from Fred H. Johnston, Chief, Real Property Division, Subject: Portion, Veterans Administration Center, Los Angeles, California, 9-V-Calif-514-I (1 page)
43.	12/03/69	Memorandum to Cecil R. Buchanan, Isotope Branch, DML, HQ, from Herbert E. Book, Senior Radiation Specialist, Subject: Veterans Administration Hospital, Los Angeles, California, License No. 4-181-4, Radioactive Waste Burial, with enclosures (3 pages)

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44.	12/05/69	Memo to Files from Cecil R. Buchanan, Acting Chief, Isotopes Branch, Division of Materials Licensing, Subject: Phone calls concerning V.A. Hospital, Los Angeles, Disposal of 50 acres of Land (License No. 04-00181-04), December 2, 1969 (1 page)
45.	12/09/69	Letter to Director of Licensing and Regulations, U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, from S. C. Hewitt, Realty Officer, Real Property Division, Subject: Portion, Veterans Administration Center, Los Angeles, California -- 9-V-Calif-514-I (1 page)
46.	12/10/69	Letter to General Service Administration, Attention: Mr. Fred H. Johnson, Chief, Real Property Division from Cecil R. Buchanan, Assistant Chief, Isotopes Branch, Subject: Disposal of 50 Acres of Excess Land at VA Center, Los Angeles, California (1 page)
47.	12/16/69	Note to Files from Cecil R. Buchanan, Assistant Chief, Isotope Branch, Subject: VA Hospital, Los Angeles - License No. 04-00181-04 (1 page)
48.	05/02/80	Letter to Steve Takahashi, California Health Department from Neal Gantz, Researcher, Subject: Radiological Content of the Water in Water Wells in Los Angeles (5 pages)
49.	05/30/80	Letter to Committee to Bridge the Gap from W. J. MacPherson, Subject: Reply to 5/16/80 letter (2 pages)
50.	06/05/80	Letter to the Committee to Bridge the Gap from Kenneth B. Fess, Senior Health Physicist, Subject: Radioactive Material in Vicinity (1 page)
51.	11/06/80	Letter to Secretary of the Commission, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, from Paul H. Guth, M.D., Professor of Medicine, UCLA, ;Subject: Proposed Rule Changes for Disposal of Liquid Scintillation Vials and Animal Carcasses (1 page)
52.	03/06/81	Letter to Mr. Joseph Ward, Chief, Radiologic Health Section from Alan Siertoy, Subject: Radioactive Waste Dump, with enclosure (2 pages)
53.	04/02/81	Note to File from Unknown, Subject: License No. 4-181-4 (1 page)
54.	04/02/81	Preliminary Notification of Event or Unusual Occurrence PNO 81-18. Subject: MEDIA Interest in Onsite Land Burials (1 page)

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55.	04/09/81	Preliminary Notification of Event or Unusual Occurrence PNO 81-18A, Subject: MEDIA Interest in Onsite Land Burials (1 page)
56.	04/16/81	Letter to Veterans Administration Center, Wadsworth Hospital Attention: Mr. William Anderson, Director, from G. S. Spencer, Director, Division of Technical Inspection, Subject: NRC Enforcement Conference and Inspection of Waste Disposal Area (2 pages)
57.	04/21/81	Memorandum for Al Grella, Chief, Materials Radiation Safety Section, from H. E. Book, Chief, Radiological Safety Branch, Subject: Land Burial Area at V.A. Hospital, Los Angeles - License No. 04-00181-04 with copy of letter dated April 15, 1981, to Mr. H. E. Book, Chief, Fuel Facility and Materials Safety Branch from William K. Anderson, Director, Veterans Administration Medical Center (2 pages)
58.	04/22/81	Letter to Honorable Alan Sieroty, State Senate, from Beverlee A. Myers, Director, State of California, Department of Health Services, Subject: Possible Water Pollution in the Los Angeles Area (1 page)
59.	04/30/81	Letter to Mr. Dean Kunihiro, State Liaison Officer, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, from Joseph O. Ward, Chief, Radiologic Health Section, State of California, Department of Health, Subject: Waste Buried at the Wadsworth Veterans Administration Hospital (1 page)
60.	05/01/81	Memorandum For Vandy L. Miller, Chief, Material Licensing Branch, NMSS from Leo B. Higginbotham, Chief, Radiological Safety Branch, IE, Subject: Evaluation of Waste Burial Area at VA Hospital, Los Angeles, License NO. 04-00181-04, with enclosures (3 pages)
61.	08/07/81	Preliminary Notification of Event or Unusual Occurrence PNO-V-81-18B, Subject: Media Interest in Onsite Land Burials (Update) (1 page)
62.	08/10/81	Letter to Joseph O. Ward, Chief, Radiologic Health Section, from Herbert E. Book, Chief, Subject: Veterans Administration Hospital in Los Angeles (1 page)
63.	08/24/81	For Division of Safeguards and Radiological Safety Inspection, Daily Report - Region V, Subject: Veterans Administration Hospital, Los Angeles, CA., License No. 04-00181-04 (1 page)

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64.	08/24/81	Letter to The Honorable Anthony C. Beilsenson, United State House of Representatives from Herbert E. Book, Chief, Radiological Safety Branch, Subject: Veterans Administration Property in Los Angeles (1 page)
65.	08/31/81	Memorandum for File, from H. E. Book, Chief, Radiological Safety Branch, Subject: Veteran's Administrations Hospital, Los Angeles, License Number 04-00181-04 (2 pages)
66.	01/04/82	Letter to H. E. Book, Chief, Radiological Safety Branch, from Robert Nelson, Ph.D., Co-Chairperson, Los Angeles Federation of Scientists with enclosures (8 pages)
67.	03/17/82	Letter to Robert Nelson, Ph.D., Co-Chairperson, Los Angeles Federation of Scientists, from Herbert E. Book, Chief, Radiological Safety Branch, Subject: Questions as Part of the Freedom of Information Act request, with enclosure (4 pages)
68.	10/06/94	License Evaluation Report for License 04-00181-01 (2 pages)
69.	10/06/94	License Evaluation Report for License 04-00181-02 (2 pages)
70.	10/06/94	License Evaluation Report for License 04-00181-03 (2 pages)
71.	10/06/94	License Evaluation Report for License 04-00181-05 (2 pages)
72.	10/06/94	License Evaluation Report for License 04-00181-06 (2 pages)
73.	10/06/94	License Evaluation Report for License 04-00181-07 (2 pages)
74.	Undated	Application for byproduct material license (2 pages)
75.	Undated	Type and number of Instruments used to detect radiation for license 4-181-5 (3 pages)
76.	Undated	Application for byproduct material license 4-181-5 (2 pages)