

February 9, 2006

MEMORANDUM TO: Daniel Gillen, Deputy Director
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Division of Waste Management and Environmental Protection
Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards

FROM: Gary Janosko, Chief /RA/
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SUBJECT: TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE REQUEST - SEQUOYAH FUELS
CORPORATION RECLAMATION PLAN (TAC L52511)

The Fuel Cycle Facilities Branch requests technical assistance in reviewing the following project:

Project: Sequoyah Fuels Corporation (SFC) amendment request to approve its proposed reclamation plan

TAC No.: L52511; fee recoverable

Docket No.: 40-8027

Requested Action: Provide a review of the radiation protection aspects of SFC's proposed reclamation plan for its facility in Gore, Oklahoma. The staff reviewed the reclamation plan and prepared a Draft Safety Evaluation Report (DSER) in September 2005. The DSER identified 8 open issues and 4 confirmatory items related to radiation protection. SFC has recently responded to the DSER, addressing the open issues and confirmatory items and revising portions of the reclamation plan. Assistance from your directorate is requested to review licensee's responses and the revised reclamation plan. Your support should include a review of the radiation protection responses and revisions to the reclamation plan, discussions with the licensee as needed, and input to the staff's final SER.

Assigned staff should charge their time to the indicated TAC number. Please include this TAC number in the subject line of your technical products.

Please provide the information requested below and return a completed copy to the Licensing Assistant (LA) or Project Manager (PM).

Name of Reviewer: _____

Deputy Director Signature: _____

Contacts: PM: Myron Fliegel
LA: Betty Garrett

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