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Re: Docket No. 9999001

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Subject: Alliant Techsystems Generally Licensed Source Accountability

Dear Mr. Kinneman:

Additional research performed during the 90 day extension granted by Mr. Ronald Rolph in the effort to account for the control and disposition of the eleven remaining devices has revealed no further information disclosing probable status on them. For note, sixteen devices were listed to provide documentation and traceability regarding them in your initial request dated February 16, 2006.

Traceability of five of the sixteen items was provided in a packet sent on April 21, 2006 to you. In that packet, purchase order #VA07210 dated 1-29-92 by Hercules Incorporated indicated device key items 47831, 47832, 47833, and 19720 were disposed through the services of TN Technologies, a radiation source disposal agency. The traceability of device key item 524656 was substantiated through copies of a general licensee registration package dated 5-27-2004 and by inventory records dated from 06-14-2001 through 12-05-2005 at this facility. However, further extensive research, such as combing purchasing, property, and shipping records and interviewing personnel at this facility, through contacting two disposal agencies specifically TN Technologies and Ohmart Corporation, and establishing telephone conversations with Hercules, Incorporated supervisory personnel, yielded no other records indicating a physical inventory or of a documentation trail that could provide information pertaining to either the receipt or disposal of the remaining devices.

In closing, discussion with Hercules, Incorporated indicated that when the business was sold to Alliant Techsystems, Inc. all file records were turned over then. However, Alliant Techsystems Incorporated assumed transfer of the facility in March 1995, and not in the time period from the 1980's. Up to the date of assumption of ownership regarding the Radford Army Arsenal facility specifically pertaining to the remaining eleven devices and sources in question, we cannot provide you any information regarding them.



We welcome advice as to how to further research and assist you as we have exhausted all means at our disposal.

Please do not hesitate to contact either me at (540) 639-8103, or my e-mail address of Don.Hall@ATK.com, or our assigned RSO Dave Hurley at (540)639-8313, or his e-mail address of David.Hurley@ATK.com.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Donal S. Hall". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Donal S. Hall,
AAPC Safety Manager

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David M. Hurley". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

David M. Hurley
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