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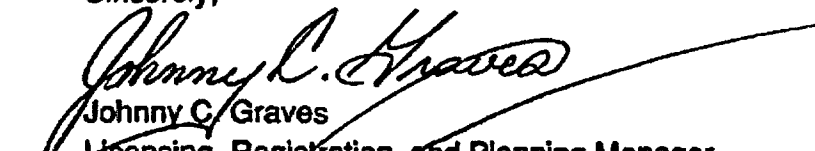
Mr. Stephen Dembek, Section Chief
Office of International Programs
United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555-0001

Dear Mr. Dembek:

This letter acknowledges your letter of April 18, 2006, with attachments, concerning the importation of contaminated lead from the British Nuclear Group by Duratek in Tennessee. We believe the activity as described in the proposal submitted with your letter is consistent with the activities authorized by a Tennessee Radioactive Material License issued to Duratek, Inc. for the processing of metals contaminated with radioactive material in accordance with the statements, representations, and procedures referenced in that license.

Therefore, we have no objection to your concurrence with the issuance of an export license for this project.

Sincerely,


Johnny C. Graves
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