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Good afternoon, gentlepersons,

In responding to a reported discovery of abnormal radiation levels at a metal recycling facility, my staff investigated this, due to the much higher than normal (but still not dangerous) levels found.

They preliminarily identified the cause of this to be cesium-137, with maximum exposure levels outside the roll-off box container as around 8 mR/h. To them, it looks like Cs, not Ra or NORM (using our equipment).

We authorized the return of this load to its supplier, located in Western Pennsylvania, and have instructed the supplier to obtain health physics support to investigate this load until we follow-up with it later in the week.

Of course, if you have any questions, call / contact me.

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