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Kawecki Berylco Industries, Inc.
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Gentlemen:

This refers to your application dated August 1, 1978, for renewal of License No. 37-07676-02. Additional information is needed in support of your application.

Item 1(b) of your application specifies P.O. Box 1462, Reading, Pennsylvania, as the address at which byproduct material will be used. Please provide the specific location (street name, number, etc.) at which byproduct material is used and/or possessed. A post office box address is appropriate only as a mailing address.

Item 14 of your application specifies that leak tests are conducted by Boulder Scientific Company. We were not certain that we understand how leak tests are performed. If you use a leak test kit, please provide the manufacturer's name and model number of this kit and specify that leak tests will be conducted at intervals not to exceed six months. If the Boulder Scientific Company visits your facility to conduct the leak tests please provide the license number which authorizes them to perform leak test services. If you perform your own leak tests, (including analysis of the results) you should contact us for a description of the kinds of additional information needed in support of your application.

Items E15, E16, E18, and E19 of your instructions for using the Model 200 analyzer, indicate that you are performing source exchanges. This is not an activity authorized by your present license. Source exchanges may be performed by the manufacturer or other persons specifically authorized by the Commission or an Agreement State to perform such

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activities. If you are returning the Model 200 device to Boulder Scientific Company for exchange of the antimony-124 sealed sources, please specify this. If you want authorization for Kawecki Berylco Industries, Inc. to perform source exchanges, we need the following additional information:

- a. Describe the step-by-step procedures to be followed during the source exchanges.
- b. Describe the equipment used during the source exchanges.
- c. Describe the radiation surveys to be conducted during source exchanges.
- d. Describe your methods of packaging the sealed sources for return to Boulder Scientific Company for disposal. Information should be provided to show that you meet all requirements of the U. S. Department of Transportation.

Our review of your application will continue upon receipt of the above information. Please provide two copies of your reply and reference Mail Control No. 95981.

Sincerely,

Paul R. Guinn
Radioisotopes Licensing Branch
Division of Fuel Cycle and
Material Safety

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