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January 30, 2013

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region I, Nuclear Material Section B
Attn: Thomas K. Thompson
2100 Renaissance Boulevard
Suite 100
King of Prussia, PA 19406-2713

RE: Defense Logistics Agency, Notification of no principal activities being conducted under NRC license STC-133, Control No. 582327, Docket No. 04000341

(Ref.)

Dear Mr. Thompson:

This is in reference to your letter regarding the notification of no principal activities being conducted under the Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) Strategic Materials license STC-133 at the Scotia, NY Depot.

Although DLA Strategic Materials, formerly DLA-DNSC, is no longer conducting principal activities under the license STC-133, a Final Status Survey as required by 10 CFR 40.42 part (j) cannot be completed at the Scotia Depot until a very substantial amount of unlicensed material is removed from the building. The material now stored there emits some radiation which would fail any final status survey, but the amount of radiation is not enough to be licensable. The largest obstacle at this time is the fact that there is no place to relocate the material in order to complete the survey.

10 CFR 40.42 part (f) states:

“ The Commission may grant a request to delay or postpone initiation of the decommissioning process if the Commission determines that such relief is not detrimental to the public health and safety and is otherwise in the public interest. The request must be submitted no later than 30 days before notification pursuant to paragraph (d) of this section. The schedule for decommissioning set forth in paragraph (d) of this section may not commence until the Commission has made a determination on the request.”

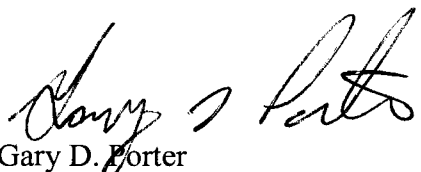
Pursuant to this regulation, DLA Strategic Materials submitted a request on January 23, 2013 to the NRC to delay initiation of the decommissioning process since a Final Status Survey cannot be completed for the foreseeable future. Please see the attached request for your reference.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact Mr. Robert Skruck at (330) 652-1456.

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Sincerely,

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Gary D. Porter
Director, Materials Management

**Enclosure: Request to Delay or Postpone Initiation of the Decommissioning Process at the
Scotia, NY Depot**



ENCLOSURE

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January 23, 2014

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Attn: William M. Dean, Regional Administrator, Region I
2100 Renaissance Boulevard, Suite 100
King of Prussia, PA 19406-2713

**Subject: Request to delay or postpone initiation of the decommissioning process at the
Scotia, NY depot (License No. STC-133)**

To whom it may concern:

This is a letter regarding DLA Strategic Materials license number STC-133 at the Scotia, NY Depot.

On October 17, 2013, DLA Strategic Materials sent a letter in accordance with 10 CFR 40.42 (d) to notify the NRC that there have been no principal activities conducted under our NRC License No. STC-133 for a period of at least 24 months due to the fact that we no longer have licensable material at this site.

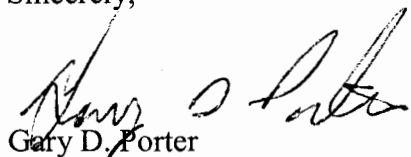
Pursuant to 10 CFR 40.42 (f), DLA Strategic Materials would like to request a delay in the initiation of the decommissioning process at the Scotia, NY depot. Although DLA Strategic Materials, formerly DLA-DNSC, is no longer conducting principal activities under the license STC-133, a Final Status Survey cannot be completed at the Scotia Depot until a very substantial amount of unlicensed material is removed from the building. The material now stored there emits some radiation which would fail any final status survey, but the amount of radiation is not enough to be licensable. An Annual Radiation Review in accordance with 10 CFR 20.1101(c) was completed at the Scotia, NY depot by Robert Skruck and Dewey Blair on December 17, 2013. Readings were taken and dose rates ranged from 0.02 mr/hr to 0.1 mr/hr around the tungsten ores and concentrates located in the storage building.

This material is comprised of less than 0.05% combined of naturally occurring U & Th. Since there is no licensable material at the site, there is no threat to the employees or to the general public.

The largest obstacle at this time is the fact that there is no place to relocate the material in order to complete the survey. At this time, the date that the material can be moved is unknown. Therefore, we request that the NRC grant us a delay in initiation of the decommissioning process until February 29, 2019. This gives DLA Strategic Materials 12 months before the expiration date on license STC-133 to complete the decommissioning process.

If we can provide any further information, please feel free to contact Mr. Robert Skruck at (330) 652-1456.

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