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ATTENTION: Mr. Alexander Adams, Jr.
Project Manager
Non-Power, Decommissioning and
Environmental Project Directorate

REFERENCE: Docket 50-186
University of Missouri Research Reactor
License R-103

SUBJECT: Submittal required by 10CFR50.64(c)(2)(ii)
with respect to Federal Funding for conversion.

The University of Missouri Research Reactor (MURR) has applied for a unique purpose exemption pursuant to 10CFR50.64(c)(1) in a letter dated September 26, 1986. This application, plus additional supporting information, is currently under review by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC).

Since this review process may extend past March 27, 1992, the University of Missouri Research Reactor is complying with 10CFR50.64(c)(2)(ii) by submitting a copy of the Department of Energy letter to MURR, dated February 19, 1992, notifying the licensee that Federal Funds for conversion of our reactor will not be available during Fiscal Year 1992.

This submittal and attachment constitutes MURR's response for Fiscal Year 1992. The MURR will respond again prior to March 27, 1993 as per 10CFR50.64(c)(2), unless a determination is made by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission that our facility should be granted a unique purpose exemption.

Sincerely,

Walt A. Meyer, Jr.
Reactor Manager

ENDORSEMENT:
Reviewed and Approved

J. C. McKibben
Associate Director

Attachment: DOE Letter

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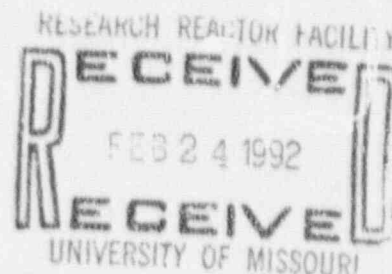


Department of Energy

Washington, DC 20585

February 19, 1992

Mr. Charles McKibben
Missouri University Research Reactor
University of Missouri, Columbia
Columbia, Missouri 65211



Dear Mr. McKibben:

In accordance with Nuclear Regulatory Commission Rule, 10 CFR Part 50, Limiting The Use of Highly Enriched Uranium in Domestically licensed Research and Test Reactors, you are hereby notified that Federal funding for conversion of your reactor will not be available during Fiscal Year 1992.

You will be notified in the event these circumstances change.

Sincerely,

Richard E. Stephens
Associate Director
Office of University and Science Education
Programs
Office of Energy Research