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February 5, 1993

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Mr. James L. Milhoan  
Regional Administrator  
U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
Region IV  
611 Ryan Plaza Drive, Suite 1000  
Arlington, Texas 76011

RE: License No. SUB-1010; Docket No. 40-8027  
Report Pursuant to Order Modifying License,  
dated March 13, 1992

Dear Mr. Milhoan:

Pursuant to the requirements of the March 13, 1992 Order Modifying License, attached is the Sequoyah Fuels Corporation (SFC) written report of incidents or events specified by the Order. This report includes events identified since SFC's report of January 29, 1993. This report is consistent with the April 3, 1992 Confirmatory Order which altered the March 13, 1992 Order Modifying License.

If there are any questions regarding this report, please contact me at 918/489-3207.

Sincerely,

John S. Dietrich  
Vice President  
Technical Support

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Sequoyah Fuels Corporation

Reportable Events Pursuant to  
March 13, 1992 Order Modifying License  
Report No. OML 93-05

Period Ending February 5, 1993

- A. Failure to follow procedures or other requirements where there are indications that the cause was a deliberate failure to meet requirements. A deliberate failure is a failure caused by deliberate misconduct as defined in 10 CFR 40.10(c).

None for this report.

- B. Spills or other unusual occurrences involving the spread of contamination in and around the SFC's facility, equipment, or site, subject to 10 CFR 40.36(f)(1).

None for this report.

- C. Any occurrence which leads to 1) offsite release or contamination in unrestricted areas in excess of SFC's administrative limits; 2) any contamination in restricted areas that requires activities in an area to be suspended for more than 8 hours pending decontamination; or 3) any personnel contamination in excess of SFC's administrative limits which within one hour of detection is not reduced to within limits.

None for this report.

- D. Employee concerns or allegations that any of the above failures may have occurred unless it is determined within the above five working days that the concern or allegation is not valid.

None for this report.

- E. Any other matter that the president, SFC, believes rises to a regulatory or safety concern that warrants NRC notification.

In February 1992, contamination was identified during preliminary surveys performed to evaluate radiological conditions at treated raffinate storage pond 3E. This condition was reported to the NRC on February 12, 1992 in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR 40.60. A written report regarding this condition was submitted to the NRC on March 13, 1992. A corrective action associated with this condition was to designate treated raffinate ponds 3E, 3W, 5, and 6 as a restricted area. Pond 3E was also designated as a controlled access area. Subsequent to review of more recent radiation surveys, the restricted area designation has been removed from ponds 3W, 5, and 6. Pond 3E continues to be designated as a controlled access area and a restricted area.