

October 17, 1996

Borden, Inc.
ATTN: Mr. Carl Weaver
Science and Technology Laboratory
990 Kingsmill Parkway
Columbus, OH 43229

Dear Mr. Weaver:

I am responding to your July 2, 1996, letter requesting a reduction in the FY 1996 annual fee assessed for License No. 34-08740-02 (Invoice AM2575-96). We acknowledge receipt of your \$800 payment, which is 50 percent of the amount billed.

The bases for your request are: 1) your laboratory closed and all analytical work ceased as of July 1995; 2) all licensed equipment was kept in storage and disposed of in February and March 1996; and 3) you requested termination of the license five months prior to the end of the fee period. As provided in 10 CFR 171.17, licenses for which termination requests or requests for possession only licenses are filed during the period October 1 through March 31 of the fiscal year are assessed one-half of the annual fee.

Your April 24, 1996, termination request was not timely filed for purposes of the 50 percent proration. However, based on the information you have provided, the NRC: 1) grants an extension of time to April 24, 1996, for purposes of the 50 percent proration of the FY 1996 annual fee; 2) acknowledges you permanently ceased licensed operations prior to March 31, 1996; and 3) acknowledges that License 34-08740-02 was terminated May 20, 1996, based on your April 24, 1996, request. Invoice No. AM2575-96 is considered paid in full.

Sincerely,

James M. Taylor
Executive Director
for Operations

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Date Received: 96/10/09 (v. late)		
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