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REQUESTER

Martha Siefert

PART I.—AGENCY RECORDS RELEASED OR NOT LOCATED (See check box(es))

No agency records subject to the request have been located.

No additional agency records subject to the request have been located.

Requested records are available through another public distribution program. See Comments section.

Agency records subject to the request that are identified in Appendix(es) _____ are already available for public inspection and copying at the NRC Public Document Room, 2120 L Street, N.W., Washington, DC.

☒ Agency records subject to the request that are identified in Appendix(es) B are being made available for public inspection and copying at the NRC Public Document Room, 2120 L Street, N.W., Washington, DC, in a folder under this FOIA number.

The nonproprietary version of the proposal(s) that you agreed to accept in a telephone conversation with a member of my staff is now being made available for public inspection and copying at the NRC Public Document Room, 2120 L Street, N.W., Washington, DC, in a folder under this FOIA number.

Agency records subject to the request that are identified in Appendix(es) _____ may be inspected and copied at the NRC Local Public Document Room identified in the Comments section.

Enclosed is information on how you may obtain access to and the charges for copying records located at the NRC Public Document Room, 2120 L Street, N.W., Washington, DC.

☒ Agency records subject to the request are enclosed. Appendix B and the releasable portions of Appendix C documents

Records subject to the request have been referred to another Federal agency(ies) for review and direct response to you. are enclosed.

Fees

You will be billed by the NRC for fees totaling \$ _____.

You will receive a refund from the NRC in the amount of \$ _____.

In view of NRC's response to this request, no further action is being taken on appeal letter dated _____, No. _____.

PART II. A—INFORMATION WITHHELD FROM PUBLIC DISCLOSURE

☒ Certain information in the requested records is being withheld from public disclosure pursuant to the exemptions described in and for the reasons stated in Part II, B, C, and D. Any released portions of the documents for which only part of the record is being withheld are being made available for public inspection and copying in the NRC Public Document Room, 2120 L Street, N.W., Washington, DC in a folder under this FOIA number.

COMMENTS

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INFORMATION ACT (FOIA) REQUEST
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PART II.B — APPLICABLE EXEMPTIONS

Records subject to the request that are described in the enclosed Appendix(es) C are being withheld in their entirety or in part under the Exemption No.(s) and for the reason(s) given below pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(b) and 10 CFR 9.17(a) of NRC regulations.

1. The withheld information is properly classified pursuant to Executive Order. (Exemption 1)

2. The withheld information relates solely to the internal personnel rules and procedures of NRC. (Exemption 2)

3. The withheld information is specifically exempted from public disclosure by statute indicated. (Exemption 3)

Sections 141-145 of the Atomic Energy Act, which prohibits the disclosure of Restricted Data or Formerly Restricted Data (42 U.S.C. 2161-2165).

Section 147 of the Atomic Energy Act, which prohibits the disclosure of Unclassified Safeguards Information (42 U.S.C. 2167).

4. The withheld information is a trade secret or commercial or financial information that is being withheld for the reason(s) indicated. (Exemption 4)

The information is considered to be confidential business (proprietary) information.

The information is considered to be proprietary information pursuant to 10 CFR 2.790(d)(1).

The information was submitted and received in confidence pursuant to 10 CFR 2.790(d)(2).

XX 5. The withheld information consists of interagency or intraagency records that are not available through discovery during litigation. (Exemption 5). Applicable Privilege:

XX Deliberative Process: Disclosure of predecisional information would tend to inhibit the open and frank exchange of ideas essential to the deliberative process. Where records are withheld in their entirety, the facts are inextricably intertwined with the predecisional information. There also are no reasonably segregable factual portions because the release of the facts would permit an indirect inquiry into the predecisional process of the agency.

Attorney work product privilege. (Documents prepared by an attorney in contemplation of litigation.)

Attorney-client privilege. (Confidential communications between an attorney and his/her client.)

6. The withheld information is exempted from public disclosure because its disclosure would result in a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. (Exemption 6)

7. The withheld information consists of records compiled for law enforcement purposes and is being withheld for the reason(s) indicated. (Exemption 7)

Disclosure could reasonably be expected to interfere with an enforcement proceeding because it could reveal the scope, direction, and focus of enforcement efforts, and thus could possibly allow recipients to take action to shield potential wrongdoing or a violation of NRC requirements from investigators. (Exemption 7 (A))

Disclosure would constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. (Exemption 7 (C))

The information consists of names of individuals and other information the disclosure of which could reasonably be expected to reveal identities of confidential sources. (Exemption 7 (D))

OTHER

PART II. C — DENYING OFFICIALS

Pursuant to 10 CFR 9.25(b) and/or 9.25(c) of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission regulations, it has been determined that the information withheld is exempt from production or disclosure, and that its production or disclosure is contrary to the public interest. The persons responsible for the denial are those officials identified below as denying officials and the Director, Division of Freedom of Information and Publications Services, Office of Administration, for any denials that may be appealed to the Executive Director for Operations (EDO).

DENYING OFFICIAL	TITLE/OFFICE	RECORDS DENIED	APPELLATE OFFICIAL		
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PART II. D — APPEAL RIGHTS

The denial by each denying official identified in Part II. C may be appealed to the Appellate Official identified there. Any such appeal must be made in writing within 30 days of receipt of this response. Appeals must be addressed, as appropriate, to the Executive Director for Operations, to the Secretary of the Commission, or to the Inspector General, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555, and should clearly state on the envelope and in the letter that it is an "Appeal from an Initial FOIA Decision."

APPENDIX B
RECORDS BEING RELEASED IN THEIR ENTIRETY

<u>NO.</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION/ (PAGE COUNT)</u>
1.	02/22/96	Listing of the files for Isotopes Specialties in California followed by detailed evaluations for three of the specific licenses (15 pages)
2.	02/23/96	E-mail to R. Bangart, et al., from P. Goldberg, Subject: Additional building found contaminated in Burbank, CA (1 page)
3.	03/01/96	E-mail to H. Chaney from P. Goldberg, Subject: Source material license for Isotopes Specialties (1 page)
4.	03/01/96	E-mail to R. Bangart, et al., from P. Goldberg, Subject: Update on Contamination at former Isotopes Specialties buildings (1 page)
5.	03/01/96	E-mail to F. Cameron from R. Bangart, Subject: Update on Contamination at former Isotopes Specialties buildings-Forwarded (1 page)
6.	03/06/96	E-mail to J. Hornor from R. Bangart, Subject: Isotopes Specialties Jurisdiction with attached e-mail to R. Bangart from H. Newsome, Subject: SDMP sites in Agreement States (2 pages)
7.	03/13/96	E-mail to F. Wenslawski from H. Chaney, Subject: Sample Results from 170 W. Providencia (1 page)
8.	04/30/96	E-mail to P. Goldberg from H. Chaney, Subject: Contaminated site in Los Angeles-Reply-Reply-Reply-Reply (1 page)

APPENDIX C
RECORDS BEING WITHHELD IN PART

<u>NO.</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION/(PAGE COUNT)/EXEMPTIONS</u>
1.	6/22/95	<p>Letter from Chairman Selin to the Honorable John Glenn, (1 page), released, with attachments:</p> <p>Enclosure: Responses to Senator Glenn Questions. (8 pages) Released.</p> <p>Attachment A: 5/19/95 - Recent Progress Overview. (1 page) Released</p> <p>Attachment B: Sites Scores, Regions I - V. (23 pages) Withheld, EX. 5</p> <p>Attachment C: Memo from James Taylor to the Commission, subject: Response to Staff Requirements - Briefing on Site Decommissioning Management Plan. (3 pages) Released.</p> <p>Attachment 1: Follow-up Questions for Agreement States. (1 page) Released</p> <p>Attachment 2: Office of State Programs Questions on Contaminated Sites. (1 page) Released</p> <p>Attachment 3: Agenda for Agreement State Site Decommissioning Management Program Workshop March 23, 1994. (1 page) Released</p> <p>11/18/93 memo from S. Chilk to J. Taylor, subject: Staff Requirements - Briefing on Site Decommissioning Management Plan. (1 page) Released</p> <p>Attachment D: 8/24/94 memo from J. Taylor to the Commission, subject: Agreement State Site Decommissioning Management Plans (SDMP) - Follow Up. (11 pages) Released</p>

Attachment E: 5/19/95 memo from J. Taylor to the Commission, subject: NRC Assistance in Agreement State Site Decommissioning Management Planning (SDMP). (7 pages)
Released

Attachment F: SDMP Federal Liability and Estimated Decommissioning Costs. (5 pages)
Released

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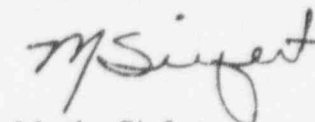
Dear Mr. Powell,

This letter is on behalf of Joseph Thomson, the current owner of the above captioned property. Pursuant to the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552, Mr. Thomson requests access to all records in conjunction with the above captioned property. Specifically, please provide information concerning any licenses issued and/or terminated by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, any documents produced in the review of the terminated license site under the authority of NUREG-1444 § 4.1.4, and any documents relating to the conclusions of the review pursuant to NUREG-1444 § 2.2.7.

If there are any fees for searching for or copying the records requested, please supply the records, and forward a bill with the records. If all or any part of this request is denied, please cite the specific exemption(s) which justify your refusal to release the information.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. I would appreciate your handling this request as quickly as possible, and I look forward to hearing from you within ten days, as the law stipulates.

Very truly yours,



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Russell Powell, Freedom of Information Act Officer
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