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Docket No. 030-01006
Control No. 03564

Slippery Rock University
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Gentlemen:

This is in reference to your request in a letter dated March 12, 1985 to amend License No. 37-13251-02. In order to continue our review, we need the following additional information:

1. Please note that your amendment request necessitates NRC to perform an environmental assessment of your proposed activities. In order to expedite this process please provide a brief discussion of:
 - (1) The need for the proposed action.
 - (2) Alternatives as required by section 102 (2)(E) of the National Environmental Protection Act
 - (3) The environmental impacts of the proposed action and alternatives as appropriate.

Upon completion of an environmental assessment, the appropriate NRC staff director will determine whether to prepare an environmental impact statement or a finding of no significant impact on the proposed action.

We will continue our review upon receipt of this information. Please reply in duplicate to my attention at the Region I office and refer to Mail Control No. 03564.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:
John E. Glenn

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