

MATERIALS LICENSE

Pursuant to the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, the Energy Reorganization Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-438), and Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, Chapter I, Parts 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 40 and 70, and in reliance on statements and representations heretofore made by the licensee, a license is hereby issued authorizing the licensee to receive, acquire, possess, and transfer byproduct, source, and special nuclear material designated below; to use such material for the purpose(s) and at the place(s) designated below; to deliver or transfer such material to persons authorized to receive it in accordance with the regulations of the applicable Part(s). This license shall be deemed to contain the conditions specified in Section 183 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, and is subject to all applicable rules, regulations and orders of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission now or hereafter in effect and to any conditions specified below.

Licensee

1. ASARCO Incorporated

3. License number 24-24503-01

2. P. O. Box 116

4. Expiration date June 30, 1990

Bunker, MO 63629

5. Docket or
Reference No. 030-286726. Byproduct, source, and/or
special nuclear material7. Chemical and/or physical
form8. Maximum amount that licensee
may possess at any one time
under this license

A. Cesium-137

A. Sealed sources
(Ohmart Model
A-2102)A. One source not
to exceed 100
millicuries

9. Authorized Use

A. To be used in an Ohmart Model SR-1A source holder for density measurements.

CONDITIONS

10. Licensed material shall be used only at licensee's facilities located at Route KK and Black River Crossing, Reynolds County, Missouri.

11. The licensee shall comply with the provisions of Title 10, Chapter 1, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 19, "Notices, Instructions and Reports to Workers; Inspections" and Part 20, "Standards for Protection Against Radiation."

12. A. Licensed material shall be used by, or under the supervision of, John D. Lepo or Manfred B. Parker.

B. The Radiation Protection Officer for the activities authorized by this license is Manfred B. Parker.

13. A. (1) Each sealed source shall be tested for leakage and/or contamination at intervals not to exceed three years. In the absence of a certificate from a transferor indicating that a test has been made within six months prior to the transfer, a sealed source received from another person shall not be put into use until tested.

(2) Notwithstanding the periodic leak test required by this condition, any licensed sealed source is exempt from such leak tests when the source contains 100 microcuries or less of beta and/or gamma emitting material or 10 microcuries or less of alpha emitting material.

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- B. The test shall be capable of detecting the presence of 0.005 microcurie of radioactive material on the test sample. The test sample shall be taken from the sealed source or from the surfaces of the device in which the sealed source is permanently mounted or stored on which one might expect contamination to accumulate. Records of leak test results shall be kept in units of microcuries and maintained for inspection by the Commission.
- C. If the test reveals the presence of 0.005 microcurie or more of removable contamination, the licensee shall immediately withdraw the sealed source from use and shall cause it to be decontaminated and repaired or to be disposed of in accordance with Commission regulations. A report shall be filed within five (5) days of the test with the U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region III, 799 Roosevelt Road, Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137, describing the equipment involved, the test results, and the corrective action taken.
- D. The licensee is authorized to collect leak test samples in accordance with the procedures described in the licensee's application dated May 3, 1985 for analysis by Ohmart Corporation. Alternatively, leak test samples may be collected and/or analyzed by other persons specifically authorized by the Commission or an Agreement State to perform such services.
14. Sealed sources containing licensed material shall not be opened or removed from their respective source holders by the licensee.
15. Installation, relocation, removal from service, maintenance, repair, and initial radiation survey of Ohmart gauge device containing licensed material shall be performed only by Manfred B. Parker or by persons under the direct supervision of Manfred B. Parker in accordance with application dated May 3, 1985, by the device manufacturer, or by other persons specifically authorized by the Commission or an Agreement State to perform such services. Installation, replacement, and disposal of sealed sources containing licensed material used in devices shall be performed only by the device manufacturer or by other persons specifically authorized by the Commission or an Agreement State to perform such services.
16. The licensee shall conduct a physical inventory every six (6) months to account for all sealed sources received and possessed under the license. The records of the inventories shall be maintained for two (2) years from the date of the inventory for inspection by the Commission, and shall include the quantities and kinds of byproduct material, manufacturer's name and model numbers, location of sealed sources and the date of the inventory.
17. The licensee shall operate each gauge within the manufacturer's specified temperature or other environmental limits such that the shielding and shutter mechanism of the source holder is not compromised.

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18. The licensee shall establish "lock-out" procedures to assure that prior to maintenance or repair in or around equipment to which licensed gauges are mounted, steps are taken to terminate the radiation beams, (e.g., "lock-out" shutters, placement of "beam stoppers," etc.) to prevent individuals from entering the radiation beam.
19. Except as specifically provided otherwise by this license, the licensee shall possess and use licensed material described in Items 6, 7, and 8 of this license in accordance with statements, representations, and procedures contained in application dated May 3, 1985, and letter dated May 31, 1985 (with attachment). The Nuclear Regulatory Commission's regulations shall govern the licensee's statements in applications or letters, unless the statements are more restrictive than the regulations.



For the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission

Original Signed

By George M. McCann

Materials Licensing Section, Region III

Date June 21, 1985

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