

May 8, 1997

Mr. James H. Miller  
Vice President, Production  
U. S. Enrichment Corporation  
2 Democracy Center  
6903 Rockledge Drive  
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SUBJECT: PORTSMOUTH CERTIFICATE AMENDMENT REQUEST - BUILDING X-705 AIR  
GAP SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENT WORD CHANGE - ACKNOWLEDGEMENT  
OF RECEIPT (TAC NO. L32029)

Dear Mr. Miller:

We have received your application to amend Certificate of Compliance GDP-2 transmitted by letter dated April 28, 1997, by changing the word "pressure" to "presence," in Surveillance Requirement 2.6.4.2.1 of the Portsmouth Technical Safety Requirements. Your request has been assigned TAC No. L32029. Please reference this number in any future correspondence associated with this request.

We have completed the initial administrative review of your application for amendment of your certificate. No omissions or deficiencies were identified, therefore, we have found it acceptable for formal review. Please note that the formal review may identify omissions in the submittal information or issues that require additional information.

Based on our administrative reviews and projection of current review schedules, we anticipate completing our review by July 28, 1997. This date could change depending on the findings of our formal review, urgent assignments, or other factors. We will promptly communicate any significant changes to this schedule.

A copy of your correspondence has been forwarded to our License Fee and Accounts Receivable Branch, Office of the Controller, who will contact you separately for billing if your request is subject to full cost recovery.

If you have questions, please contact me at (301) 415-8113.

Sincerely,

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Original Signed By

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Special Projects Branch  
Division of Fuel Cycle Safety  
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