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R. M. FRYAR, GROUP VICE PRESIDENT
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Mr. H. L. Price
Director of Regulation
U. S. Atomic Energy Commission
Washington, D. C. 20545

Dear Mr. Price:

During the past few weeks members of the Kerr-McGee Nuclear Division staff have met with members of your staff, and several formal amendments to our application for licenses for material for our Cimarron Plutonium Plant and our Sequoyah Conversion Plant have been submitted in answers to questions raised by your staff.

We have kept the Commission informed on the progress of the plants, we have submitted applications and answered questions on a timely basis, and we have made a major effort to furnish information and analyses on subjects such as tornado consequences and deep well disposal which you asked for in December of 1969.

I am hopeful that the information you now have is sufficient to allow you to issue our licenses. Both of the subject plants are now ready to start processing materials and each day that passes without a license for such processing is costing us the salaries of full operating staffs and the overhead of holding the plant in standby. In addition, our customers (Argonne National Laboratory for our Plutonium Plant, and commercial contracts for Sequoyah) are looking to us to perform under our contract.

I realize that your only interest is in the nuclear safety of the activities you license, but I am sure that you recognize our urgent need for early action.

Yours truly,

R. M. Fryar
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