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June 11, 1975



Mr. E. D. Flack
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Division of Materials and Fuel Cycle
Facility Licensing
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Flack:

Please refer to your letter of June 6, Paragraph 5, which was not adequately answered by our letter of June 5. A discussion of alternates for the plant expansion is attached as an insert to my letter of June 5, Page 17-A, and should be considered as an addition on Page 17-A just prior to the paragraph titled "Exemption".

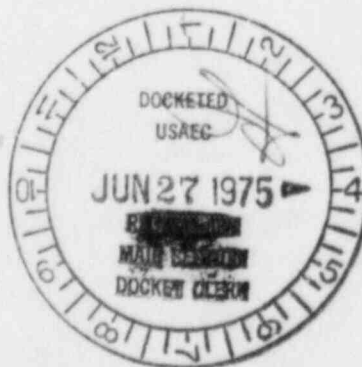
If there is additional or more detailed information you require, please let us know.

Sincerely yours,

W. J. Shelley
W. J. Shelley, Director
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ATTACHMENT

ADDITION TO LETTER OF JUNE 5 - W. J. SHELLEY TO R. B. CHITWOOD
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Alternates

Other alternates for this process enlargement of the existing plant has not been considered since the initial construction allowed space for the installation of some of the additional equipment required for the expansion.

The installation of alternate processes to the existing plant is not economically viable.

The quantity of increased demand projected for the years following 1978 is not believed to be an attractive investment opportunity for an alternate site in view of the probable pricing levels. The construction of a completely new plant with its attendant site development requirements would not be a desirable alternate.

Addition to Page 18, Paragraph 3

3. Exception allowed for the initial construction activities would not foreclose upon any alternates. Other alternates are not considered economically viable for expansion of current plant or alternate plant site.