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FOIA/PA REQUEST

Case No.: 2004-0234
Date Rec'd: 05-07-04
Specialist: Rambling
Related Case: _____

NRC Freedom of Information Act
and Privacy Act (FOIA/PA) Officer
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Mail Stop T6-D8
Washington, DC 20555-0001

RE: FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT REQUEST

Dear Sir or Madam:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, I am requesting any and all documents, including, but not limited to agency contracts, other contract-related documents, tolling agreements/arrangements, correspondence, memoranda, and notes of meetings, concerning the operation of, products produced by, and waste handling and disposal activities at the Hematite, Missouri, uranium fuels processing/fabrication facility.

At various times the following entities ran or were associated with the Hematite facility:

- Mallinckrodt Chemical Works (MCW) (1956-1958, 1960-1961)
- Mallinckrodt Nuclear Corporation (MNC), a subsidiary of Mallinckrodt Chemical Works (1959-1960)
- United Nuclear Corporation (UNC) (1961-1971)
- Gulf United Nuclear Fuels Corporation (GUNFC) (1971-1974)
- Gulf Nuclear Fuels Company (1974)
- General Atomics Company (1974)
- Combustion Engineering, Incorporated (CE) (1974-2001)
- Asea Brown Boveri (ABB)-Combustion Engineering Nuclear Power, Incorporated (1989-2001)
- ABB C-E Nuclear Power, Incorporated (1999-2001)
- Westinghouse Electric Company/Corporation (WEC) (2001-Present)

This includes, but is not limited to, any information regarding the Hematite facility's work on the following programs/reactors:

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- Argonne National Laboratory
- Bettis Atomic Power Laboratory (BAPL)
- BONUS Reactor
- Brookhaven National Laboratory
- Elk River Reactor
- Engineering Test Reactor (ETR)
- High Flux Beam Reactor at Brookhaven National Laboratory
- Kernreaktor
- Knolls Atomic Power Laboratory (KAPL)
- Materials Testing Reactor (MTR)
- Nuclear Engine for Rocket Vehicle Applications (NERVA)
- Pathfinder Nuclear Power Plant
- Project Rover
- USS *Bainbridge*
- USS *Robert E. Lee*
- NS *Savannah*
- Connecticut Yankee Atomic Power Station

This includes, but is not limited to, any information regarding the Hematite facility's work under the following licenses:

- Special Nuclear Materials License No. SNM-33
- Special Nuclear Materials License No. SNM-777
- SUE-6608
- SUE-6648
- SUE-6964
- SUE-6966
- SUE-7005
- SUE-7083
- SUE-7089
- SUE-7100
- SUE-7118
- SUE-7230
- SUE-7231
- SUE-7348
- SUE-7721
- SUE-7784
- XSNM-28
- XSNM-357
- XSNM-362
- XSNM-118
- XSNM-381
- XSNM-400
- XSNM-427
- XSNM-447
- XSNM-448
- XSNM-450

This includes, but is not limited to, any information regarding the Hematite facility's work under the following dockets:

- Docket 70-36 and/or 070000036
- Docket 70-820 and/or 070000820
- Docket 40-004962
- Docket 40-006326
- Docket 40-006952
- Docket 40-006953
- Docket 40-007018
- Docket 40-007025
- Docket 40-007145
- Docket 40-007151
- Docket 40-007166
- Docket 40-007188

- Docket 40-007329
- Docket 40-007330
- Docket 40-007355
- Docket 40-007478
- Docket 40-007973
- Docket 50-000290

We understand the following collections located at the Washington National Records Center in Suitland, Maryland, may contain relevant documents:

- **Accession 431-01-2714**
Box 38
F:/ 70-000036 Unknown (United Nuclear Corporation, Chem. Div.)
- **Accession 431-01-1640**
Box 2 (Combustion Engineering)
Box 3 (70-000036; SNM-33)
Box 4 (Gulf United Nuclear)
Boxes 13-17 (NS Savannah)
- **Accession 431-01-2141**
Box 3 (Combustion Engineering)
Box 15 (Mallinckrodt Chemical Works)
- **Accession 431-01-1218**
Box 34
F:/ UNC, St. Louis (Hematite)
- **Accession 431-01-1216**
Box 11
F:/ Combustion Engineering Inc. 7/74-8/83
- **Accession 431-01-1279**
Box 5 (F:/ 40-007166; SUE-7100; United Nuclear Corporation)
Box 9 (F:/ 40-007973; SUE-7721; United Nuclear Corporation, Commercial Products Division, Route)
Box 10 (F:/ 40-000000; SUE-7784; United Nuclear Corporation, Commercial Products Division, Route)
- **Accession 431-03-0275**
Box 1 (F:/ 70-000036 SNM-33; Combustion Engineering Inc.; License Termination)
- **Accession 431-04-0072**
Box 1 (F:/ XSNM-28 United Nuclear Corporation - expired 10/31/69)
Box 2 (F:/ XSNM-357 Gulf United Nuclear Fuels Corporation - expired 12/1/73)
Box 2 (F:/ XSNM-362 Gulf Energy & Environmental Systems Co. - expired 1/1/74)

Box 2 (F:/ XSNM-118 United Nuclear Corporation - expired 1/31/71)
Box 3 (F:/ XSNM-381 Gulf United Nuclear Fuels Corporation - 2/1/74)
Box 3 (F:/ XSNM-400 Gulf United Nuclear Fuels Corporation - expired 5/1/74)
Box 3 (F:/ XSNM-427 Gulf United Nuclear Fuels Corporation - expired 9/1/74)
Box 3 (F:/ XSNM-447 Gulf United Nuclear Fuels Corporation - expired 10/1/74)
Box 3 (F:/ XSNM-448 Gulf United Nuclear Fuels Corporation - expired 11/20/74)
Box 3 (F:/ XSNM-450 Gulf United Nuclear Fuels Corporation - expired 10/1/74)

- **Accession 431-03-0100**

Boxes 1-3 (United Nuclear Corporation, Docket No. 70-820, SNM-777)

- **Accession 431-02-0579**

Box 4 (F:/ 70-000820, SNM-777, United Nuclear Corporation, Hematite, MO)

Box 7 (F:/ UNC Annual Financial Report 1964)

Box 7 (F:/ General Information & Procedures Manual - 9/15/1964)

Box 7 (F:/ Health Physics Manual - 9/15/1964)

Box 7 (F:/ UNC 1966 Annual Financial Report 2/3/67)

Box 7 (F:/ Procedure Manual for Control of Source and Special Nuclear Materials
5/10/67)

Box 7 (F:/ Procedure Manual for Control of Source and Special Nuclear Materials -
7/5/67)

Box 7 (F:/ UNC 1968 Annual Financial Report - 1/1/69)

Box 7 (F:/ General Information and Procedures Applicable to the Handling of Special
Nuclear Material Books 1 and 2 - 10/21/68)

Boxes 4 - 10 (All folders on 70-000820, SNM-777)

- **Accession 431-03-0013**

Boxes 1-14 (High-Level, Low-Level, and Uranium Recovery Docket Files; United
Nuclear Corporation)

- **Accession 431-02-0477**

Box 1 (Nuclear Power Plant Docket Files (Gulf Nuclear Fuels Corporation License
Terminated 6/25/1974))

- **Accession 431-86-080 (Commission's Decisional License Docket Files)**

Box 145 (F:/ United Nuclear Corporation Docket No. 50-290; Related Correspondence
Volume 1)

- **Accession 431-93-018 (Nuclear Reactor Project Files)**

Box 8 (All Combustion Engineering Folders)

- **Accession 431-93-014** (Program Correspondence Files)
Box 37 (F:/ T-3 Transportation (Jacket) Transportation of Radioactive Materials in Missouri)

- **Accession 431-97-011** (Nuclear Power Docket Files)
Boxes 1-8 (N.S. Savannah, 50-238)

- **Accession 431-97-245** (Nuclear Power Plant Docket Files)
Boxes 1-8 (N.S. Savannah, 50-238)

- **Accession 431-01-784** (Fuel Facilities, Transportation, Byproduct, Source and Special Nuclear Material Docket Files)
Box 81 (F:/ 24-5804-1 Mallinckrodt Chemical Works)

- **Accession 431-01-775** (Fuel Facilities, Transportation, Byproduct, Source and Special Nuclear Material Docket Files)
Box 3 (F:/ 70-000013, SNM-12, United Nuclear Corporation)
Box 14 (F:/ 40-002859, S-4864, Mallinckrodt Chemical Works)
Box 14 (F:/ 40-002884, S-4834, Mallinckrodt Chemical Works)
Box 14 (F:/ 40-002903, S-4843, Mallinckrodt Chemical Works)
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Box 22 (F:/ 40-007188, SUE-7118, United Nuclear Corp., Chemical Operations,
Hematite)
Box 23 (F:/ 40-000476, D-217, Mallinckrodt Chemical Works)
Box 23 (F:/ 40-000476, S-3912, Mallinckrodt Chemical Works)
Box 24 (F:/ 40-0001871, S-4400, Mallinckrodt Chemical Works)
Box 25 (F:/ 40-0005891, S-6387, Mallinckrodt Nuclear Corporation)
Box 27 (F:/ 40-000568, D-217, Mallinckrodt Chemical Works)
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Box 87 (F:/ 40-000745, D-217, Mallinckrodt Chemical Works)
Box 87 (F:/ 40-000745, S-4023, Mallinckrodt Chemical Works)

Please review these and any other potentially relevant records held at federal records centers or retained by your offices or those of your contractors for documents responsive to my request.

HAI also requests copies of any and all Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) requests submitted to NRC that requested similar documents or information pertaining to the Hematite, Missouri, facility, as well as copies of all responsive documents to these requests. This could include, but is not limited to, the following types of records: the letter of request, the letter of response, notes and correspondence compiled by NRC during the search for responsive materials, a list of responsive documents, and all responsive documentation.

To the extent that any relevant documents are classified, I request that you declassify and/or sanitize the documents for our review. If there are classified documents that you will not declassify and/or sanitize, I request that you identify any and all such documents by listing date, author, recipient(s), and unclassified subject matter. I would also appreciate receiving any materials you can release as soon as possible rather than waiting for all the responsive documents to clear your review process.

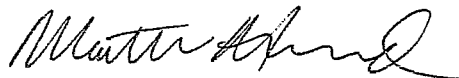
I recognize that the volume of records responsive to this request may be large. In the past, NRC and other federal agencies have permitted HAI researchers to assist in the review of files referenced in FOIA requests. In cases where potentially relevant records are maintained as part of security classified collections, HAI researchers with appropriate security clearances have been granted "need-to-know" access by appropriate government officials. This approach has proven cost-effective for all parties concerned. It allows HAI to identify a limited number of responsive documents to be copied, thereby reducing the amount of time required by NRC to review and process documents for release and avoiding a time-consuming item-by-item examination of

requested boxes by NRC. Please contact me as soon as possible concerning the feasibility of this arrangement in this instance.

We agree to pay all reasonable and standard processing fees authorized by 5 U.S.C. § 552 (a)(4)(A) and the applicable regulations up to \$100. If the fees will exceed this amount, please call me for further authorization.

Please contact me at (301) 279-9697 if more information is needed to process the above request. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,



Matthew S. Hammel
Historian

MSH/gm