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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Mr. Timothy E. Harris
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RE: RESPONSE TO NRC REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION DATED OCTOBER 19, 1999

Dear Mr. Harris:

In response to the Commission's request for additional information and the joint meeting between the Staff and Cabot on December 15, 1999, Cabot respectfully submits the following documents for the Reading, Pennsylvania slag pile:

- Decommissioning Plan, Revision 1, March 2000
- Radiological Assessment, Revision 1, March 2000

This revision addresses the Staff's comments regarding the justification of the resident gardener scenario, potential groundwater pathways, and the evaluation of the Right of Way area (toe of slope). If you have any questions or comments regarding the above, please contact me at (610) 369-8520.

Best Regards,

CABOT PERFORMANCE MATERIALS

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Attachments

cc: MO'Neill (w/o attachments)

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