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FOR THE MADISON SITE**
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Mr. William A. Barnes, Sr.
President and C.E.O.
Spectrulite Consortium, Inc.
College and Weaver Streets
Madison, Illinois 62060

Dear Mr. Barnes:

This is to provide you with the status of our review of data from the survey of your facility. As you know, the purpose to the survey was to determine if any residual uranium remains in your building as a result of the processing of uranium for the Atomic Energy Commission in the 1950's. Based on our review of preliminary results, we have concluded that the floors, equipment, and walls on your building will require no remedial action with regard to uranium processed for the Department's predecessor agency. The only place where uranium was detected was in some dust on beams above the area used for uranium extrusion. The levels are low and pose no hazard to the workers. However, we are presently reviewing the data to determine if the concentrations of uranium in the dust require that we remove it or if it is already as low as is reasonably achievable.

In either case, we have determined that the dust does contain uranium and if any additional action is required to remove it, the Department of Energy does have the authority to take the action. If removal is necessary, it will be completed under our Formerly Utilized Sites Remedial Action Program and will be funded by the Department of Energy.

Our current schedule calls for completion of the draft survey report in the next 3 months, and we will have a final determination on any need for additional action at that time. If you have any questions regarding the site or our plans, please call me at 301-353-2802.

Sincerely,

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