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DATE: January 15, 1986
TO: Tom Winder
FROM: Skip Wallace *gwf*
SUBJECT: HAZARDOUS WASTE STREAMS AT CPP

Enclosed are the sorting forms for your lab packs. I'll get the paperwork for your other wastes to you soon.

I've also enclosed USPCI's Lab Pack Guidelines for your reading pleasure. USPCI's methods of lab chemical packing and approvals are a little different than Chem Security's.

- 0 The packing medium must be either pozzolanic fly ash or portland-type cement powder. The cement is available out of EG&G Stores Stock as # 01-00166 and costs about \$4.50 a bag. Pozzolanic (silica-based) fly ash might be available at your coal fired steam plant if there's a precipitator on the exhaust gas system. We can no longer use vermiculite as a lab packing medium.
- 0 USPCI wants to "pre-approve" the way lab chemicals are sorted, so it's important to pack your drums the way the chemicals are sorted on the enclosed sheets. If they are packed differently, we'll have to get the lab packs re-approved.
- 0 Use the enclosed "packing lists" when you pack the drums. Put a copy of the lists on the drums in a packing list holder, and keep a copy handy to attach to the manifest when the lab pack is shipped. Also, could you burn a copy for me, please?

In regards to the dirt contaminated with mercury, the disposal site will not accept wastes with the U151 waste code number. Their opinion (and mine) is that the material spilled was not elemental mercury, but oxides or chlorides in the paint. This would make the cleanup material a legitimate D009 waste, and the site will take that. I know it's a hassle, but would you please consider changing the labels on your drums to "Hazardous Waste Solid, n.o.s." and D009?

Thank you for your cooperation.

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Enclosures:
As Stated

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