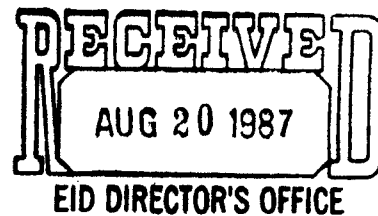


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HAZARDOUS WASTE SECTION

Dear Mr. Burkhart:

The following items on the Public Notice Fact Sheet for TA-3-102 dated August 16, 1987 need to be changed to correct and clarify the record.

**COMMENTS ON FACT SHEET FOR TA-3-102**

Page 1, Facility Name: Change "TA-3-102 Magazine" to "TA-3-102 Container Storage Area."

Page 1, Introduction, Paragraph 2, Line 4: Change "storage unit" to "storage area." Unit implies a discrete facility while this area is limited to a corner of a room in Building 102.

Page 2, Reasons Supporting Decision To Change TA-3-102 To Short Term Storage, Paragraph 2 Line 2 and Paragraph 2, Line 1: Add "container storage area" after TA-3-102. This will clarify that only the container storage area is involved and not the whole building.

Paragraph 2, Line 2: Delete first "waste."

Page 3, Interim Status Activities, Paragraph 1, Lines 2 & 3: Delete sentence "Area TA-3's primary...(HE) components." This is an untrue statement.

Line 4: After "Area 3 Building 102" insert "container storage area." Same reason as above.

Line 4: Delete "and contaminated" after LiH. Clarifies that the only hazardous waste concern is the lithium hydride.

Sincerely,

  
Harold E. Valencia  
Area Manager

