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Mr. Ralph R. DeFeo
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Dear Mr. DeFeo:

Thank you for your letter of November 12, 1992, requesting an update, if any, of our position regarding your intention to purchase existing compressed gas cylinders from Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL) and process the hazardous residues removed from these cylinders at your Pennsylvania facility.

The position taken in our July 1, 1991, letter to you has not changed. We understand that you intend to reuse the purchased cylinders in a manner consistent with a permit you have for such activities, issued by the State of Pennsylvania. We do not believe that such reuse triggers RCRA solid waste regulation.

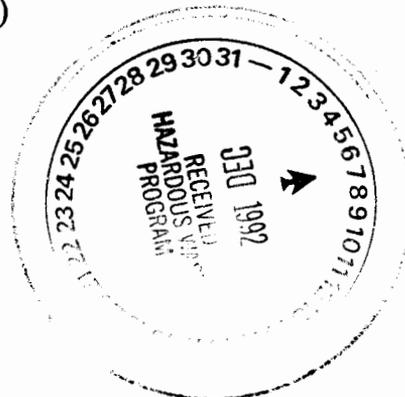
Should you have any further questions regarding this issue, please contact Mr. Joseph Schultes, of my staff at (214) 655-2192.

Sincerely yours,

Allyn M Davis

Allyn M. Davis, Director
Hazardous Waste Management Division (6H)

cc: EPA Region 3 (Mary Letzkus) (3HW-62)
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