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August 2, 2007

Docket No. 03034587 License No. 52-25415-01

Control No. 140866

Serafin Sousa, Jr.
President
Delta Consulting Engineers of the Caribbean, Inc.
239 Calle Almirante Pinzon
Urb. El Vedado
San Juan, Puerto Rico 00918-3221

SUBJECT: DELTA CONSULTING ENGINEERS OF THE CARIBBEAN, INC., LICENSE

AMENDMENT, CONTROL NO. 140866

Dear Mr. Sousa:

This refers to your license amendment request. Enclosed with this letter is the amended license.

Please review the enclosed document carefully and be sure that you understand and fully implement all the conditions incorporated into the amended license. If there are any errors or questions, please notify the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region I Office, Licensing Assistance Team, (610) 337-5239, so that we can provide appropriate corrections and answers.

An environmental assessment for this action is not required, since this action is categorically excluded under 10 CFR 51.22(c)(14).

Current NRC regulations and guidance are included on the NRC's website at www.nrc.gov; select Nuclear Materials; Medical, Academic, and Industrial Uses of Nuclear Material; then Regulations, Guidance, and Communications. You may also obtain these documents by contacting the Government Printing Office (GPO) toll-free at 1-866-512-1800. The GPO is open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. EST, Monday through Friday (except Federal holidays).

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Original signed by Jenny Johansen
Jenny Johansen
Health Physicist
Materials Security and Industrial Branch
Division of Nuclear Materials Safety

Enclosure: Amendment No. 3 cc:

Carlos Sousa, Radiation Safety Officer

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MATERIALS LICENSE

Pursuant to the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, the Energy Reorganization Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-438), and Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, Chapter I, Parts 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 39, 40, and 70, and in reliance on statements and representations heretofore made by the licensee, a license is hereby issued authorizing the licensee to receive, acquire, possess, and transfer byproduct, source, and special nuclear material designated below; to use such material for the purpose(s) and at the place(s) designated below; to deliver or transfer such material to persons authorized to receive it in accordance with the regulations of the applicable Part(s). This license shall be deemed to contain the conditions specified in Section 183 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, and is subject to all applicable rules, regulations, and orders of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission now or hereafter in effect and to any conditions specified below.

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- 1. Delta Consulting Engineers of the Caribbean, Inc.
- 2. 239 Calle Almirante Pinzon Urb. El Vedado

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In accordance with the letter dated July 24, 2007,

- 3. License number 52-25415-01is amended in its entirety to read as follows:
- 4. Expiration date December 31, 2007
- 5. Docket No. 030-34587 Reference No.

- 6. Byproduct, source, and/or special nuclear material
- A. Cesium 137

B. Americium 241

- 7. Chemical and/or physical form
- A. Sealed sources (Troxler Dwg. A-102112).
- B. Sealed neutron sources (Troxler Dwg. A-102451 or C-106580).

- Maximum amount that licensee may possess at any one time under this license
- A. 18 millicuries total. No single source to exceed the maximum activity specified in the certificate of registration issued by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission or an Agreement State
- B. 88 millicuries total. No single source to exceed the maximum activity specified in the certificate of registration issued by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission or an Agreement State

- 9. Authorized use:
 - A. and B. To be used, for measuring physical properties of materials, in Troxler Electronics Laboratories 3400 Series portable gauging devices that have been registered either with the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission under 10 CFR 32.210 or with an Agreement State pursuant to equivalent regulations.

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CONDITIONS

10. Licensed material may be used or stored at the licensee's facilities located at 239 Calle Almirante Pinzon, Urb. El Vedado, San Juan, Puerto; PR Highway 19, Km 0.4, Guaynabo, PR and may be used or stored at temporary job sites of the licensee anywhere in the United States where the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission maintains jurisdiction for regulating the use of licensed material, including areas of exclusive Federal jurisdiction within Agreement States.

If the jurisdiction status of a Federal facility within an Agreement State is unknown, the licensee should contact the Federal agency controlling the job site in question to determine whether the proposed job site is an area of exclusive Federal jurisdiction. Authorization for use of radioactive materials at job sites in Agreement States not under exclusive Federal jurisdiction shall be obtained from the appropriate state regulatory agency.

- 11. A. Licensed material shall be used by, or under the supervision and in the physical presence of, Carlos Sousa, or individuals who have successfully completed the manufacturer's training program for gauge users, have received copies of, and training in, the licensee's operating and emergency procedures, and have been designated in writing by the Radiation Safety Officer
 - B. The Radiation Safety Officer for this license is Carlos Sousa.
- 12. A. Sealed sources shall be tested for leakage and/or contamination at intervals not to exceed the intervals specified in the certificate of registration issued by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission under 10 CFR 32.210 or under equivalent regulations of an Agreement State.
 - B. In the absence of a certificate from a transferor indicating that a leak test has been made within the intervals specified in the certificate of registration issued by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission under 10 CFR 32.210 or under equivalent regulations of an Agreement State, prior to the transfer, a sealed source received from another person shall not be put into use until tested and the test results received.
 - C. Sealed sources need not be tested if they are in storage and are not being used; however, when they are removed from storage for use or transferred to another person and have not been tested within the required leak test interval, they shall be tested before use or transfer. No sealed source shall be stored for a period of more than 10 years without being tested for leakage and/or contamination.
 - D. The leak test shall be capable of detecting the presence of 185 becquerels (0.005 microcurie) of radioactive material on the test sample. If the test reveals the presence of 185 becquerels or more of removable contamination, a report shall be filed with the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission in accordance with 10 CFR 30.50(c)(2), and the source shall be removed immediately from service and decontaminated, repaired, or disposed of in accordance with Commission regulations.

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- E. Tests for leakage and/or contamination, limited to leak test sample collection, shall be performed by the licensee or by other persons specifically licensed by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission or an Agreement State to perform such services. The licensee is not authorized to perform the analysis; analysis of leak test samples must be performed by persons specifically licensed by U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission or an Agreement State to perform such services.
- F. Records of leak test results shall be kept in units of microcuries and shall be maintained for 5 years.
- 13. Sealed sources or detector cells containing licensed material shall not be opened or sources removed from source holders by the licensee.
- 14. The licensee shall conduct a physical inventory every six months, or at other intervals approved by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, to account for all sources and/or devices received and possessed under the license. Records of inventories shall be maintained for 5 years from the date of each inventory and shall include the radionuclides, quantities, manufacturer's name and model numbers, and the date of the inventory.
- 15. Each portable nuclear gauge shall have a lock or outer locked container designed to prevent unauthorized or accidental removal of the sealed source from its shielded position. The gauge or its container must be locked when in transport or storage, or when not under the direct surveillance of an authorized user.
- 16. Except for maintaining labeling as required by 10 CFR Part 20 or 71, the licensee shall obtain authorization from NRC before making any changes in the sealed source, device, or source-device combination that would alter the description or specifications as indicated in the respective Certificates of Registration issued by the Commission pursuant to 10 CFR 32.210 or an equivalent Agreement State regulation.
- 17. Any cleaning, maintenance, or repair of the gauges that requires detaching the source or source rod from the gauge shall be performed only by the manufacturer or by other persons specifically licensed by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission or an Agreement State to perform such services.
- 18. The licensee is authorized to transport licensed material in accordance with the provisions of 10 CFR Part 71, "Packaging and Transportation of Radioactive Material."
- 19. In addition to the possession limits in Item 8, the licensee shall further restrict the possession of licensed material to quantities below the minimum limit specified in 10 CFR 30.35(d) for establishing decommissioning financial assurance.

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20. Except as specifically provided otherwise in this license, the licensee shall conduct its program in accordance with the statements, representations, and procedures contained in the documents, including any enclosures, listed below. The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's regulations shall govern unless the statements, representations, and procedures in the licensee's application and correspondence are more restrictive than the regulations.

A. Application dated November 3, 1997 ML061020576
B. Letter dated December 1, 1997 ML061020577
C. Letter dated June 21, 2004 ML041730341
D. Letter dated March 10, 2006 ML060810370
E. Letter dated July 24, 2007 ML072130291



For the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission

Date August 2, 2007 By Original signed by Jenny Johansen

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