

Attachment 2

From: [REDACTED]
Subject: Further Data for [REDACTED]
Date: October 28, 2005 3:37:33 PM EDT
To: [REDACTED]

Hello [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] and I have tried very hard to find you a copy of all the data that we can find regarding the [REDACTED]. Due to the nature of the project, all the data that we can find are found in the various papers that you have access to, as well as a masters' thesis of [REDACTED], who did some of the analytical work on the project. We are attaching a copy of her thesis (without acknowledgement page nor most appendices), as this is the most complete record of the data that were available from the project.

[REDACTED] states that while [REDACTED], only the samples reported in [REDACTED] thesis were usable. The reasons for rejecting some of the data was [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] notes that there were several instances of [REDACTED] error that led to various [REDACTED] being processed in such a way that the [REDACTED] were not [REDACTED] that made these data unusable.

Many of [REDACTED] were rejected on visual inspection, later confirmed by a comparison of the [REDACTED]. The usable data had [REDACTED]. Table [REDACTED] on p. [REDACTED] of the thesis summarizes some of the rejected data. We are including pages [REDACTED] of the thesis (apologies for the size of the attachment - each page had to be scanned individually in colour), as well as figure [REDACTED] of the thesis. We are not sending all of the thesis pages due to timing and the effort involved in scanning. If you require any further information we can arrange to have the entire thesis photocopied and sent to you, however, this will take some time.

Please let me know if this information is sufficient for your needs or if you require anything further from us.

Yours truly,

[REDACTED]
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