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1. REF PARA 4C INDICATED EXTENSIVE DENDRITIC STATIC DISCHARGE ON MISSION 1029. A POTENTIAL CONTRIBUTING FACTOR IN GENERATING A STATIC CHARGE IS THE TEMPERATURE OF THE FILM AT THE TIME OF SPICING. COLD FILM IS MORE PRONE TO GENERATE STATIC.

2. [REDACTED] REQUESTS THAT THE TEMPERATURE OF THE FILM SHIPMENT BE MONITORED. THE TEMPERATURE AT WHICH OPERATIONS AT [REDACTED] ARE PERFORMED IS 72F. [REDACTED] PROPOSES TO INSURE THAT THE FILM TEMPERATURE IS NEAR THIS VALUE BEFORE PRE-SPICING OPERATIONS ARE BEGUN. FILM SHIPMENT NEAR THIS TEMPERATURE WILL MINIMIZE TIME REQUIRED FOR EQUILIBRATING TEMPERATURES.

3. [REDACTED] ALSO REQUESTS A RECOVERY VEHICLE, COMPLETE WITH TAKE UP SPOOLS TO BE USED FOR TEST WORK IN EVALUATING HANDLING OPERATIONS WHICH WILL MINIMIZE OR ELIMINATE CAUSES FOR STATIC DISCHARGE.

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