
CONVERSATION RECORD

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SUBJECT

Control No. 315402: Re request to add an on-line alternative for training moisture/density gauge users (exclusive of "hands on training") utilizing a Portable Nuclear Moisture/Density Gauge Training Course prepared by American Technical Institute, LLP, 5827 Noble Stand Street, Las Vegas, NV 89148, for License No. 13-17732-01.

SUMMARY

In our telephone conversation, we discussed that if the licensee wishes to proceed with the proposed alternative training for portable gauge users then current License Condition 12, which pertains to required training for gauge users will need to be replaced in its entirety. Also, the need for providing the following information was discussed:

1. Confirm that you wish to retain as one option the alternative of using a portable gauge manufacturer's training course for gauge users.
2. Please confirm that you as the RSO will provide the "hands on training" portion of the on-line gauge user training and specify which sections of the Course Content (as listed in Appendix D of NUREG-1556, Vol. 1, Rev. 1) this training will entail and specify the minimum amount of time employed with this portion of the training. Note that if you intend that someone else will do the "hands on training" please provide their name and information supporting their training/experience showing that they meet the Course Instructor Qualifications in Appendix D of NUREG-1556, Vol. 1, Rev. 1.
3. Confirm that the "hands on training" will, among other subjects, include: 1) your operating and emergency procedures; 2) gauge routine maintenance procedures including cleaning and lubrication procedures; 3) the two independent physical controls used by you as the licensee, to secure the gauge from unauthorized removal; and 4) a review of all conditions on your NRC license.
4. Confirm that the on-line course **plus** the "hands on training" portion of the gauge user training will cover all topics listed under Course Content (as listed in Appendix D of NUREG-1556, Vol. 1, Rev. 1) and that trainees will not be designated by the licensee as authorized portable gauge users until both the on-line course and the "hands on training" have been successfully completed and documented in licensee records.
5. The following additions/modifications should be made (and submitted) to the on line training material:
 - A. Provide a diagram of a gauge, at or near the beginning of the course showing the approximate location of both sources in a portable gauge.
 - B. Include a brief discussion of contamination and its likely source, i.e., a damaged gauge.
 - C. In Training Course dated April 21, 2006, under section titled "Storage and Security", the second sentence should be modified to state that a "double lock system" is required, not preferred.
6. For the "closed book test" problem involving the inverse square law, the answer as to the exposure at point "B" would be 3.3 "mrem", not "feet". Please correct.

7. Please provide a copy of the certificate that will be used to show successful completion of the course following obtaining a passing grade on the closed book test. This certificate should include a clarification statement that the on-line course did not include required "hands-on training". Further, the "hands on training" must be completed and certified, in writing, by a qualified instructor before a trainee may be authorized to use or supervise the use of portable gauges under an NRC or Agreement State licensed program.

8. Please confirm that upon successful completion of the on line training course, the trainee will be provide a printed copy of the training course (excluding the written test) for future review and reference.

ACTION REQUIRED

Licensee to provide written response to above requested information as additional information to Control No. 315402. The additions/modifications in response to Items 5., 6., and 7. may either be in the form of inserted and/or revised pages or as a total replacement for the proposed on-line training program. Please send response to me by facsimile (630-515-1259). No follow-up hard copy is needed. If any questions, please call me at 630-829-9829.

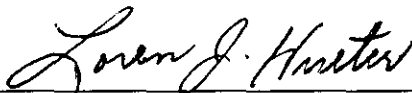
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