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August 27, 2003

Ms. Marie Stoeckel, Chief  
Division of Occupational and Radiological  
Health  
Department of Health  
3 Capitol Hill, Room 206  
Providence, RI 02908-5097

Dear Ms. Stoeckel:

Enclosed is the exam for a member of your staff who attended the following course:

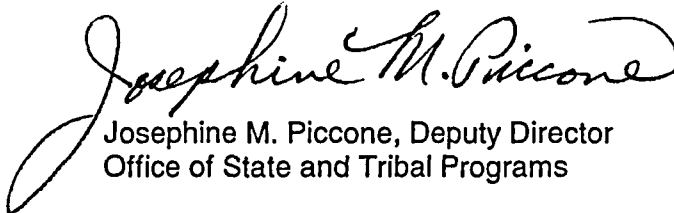
Introductory Health Physics Course (H-117)  
Rockville, Maryland - July 14-18, 2003

The course examination results indicate that the individual did not meet the minimum standard for successful completion of the course, which is a grade of 70%. The NRC policy on successful completion of NRC training for Agreement States was sent to you by letter dated November 20, 1996 (SP-96-118). For your information, NRC does not consider its staff qualified until, at a minimum, the exams for required courses are successfully completed. Non-qualified NRC staff are not permitted to conduct independent inspections and license reviews in areas where they have not successfully complete the minimum training requirements.

One final re-examination may be given to a student for any given course. Any student who fails a re-examination must repeat the course to satisfy the training requirement.

The subject course can be successfully completed by attendance at a future course presentation and passing the examination. If you need additional information, please contact me at 301-415-2326 or Brenda Usilton at 301-415-2348.

Sincerely,

  
Josephine M. Piccone, Deputy Director  
Office of State and Tribal Programs

Enclosure:  
Course Exam

cc: Shelley J. Regan