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**Subject: Reply to a Notice of Violation; NRC Inspection Report 030-38893/2019-001**

Dear Patricia:

I am writing regarding Metals Testing Services, Inc. violation. Below I have listed the reason, corrective steps to this point, steps to be taken and the date for compliance.

1. **Reason for the Violation:** Metals Testing Services, Inc. did not notify the NRC of the transfer of ownership from (Dennis Ficek to Mark Ficek) on 12.10.2017. This was a violation of 10 CFR 30.34(b)(1). This omission was discovered during the NRC audit on 7.10.2019. An email was sent to the NRC by (Mark Ficek) notifying that the ownership was transferred from (Mark Ficek to Brittany Ficek).
2. **Corrective steps have been taken:** The corrective steps taken to this point have been to reply to the Notice of Violation (3.23.2020). To identify the current ownership (**Brittany Ficek as of 7.10.2019**). And to notify the NRC of the transfer of ownership (3.23.2020).
3. **Corrective steps to be taken:** I am sending an amendment request to the NRC (3.23.2020) in addition to the; **Reply to a Notice of Violation**.
4. **Date for full compliance:** The date for full compliance is 3.23.2020.

Please contact me with any questions.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael A. Price".

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