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Gary L. Shear, Chief  
Nuclear Materials Inspection  
Section 2  
Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
799 Roosevelt Road  
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

RE: License No. 24-26270-91, Docket No. 030-32039

Dear Mr. Shear:

Reference is made to your letter dated May 5, 1992 concerning the safety inspection of our nuclear density testing machine conducted by Sam Mulay on April 16, 1992. Your letter requires a written response to the violations with which we were cited.

1. After talking with Mr. Mulay concerning the violation for the June 28, 1991 incident, we were instructed to call a 1-800 number to report the incident. After being referred to several offices, we were directed to Ernest Ludders, a federal program specialist with the U.S. Department of Transportation in Jefferson City. Mr. Ludders felt it was not necessary for us to file a form DOT 5800-1 as required in 10 CFR 171.15. He also felt it was not necessary for a form MCS 50-T to be filed.
2. With regard to our failure to perform a leak test at six month intervals, we were acting under advice from Brainard-Killman, the manufacturer for our nuclear density machine. They advised that we were to perform the first leak test one year after their test, and then every six months thereafter. We have since performed a leak test as suggested by Mr. Mulay and will perform one every six months as required by our license.

If you have any questions regarding this information, feel free to contact our office.

Sincerely,

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