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Dear Mr. Davis:

I am writing to you to correct the areas of question you addressed to me in your letter of March.

Item 1. We do not possess a unit for calibration of survey meters. At the present time all our survey meters are calibrated at Tech/Ops in Burlington, Ma. This procedure was written so as if we wanted to calibrate our own survey meters we would be able to if we obtained the appropriate license.

Item 2. Upon my conversation with Mr. Davis, I have corrected our safety manual to read $\pm 10\%$ of actual values of the range of the survey meter. Included with this letter is the corrected revision.

Item 3. The name Lehigh has been eliminated from our Safety manual and has been replaced with our company initials. The corrected revision has been included.

Item 4. The sample examination questions 26, 39 and 48 did have incorrect answers. These have been amended and the corrected revision is also included.

Item 5. At the present time, we have a state approved permanent x-ray facility. This facility in the past year has been used only once for gamma ray radiography. The room was then used as a temporary field site and all radiography was completed at night with only the radiographer present and all necessary safeguards in place. At the present time, we are in the planning stage of a new facility and hope to be completed by August. It is our desire that this new facility will accommodate all the necessary safeguards to perform gamma radiography.

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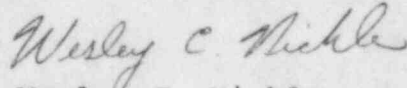
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I sincerely hope I have answered all the areas of uncertainty you may have had concerning our license renewal. Should you have any further questions, please feel free to contact me.

Very truly yours,

MASSACHUSETTS MATERIALS RESEARCH, INC.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Wesley C. Nickle".

Wesley C. Nickle
NDT Manager

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