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Professional Service Industries, Inc.
ATTN: James E. Ahlberg
Chief Executive Officer

510 East 22nd Street
Lombard, Illinois 60148

Dear Mr. Ahlberg:

Subject: Special Inspection No. 030-05985/93-001

On February 1 and 2, 1993, Duncan White of this office conducted a special safety inspection at the Medusa Cement Company in Wampum, Pennsylvania and at the Pittsburgh Testing Laboratory Division office in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. The inspection was an examination of your licensed activities as they relate to radiation safety and to compliance with the Commission's regulations and the license conditions. The inspection included observations by the inspector, examination of records, and interviews with personnel related to activities conducted at Wampum, Pennsylvania on January 17, 1993. The findings of the inspection were discussed with John Thornton and Robert Barthelemy at the conclusion of the inspection. Areas examined during this inspection are described in the NRC Region I Inspection Report which is enclosed with this letter.

As discussed during a telephone conversation between John Thornton and Ronald R. Bellamy of this office on January 4, 1993, the apparent violations identified during this inspection will be the subject of an NRC Enforcement Conference. The conference will be held on February 17, 1993 at 1:00 p.m. at the NRC Region I office. The purposes of this conference are to discuss the apparent violations, their cause(s) and safety significance; to provide you the opportunity to point out any errors in our inspection report; to provide you the opportunity to present your corrective actions accomplished and proposed; and to discuss any other information that may help us determine the appropriate enforcement action. In particular, you should be prepared to discuss your plans to assure that your staff completely understands the safe use and control of licensed material during radiographic operations.

Enforcement action for the apparent violations will be considered by the NRC following the conference. The NRC Enforcement Policy is described in Appendix C of 10 CFR Part 2, a copy of which is enclosed for your information. Directions to the NRC Region I office are also enclosed.

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In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790, a copy of this letter and the enclosed inspection report will be placed in the NRC Public Docket Room.

No reply to this letter is required.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By
Susan Frank Shankman

for

Richard W. Cooper, II, Director
Division of Radiation Safety
and Safeguards

Enclosures:

1. NRC Region I Inspection Report No. 030-05985/93-001
2. Appendix C, 10 CFR 2
3. Directions to Region I Office

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