

UNITED WIRELINE SERVICES, INC.  
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MAY 28, 1985

TO: US NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
REGION III  
799 ROOSEVELT ROAD  
GLENN ELLYN, ILLINOIS  
60137

REF; LICENSE NO. 12-24320-01

30-18475

GENTLEMEN:

THIS REFERS TO THE ROUTINE SAFETY INSPECTION CONDUCTED BY MR. D.R. GIBBONS, FROM YOUR OFFICE ON APRIL 8, 1985, OF ACTIVITIES AUTHORIZED BY NRC BYPRODUCT MATERIAL LICENSE NO 12-24320-01, AND THE FOLLOWING STEPS HAVE BEEN TAKEN BY OUR OFFICE TO CORRECT THE NON-COMPLIANCE HEREWITH.

1) REFERRING TO SECTION I (A)(1)(2) OF THE STORAGE, OPERATING AND EMERGENCY PROCEDURES MANUAL SUBMITTED BY MY COMPANY AS PART OF OUR APPLICATION DATED MARCH 23, 1984, WILL BE CHANGED TO READ AS FOLLOWS;

ALL LICENSE MATERIAL WILL BE HOUSED AND STORED IN SHOP DESIGNATED AREA, ENCLOSED WITH A FOUR FOOT BY FOUR FOOT WOOD FRAME STRUCTURE WITH LOCKING DOOR, ALSO LABELED WITH THE APPROPRIATE (CAUTION RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS). (SEE SKETCH ENCLOSED)

2) AS FOR THE SHIPPING CONTAINERS, WE HAVE AFFIXED TWO YELLOW THREE PLACKARD LABELS TO THE CONTAINERS, WITH THE NAME OF THE RIDICULE, QUANTITY, AND TRANSPORT INDEX OF III, AS REQUIRED BY DOT IN 49 CFR PARTS 170-189.

IF YOU SHOULD HAVE ANY QUESTIONS CONCERNING THE ABOVE, PLEASE CALL ME AT AREA CODE (217) 234-6274, OR WRITE P.O. BOX 1304 MATTOON, ILLINOIS 61938.

THANK YOU

*Carl W. Hubbard*  
CARL W HUBBARTT  
RA SAFETY OFFICER

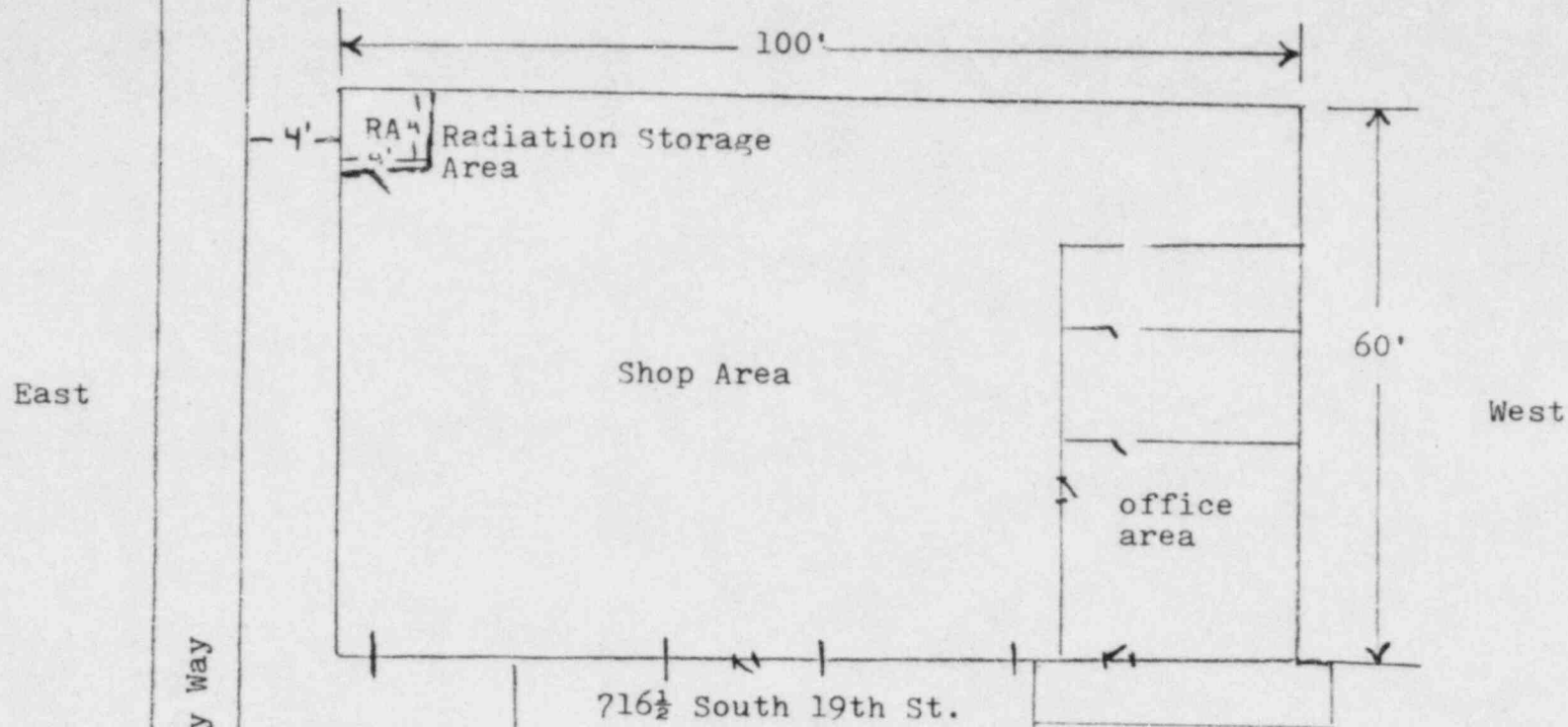
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# UNITED WIRELINE SERVICES, INC. Monthly Shop Monitor

South



716 1/2 South 19th St.

North

Nearest Bldg to west-100'  
Nearest bldg to east-100'  
Nearest bldg to south-100'

250'

## Survey Information

Month of \_\_\_\_\_ 1985

3' reading \_\_\_\_\_  
inside \_\_\_\_\_ mr/hr

3' reading \_\_\_\_\_  
outside \_\_\_\_\_ mr/hr

RA Officer \_\_\_\_\_

R.R.

Appendix

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

United Wireline Service, Inc.

License No. 12-24320-01

As a result of the inspection conducted on April 8, 1985, and in accordance with the General Policy and Procedures for NRC Enforcement Actions, (10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C), the following violations were identified:

1. License Condition No. 17 requires that licensed material be possessed and used in accordance with the statements, representations, and procedures contained in certain referenced applications and letters. Appendix B, Section I(a)(1)(2) of the Storage, Operating and Emergency Procedures Manual submitted as part of the application dated March 23, 1984, states that licensed material will be stored in storage pits (downhole), or in a steel bunker with a locking device.

Contrary to this requirement, licensed material has been stored above ground, on a wooden pallet, and with no locking device since January 23, 1985.

This is a Severity Level IV violation (Supplement VI).

2. 10 CFR 71.5(a) requires that no licensee shall transport any licensed material outside of the confines of its plant or other place of use unless the licensee complies with the applicable regulations of the Department of Transportation in 49 CFR Parts 170-189.

49 CFR 172.403(a)(f)(g)(1)(2)(3) requires that each package containing radioactive material be labeled with two labels affixed to opposite sides of the package, and the blank spaces of those labels must show: (1) the name of the radionuclide; (2) the activity of the radionuclide in the appropriate units, i.e., curies (Ci); and (3) the transport index if Yellow II or Yellow III labels are used.

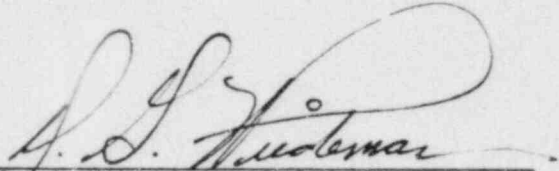
Contrary to this requirement, you failed to enter all of the above information to labels affixed to packages you transported to and from temporary job sites since July 1984. Specifically, on the day of the inspection, April 8, 1985, the inspector observed a shipping container used since July 1984 for transporting your 3 curie americium-241 sealed source to and from temporary job sites with one Yellow III label affixed to it that did not list the transport index and the other label affixed to the opposite side did not list any of the required information.

This is a Severity Level IV violation (Supplement V).

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, you are required to submit to this office within thirty days of the date of this Notice a written statement or explanation in reply, including for each item of noncompliance: (1) corrective action taken and the results achieved; (2) corrective action to be taken to avoid further noncompliance; and (3) the date when full compliance will be achieved. Consideration may be given to extending your response time for good cause shown.

APR 30 1985

Dated

  
D. G. Wiedeman, Chief  
Nuclear Materials Safety  
Section 1