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September 13, 1996

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SUBJECT: NOTICE OF VIOLATION DATED AUGUST 1, 1996

Dear Mr. Ehntholt:

This acknowledges receipt of your letter dated August 30, 1996, in response to our letter dated August 1, 1996, transmitting a Notice of Violation.

Your response indicates that you plan to file an application for an amendment to achieve corrective action for Violation No. 1. Requests for amendments to modify or add commitments and procedures are not effective until an amendment has been issued authorizing those changes. Therefore, we caution you regarding implementation of any new procedures before they have been approved by the NRC. Your corrective actions for the violation appears adequate and will be examined during future inspections.

Sincerely,

Original signed by

Deborah A. Piskura, Radiation Specialist
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License No.: 34-26683-01
Docket No.: 030-33991

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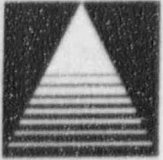
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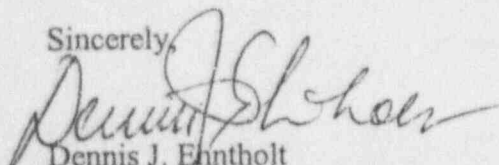
REPLY TO A NOTICE OF VIOLATION

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1. **Reason for Violation:** A root cause survey was conducted by management and staff to determine the reason for the violation. It was determined that the reason for violation was management's unfamiliarity with the calibration details of the license.
2. **Additional information:** The instruments were sent to a DOE site with a calibration facility.
3. **Corrective Actions:** A program will be conducted to retrain management to assure familiarity with the details of the license. The instruments cited in the notice of violation are being sent to a vendor authorized in our license. Until such time as an alternative source for calibrating our instruments can be approved and our license amended we will continue to use the vendors in our license.
4. **Corrective actions to avoid further violation:** We will forward a copy of the DOE site calibration facilities' procedures for review by the U.S. NRC, Region III. Upon approval by the NRC we will petition the NRC to amend our license to include the previously mentioned facility as an alternative vendor for calibration of our instruments.
5. **Date of Full Compliance:** The instruments cited will be calibrated by an approved vendor by January 1, 1997. Management retraining will be completed by November 15, 1996. DOE facility procedures will be forwarded to NRC, Region III by October 1, 1996. Notification of completion on each deliverable will be provided.

We appreciate the opportunity to respond to this Notice of Violation. If you have any further questions or need any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,


Dennis J. Ehntholt
President

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