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Docket: 30-01176/85-01

University of Wyoming  
ATTN: Donald L. Veal, President  
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Gentlemen:

This refers to the special, unannounced radiation safety inspection conducted by Mr. Lorenzo Wilborn of this office on August 15, 1985, of activities authorized by NRC byproduct Material License 49-09955-10, and to the discussion of our findings held by the inspector with members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection. The enclosed NRC Inspection Report 30-01176/85-01 documents this inspection.

The purpose of the special inspection was to review allegations received by the NRC. The inspection was an examination of the activities conducted under the license as they relate to radiation safety and to compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations, and the conditions of the license. The inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews of personnel, independent measurements, and observations by the inspector.

During this inspection certain of your activities were found not to be conducted in full compliance with NRC requirements. Consequently, you are required to respond to this matter in writing in accordance with the provisions of Section 2.201 of the NRC "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations. Your response should be based on the specifics contained in the Notice of Violation enclosed with this letter.

The response directed by this letter and accompanying Notice is not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office Of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, PL 96-511.

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Should you have any questions concerning this letter, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely

"Original Signed by:  
R. E. HALL"

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Enclosures:

1. Appendix A - Notice of Violation
2. Appendix B - NRC Inspection  
Report 30-01176/85-01

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