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Docket No. 30-16028

License No. 18-19078-01

Quality Assurance Laboratories, Inc.
ATTN: Mr. Robert H. Parechanian, Sr.
President
80 Pleasant Avenue
South Portland, Maine 04106

Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection No. 30-16028/85-01

This refers to the routine safety inspection conducted by Mr. Thomas Thompson of this office on October 4 and 7, 1985 of activities authorized by NRC License No. 18-19078-01, to the discussions of our findings held by Mr. Thompson with yourself at the conclusion of the inspection, and to a subsequent telephone discussion between yourself and Dr. J. Glenn of this office on October 25, 1985.

Areas examined during this inspection are described in the NRC Region I Inspection Report which is enclosed with this letter. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, measurements made by the inspector, and observations by the inspector.

As discussed during the telephone conversation between yourself and Dr. Glenn, the apparent violations identified during this inspection will be discussed at an Enforcement Conference at our office in King of Prussia, Pennsylvania, at 1:30 p.m. on November 14, 1985. You should be prepared to discuss the causes of these apparent violations and your proposed corrective action. Enforcement action for these 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.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790(a), a copy of this letter and the enclosures will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

No response to this letter is required. Your cooperation with us in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:
James H. Joyner

Thomas T. Martin, Director
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and Safeguards

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Enclosures:

1. NRC Region I Inspection Report No. 30-16028/85-01
2. 10 CFR Part 2
3. Directions to the Region I Office

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