

APPENDIX A

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Group Health Association
Washington, D.C. 20006

Docket No. 30-01196
License No. 08-16962-01

As a result of the inspection conducted on June 12, 1985, and in accordance with the NRC Enforcement Policy (10 CFR 2, Appendix C), the following violations were identified:

- A. 10 CFR 20.203(f)(1) and (2), requires that each container of specified amounts of licensed material bear a durable, clearly visible label bearing the radiation caution symbol and the words "Caution, Radioactive Material," and identifying the radioactive contents.

Contrary to the above, on June 12, 1985, a refrigerator and a fiber drum of radioactive waste, each containing greater than one millicurie of iodine-125, did not bear the required labels.

This is a Severity Level IV Violation (Supplement IV).

- B. Condition 15 of License No. 08-16962-01 requires that licensed material be possessed and used in accordance with the statements, representations and procedures contained in an application dated June 26, 1981.

Block 15 of this application incorporates your "Radiation Safety Practices."

Rule 2 requires that all persons who work with radioisotopes wear disposable surgical gloves.

Contrary to this requirement, as of June 12, 1985, personnel using radioactive materials in the laboratory were not wearing gloves.

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

- C. 10 CFR 19.11(a) and (b) require that current copies of Part 19, Part 20, the license, license conditions, documents incorporated into the license, license amendments and operating procedures be posted, or that a notice describing these documents and where they may be examined, be posted.

Contrary to the above, on June 12, 1985, neither the documents nor the notice were posted.

This is a Severity Level V Violation (Supplement VI).

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Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, Group Health Association is hereby required to submit to this office within thirty days of the date of the letter which transmitted this Notice, a written statement or explanation in reply, including: (1) the corrective steps which have been taken and the results achieved; (2) corrective steps which will be taken to avoid further violations; and (3) the date when full compliance will be achieved. Where good cause is shown, consideration will be given to extending this response time.