

November 7, 1996

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SUBJECT: ROUTINE RADIATION PROTECTION INSPECTION AT THE MCGEAN-ROHCO
COMPLEX AND THE HARVARD AVENUE AND BERT AVENUE REMEDIATION SITES
(NRC REPORT NO. 040-08724/96002(DNMS))

Dear Mr. Sargent:

This refers to the radiation protection inspection conducted September 23-27, and October 10, 1996, at the McGean-Rohco complex located at 2910 Harvard Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio, and the adjacent Harvard Ave. and Bert Ave. remediation sites. The purpose of the inspection was to determine whether activities authorized by your license were conducted safely and in accordance with NRC requirements.

The inspection was an examination of activities conducted under your license as they relate to radiation safety, and to compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations and with the conditions of your license. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, independent measurements and observations of activities in progress.

Based on the results of this inspection, the NRC has determined that a violation of NRC requirements occurred. The violation is cited in the enclosed Notice of Violation (Notice). A written response is required.

In addition to the violation, we identified parts of the Radiological Control Plan (RCP) that the contractor, B. Koh & Associates, Inc., had not implemented. Although the lack of compliance to parts of the RCP constituted violations of NRC requirements, they were minor in nature and did not appear to have had a detrimental effect on the safety of the working environment for on-site personnel. Therefore these violations are being treated as a Non-Cited Violations consistent with Section IV of the NRC Enforcement Policy. The minor violations do indicate, however, that the RCP may currently be too conservatively written for the radiological conditions at the site. Those portions of the RCP which were not implemented and the contractor believes are no longer applicable or are obsolete, or redundant should be identified and removed from the RCP.

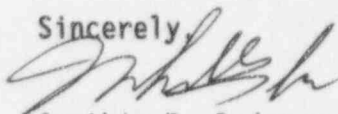
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Should you have any questions regarding the inspection, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Nelson at (630) 829-9610 or myself at (630) 829-9800.

Sincerely,



Cynthia D. Pederson, Director
Division of Nuclear Materials Safety

License No. SUB-1357
Docket No. 040-08724

Enclosure: Notice of Violation

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