

NRC FORM 501 PART 1
 (7-93)
 10 CFR 2.201

U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

SAFETY INSPECTION

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1. LICENSEE
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2. REGIONAL OFFICE
 REGION V
 U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
 1450 MAPLE LANE SUITE 210
 WALNUT CREEK, CA 94598-6000

3. DOCKET NUMBER(S)
080-32481

4. LICENSE NUMBER(S)
11-27411-01

5. DATE OF INSPECTION
December 11, 17, 24, 1996

LICENSEE

The inspection was an examination of the activities conducted under your license as they relate to radiation safety and to compliance with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) rules and regulations and the conditions of your license. The inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspector. The findings as a result of this inspection are as follows:

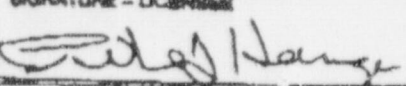
- ☐ 1. Within the scope of this inspection, no violations were observed.
- ☐ 2. The inspector also verified the steps you have taken to correct the violations identified during the last inspection. We have no further questions on those actions at this time.

☒ 3. During this inspection certain of your activities, as described below or attached, were in violation of NRC requirements. This form is a NOTICE OF VIOLATION, which is required to be posted in accordance with 10 CFR 19.11.

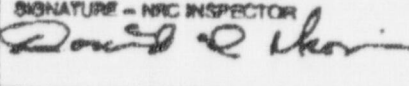
- ☐ A. _____ was not properly posted to indicate the presence of a _____ 10 CFR 20.203(a), (b), (c), (d), (e) or 34.42.
- ☐ B. _____ of sealed sources were not performed at the proper frequencies. 10 CFR _____ or License Condition Number _____
- ☐ C. Records of _____ were not properly maintained. 10 CFR _____ or License Condition Number _____
- ☐ D. Documents were not properly posted or otherwise made available. 10 CFR 19.11.
- ☐ E. Reports or notification of _____ were not made in accordance with 10 CFR _____ or License Condition Number _____

☒ F. Contrary to 10 CFR 71.56(a), and 49 CFR 172.403(g), items of information (contents, activity and transport index) on Yellow-III category labels attached to 7A Type A transport packages containing radioactive material transported on December 11, 1996, were illegible.

I hereby state that, within 30 days, the actions described by me to the inspector will be taken to correct the violations identified in the items directed above. This statement of corrective actions is made in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR 2.201. No further response will be submitted unless required by the NRC.

SIGNATURE - LICENSEE


DATE
1-27-97

SIGNATURE - NRC INSPECTOR


DATE
12/30/96

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ORIGINAL TO LICENSEE

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☒ 3. (Continued)

☒ G. Contrary to 10 CFR 71.5(a) and 49 CFR 177.817(e), a shipping paper used while transporting radioactive material on December 11, 1996, was not readily accessible for inspection in that the paper was enclosed inside a locked DOT 7A Type A transport container.

☒ H. Contrary to 10 CFR 71.5(a) and 49 CFR 172.604(a), the licensee on 12/11/96 transported a package containing 8 mCi Cs-137 and 40 mCi Am-241, and the shipping paper did not contain an emergency response telephone number. Also, contrary to 49 CFR 172.203(e), the letters "RQ" were not entered on the paper.

☐ I.

☐ 4. The violations listed below are not being cited because they were self-identified, and corrective action was or is being taken, and the remaining criteria in 10 CFR 2, App. C, to exercise discretion were satisfied.

☐ A.

☐ B.

☐ C.