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In Reply Refer To:

Docket: 99990004/87-04/CAL 88-02

General Licensee: Wrangler Labs, Evanston, Wyoming
EA 87-223

Wrangler Laboratories, Inc.
ATTN: John P. Larsen, President
3853 North Sherwood Drive
Provo, Utah 84604

Dear Mr. Larsen:

SUBJECT: CONFIRMATION OF ACTION LETTER

This is to confirm the conversation between Mr. John P. Larsen, Wrangler Labs and Messrs. Dale Powers and Blair Spitzberg, USNRC, Region IV on March 18, 1988. On January 19-20, 1988, a survey was made of your Evanston, Wyoming, facility by Region IV and our contractor, Oak Ridge Associated Universities. The purpose of the survey was to define any areas within the facility that exceeded NRC guidelines for contamination, and to outline a plan for you to use in decontaminating the facility and disposing of contaminated waste so that the facility could be returned to unrestricted use. The survey findings and decontamination plan are attached to this letter.

In accordance with the Order Suspending License dated February 25, 1988, you are to complete the decontamination and disposal activities by March 26, 1988, and notify Region IV when the work is completed prior to vacating the Evanston facility. Based on our conversation with you, it is my understanding that you will take the following action:

1. Perform the decontamination work and waste disposal activities outlined in the February 25, 1988, Order Suspending License in accordance with the guidelines, procedures, and monitoring described in the attached report.
2. Any equipment specified in Section III of the decontamination plan must either be decontaminated to below NRC guidelines; packaged and disposed of as radioactive waste; or transferred to another licensee who is authorized to receive such material. Contaminated equipment may not be removed from the Evanston facility except for disposal as radioactive waste, or to transfer such equipment to an authorized recipient.
3. Complete records will be maintained showing the disposition of each of the equipment items listed in Section III of the decontamination plan and of all radioactive waste disposed of in accordance with Section IV of the plan.
4. Questions concerning implementation of the referenced plan shall be resolved between you and this office before proceeding with the work.

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Issuance of this Confirmation of Action Letter does not preclude the issuance of an order formalizing the above commitment. If your understanding differs from that set forth, please call Mr. R. L. Bangart at (817) 860-8248.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY
ROBERT D. MARTIN

Robert D. Martin
Regional Administrator

Attachments: as stated

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