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March 22, 2000

Shannon Claggett, Buyer/Planner Advanced Input Devices 600 W. Wilbur, Avenue Coeur d'Alene, Idaho 83815

SUBJECT: NOTIFICATION REGARDING THE LOSS OF A GENERALLY LICENSED DEVICE

Dear Ms. Claggett:

This refers to your letter dated March 10, 2000, regarding the previously reported loss of a generally licensed Nuclecel In-Line Ionizer containing 370 megabequerels (10 millicuries) of polonium-210. Your letter indicated that the device was found at your Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, facility and returned to the manufacturer for proper disposal. Thank you for notifying the NRC of the final disposition of the device and we require no further information regarding this incident.

Sincerely,

Mark R. Shaffer, Chief

Nuclear Materials Inspection Branch

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Jeffrey Cruz USNRC Attention: Division of Nuclear Materials Safety 611 Ryan Plaza Drive Suite 400 Arlington, TX 76011-8064

March 10, 2000

Dear Mr. Cruz:

Please reference our letter of January 10, 2000 regarding the loss of an NRD model # P-2021-8000 nuclear device. This device was serial numbered 066439. We have located the device at our facility, in its original packaging and condition. We have returned it to NRD, as of this date, for proper disposal.

Please feel free to contact myself at the number listed below, or Mr. Jody Plummer at 208-765-8000, ext. 1320 should you have any questions or require additional information.

Sincerely,

Shannon Claggett

Buyer/Planner

Cc: Jody Plummer