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Director of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Chief
Bureau of Radiological Health
Department of Health and Environmental Control
2600 Bull Street
P O Box 27687
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

Mr. John Widowski
Perkin Elmer Inc.
761 Main Ave.
Norwalk, Connecticut 06859

Gentlemen:

On March 21, 2001 we purchased from another laboratory a Perkin Elmer AutoSystem GC with electron capture detectors. The instrument is now physically located in the Organics Section of our laboratory located at 710C Lowndes Hill Road, Greenville, South Carolina 29607. Mr. Sam W. Avery, Jr. is the President of the firm and the Laboratory Director. Manager of the Organics Section is Dr. William Lynch.

The AutoSystem GC contains two 15 mci ⁶³Ni ECD cells as follows:

1. Perkin Elmer Model N6100133 Serial Number 0167
2. Perkin Elmer Model N6100133 Serial Number 0330

We have contacted the National Leak Test Center and requested wipe test kits for each cell. The management of this firm understands that these wipe tests must be performed within 30 days of the date we acquired the cells and every six months thereafter. The management also understands that we must maintain these cells in a secure manner at all times, must not abandon them, and must not transfer them except to a person specifically licensed to receive them.

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Should you require additional information please contact us at 864-232-1556.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ted Cottingham". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "T" and "C".

Ted Cottingham, Safety Manager

Cc

Sam W. Avery, Jr.

William Lynch

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