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July 18, 2001

SMI East Coast Medical Waste, Inc.
ATTN: Craig P. Sanford, President
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SUBJECT: PREDECISIONAL ENFORCEMENT CONFERENCE

Dear Mr. Sanford:

As discussed during a telephone conversation between you and Ms. Judith Joustra of this office on July 11, 2001, and during a subsequent telephone discussion between Brendan Kenning of this office and Mr. Lightman, your attorney, on July 13, 2001, a predecisional enforcement conference will be conducted to discuss apparent violations as previously described to you in letters from the NRC to you dated April 16, 2001.

A predecisional enforcement conference to discuss these apparent violations has been scheduled for July 25, 2001, at 10:00 a.m. in the NRC Region I Public Meeting Room. This conference will be closed to the public and will be transcribed. This conference is being held in order to obtain any additional information to assist the NRC in making an enforcement decision and to provide you an opportunity to present your perspective on these matters and any other information that you believe the NRC should take into consideration in making an enforcement decision.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790, a copy of this letter will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room (PDR) and will be accessible from the NRC Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/NRC/ADAMS/index.html>.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Original signed by Francis M. Costello

George Pangburn, Director
Division of Nuclear Materials Safety

Enclosure: Directions to NRC Region I Office

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