

Region I NMSS Licensee Event Report

Licensee	<i>Agilent Technologies</i>
Event Description	Notice of General License Device w/High Removable Activity

License #	<i>07-28762-⁰²⁶</i>	Docket #	<i>0300298</i>	MLER-RI	<i>2002-055</i>
Event Date	<i>2002</i>	Report Date	<i>8/22/02</i>		

1. REPORTING REQUIREMENT

<input type="checkbox"/> 10 CFR 20.2201 Theft or Loss	<input type="checkbox"/> 10 CFR 35.33 Misadministration
<input type="checkbox"/> 10 CFR 20.2203 30 Day Report	<input type="checkbox"/> License Condition
<input type="checkbox"/> 10 CFR 30.50 Report	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <i>31.5</i>	

2. REGION I RESPONSE

<input type="checkbox"/> Immediate Site Inspection	Inspector/Date	
<input type="checkbox"/> Special Inspection	Inspector/Date	
<input type="checkbox"/> Telephone Inquiry	Inspector/Date	
<input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Daily Report	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Entered in RI Log	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Review at next inspection	
<input type="checkbox"/> Report referred to: _____		

3. REPORT EVALUATION

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Description of Event	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corrective Actions
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Levels of RAM Involved	<input type="checkbox"/> Calculations Adequate
<input type="checkbox"/> Cause of Event	<input type="checkbox"/> Additional Information Requested from Licensee

4. SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS OR COMMENTS

Public Non-Public

	Initials/Date		Initials/Date
Completed by:	<i>Rita Ullrich</i>	Date	<i>8/28/02</i>
Reviewed by:	<i>[Signature]</i>	Date	<i>9/3/2002</i>

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Re: Notice of General License device with high removable activity (NRC License 07-28762-02G)

August 21, 2002

Dear Sir or Madam,

Per the requirements of 10 CFR 31.5, I am notifying your office of the following devices returned to us by customers from which we have obtained removable activity wipes in excess of 0.005 μCi . Cells F4724 and K0643 were returned from overseas. All cells were evaluated by support engineering and their disposition is identified below. I have contacted the U.S. customer (ref. U1092) and have determined that there were no unusual circumstances that would have prompted the high wipe. I will notify the cell supplier of the high wipes.

Serial #	Model #	Activity (μCi)	Disposition	Comment
F4724	19233	0.050	Scrapped	Cell was 10 years old and the source was dirty
K0643	19233	0.010	Refurbished	Cell is 8 years old and the source was not dirty
U1092	G2397A	0.008	Scrapped	Cell was 3 years old, plated ring source was dislodged

Please be aware that we, as a licensee, have been aware of the increase over the years in our reports of incidents of high wipes and are looking at the problem from both human and engineering perspectives.

Please contact me at 302-633-8262 if there are any questions.

Thank you,


David S. Bennett
Radiation Safety Officer