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University of California Environmental Health & Safety ATTN: Jerry Bushberg, Ph.D. Health Physics, 2500 FSSB 2315 Stockton Boulevard Sacramento, CA 95817

SUBJECT: ANNOUNCED INSPECTION

Dear Dr. Bushberg:

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The inspection is to confirm that the inventories of special nuclear material possessed by a representative sample of U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) and Agreement State licensees were appropriately reported and documented in the Nuclear Materials Management and Safeguards System (NMMSS) in accordance with NRC Bulletin No. 2003-04, "Rebaselining of Data in the Nuclear Materials Management and Safeguards System." The procedures to be followed during this inspection are detailed in Temporary Instruction 2800/035," Verification of Licensee Responses to NRC Bulletin 2003-04 Regarding Inventories of Source and Special Nuclear Materials Tracked in The Nuclear Materials Management and Safeguards System. A copy of this procedure may be found at the NRC's website at http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/insp-manual/temp-instructions/ti2800-035.pdf

It is expected that the duration of the inspection will be about 1 - 2 hours. As agreed in your telephone conversation with Mr. Pelchat, you will provide information regarding reaching your facility directly to him. Mr. Pelchat may be reached by telephone at (404) 562-4729, by FAX at (404) 562-4955, or by e-mail at <a href="mailto:imp2@nrc.gov">imp2@nrc.gov</a>.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions, please contact me at (301) 415-7419.

Sincerely,

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