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January 28, 2005

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Dear Mr. Miller:

This is in reference to our January 28, 2005 telephone conversation and your November 3, 2004 electronic mail addressed to Mr. Jack Whitten of the NRC Region IV office. Based on the NRC's sealed source and device registration of your "materials analyzer", you requested a license amendment to allow manufacturing and distribution of these registered devices. We also have on file your May 30, 2002 amendment request for gauge manufacturing and distribution. In a letter dated June 6, 2002 (copy enclosed) we referenced NRC publications NUREG-1556, Volumes 12 and 16. You should use the guidance in Volume 12 to prepare an application for the manufacture of your devices. Since only specific licensees may acquire and use your gauge, Volume 16 (general license) does not apply. We note that although your May 30, 2002 letter did contain manufacturing and distribution information for your Californium-252 devices, it referenced an incorrect NUREG-1556 Volume (7). When using the correct volume (12), you should also complete the "Suggested Format" checklist contained in Appendix C.

Based on mutual agreement, we are voiding your November 3, 2004 electronic mail amendment request and invite you to resubmit the request without prejudice following the instructions above. To expedite the processing of your amendment, please reference mail control number 470245 and mail your request to the NRC Region IV address noted at the top of this letter (ATTN: Colleen Murnahan, Nuclear Materials Licensing Branch) and send a copy to me at 5803 Pine Hollow Road, Clayton, CA 94517. If you have any questions regarding this resubmittal, please contact me at 925-673-9646 or e-mail at jlms5@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

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