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REPLY TO
THE ATTENTION OF

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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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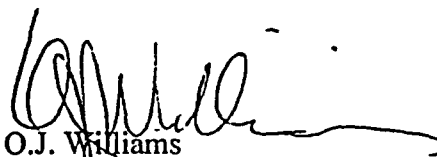
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Dear Director,

This letter is being submitted to request amendment to licenses 19-17250-05, 19-17250-04, and SNM 348. In particular, we wish to amend our licenses to allow quarterly exchange of dosimeters. The licenses now specify monthly exchange. All other aspects of the dosimetry program will remain unchanged. This change is being requested because the duration and frequency of our use of licensed material has been permanently reduced as a result of changing mission priorities.

We would greatly appreciate a telephonic authorization to implement this change so that we can reduce our dosimetry costs as soon as possible. If you need any additional information, please feel free to contact my Radiation Protection Officer, Mr. Michael Borisky, at (301) 394-6310.

Sincerely,


O.J. Williams
Colonel, U.S. Army
Chief of Staff

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