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ACCEPTANCE TO THE SAFETY ASPECTS OF INDUSTRIAL RADIOGRAPHY COURSE (H-305) (STP-06-022)

Enclosure 1 is the list of students from the Agreement States selected to attend the April 24-28. 2006 Safety Aspects of Industrial Radiography Course (H-305). Please provide the list of students and the instructions (Enclosure 2) to each individual from your program who is on the list. States with students attending this course have agreed to pay travel expenses, and, where designated, the tuition. To cover the tuition expense, each State should submit a purchase order or equivalent document, to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), to the following address:

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Attn: Leah P. Tremper Office of the Chief Financial Officer Mail Stop - T9E10 Washington, DC 20555

The NRC will, in turn, issue you a bill (invoice). If for any reason your attendee is unable to attend, please submit to us a written purchase order, or equivalent, to cancel, prior to the starting date of the course. Course attendees should be encouraged to make travel and lodging arrangements as soon as possible.

To assist us and other States, and to help ensure that States with candidates on waiting lists will have an opportunity to fill vacated slots that may open up after our course acceptance letters have been sent to you, we ask that you inform us of any cancellations 30 days prior to the course starting date.

If you have any questions regarding this correspondence, please contact me or the individual named below.

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Enclosures: As stated

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SAFETY ASPECTS OF INDUSTRIAL RADIOGRAPHY COURSE (H-305) April 24-28, 2006 Tulsa, Oklahoma

STATE	STUDENTS	PAYING TUITION/ SPACE AVAILABLE		
CALIFORNIA Department of Health Services P.O. Box 997414 Sacramento, CA 95899-7414	David Little Andrew Taylor	Paying Tuition Paying Tuition		
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MARYLAND Radiological Health Program Air and Radiation Management Administration Maryland Department of the Environment 1800 Washington Blvd., Suite 750 Baltimore, MD 21230-1724	Fatima Bolance Adeyemo	Paying Tuition		
MINNESOTA Minnesota Department of Health P.O. Box 64975 St. Paul, MN 55164-0975	Sherrie Flaherty Brandon Juran	Paying Tuition Paying Tuition		
TENNESSEE Division of Radiological Health Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation 3rd Floor, L&C Annex 401 Church Street Nashville, TN 37243-1532	Kimberly Gilliam Gerald Kwazu Jon Thompson	Paying Tuition Paying Tuition Paying Tuition		
TEXAS Bureau of Radiation Control Texas Department of Health 1100 West 49th Street Austin, TX 78756-3189	Ray Fleming	Paying Tuition		

INSTRUCTIONS TO STUDENTS

ACCEPTANCE: This is to advise you that those individuals in Enclosure 1 have been accepted for participation in the training course (H-305) "Safety Aspects of Industrial Radiography." This course is scheduled to be presented April 24-28, 2006 at Capital X-Ray Services, Inc., 2133 S 49th West Avenue, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74107. The telephone number is (918) 583-5797. Enclosure 3 is a tentative course outline and schedule for the course.

LODGING AND TRAVEL: You should plan to arrive on Sunday, April 23, 2006 and depart on Friday, April 28, 2006. Participants must make their own lodging arrangements. Individuals should request a State or government employee rate at the following hotels:

Doubletree Hotels Tulsa 616 W 7th Street Tulsa, OK 74127 800-222-TREE or 918-587-8000 4.3 miles from course location

Great Western Downtown Plaza 17 W 7th Street Tulsa, OK 74119 800-585-5101 or 918-585-5898 5.7 miles from course location

Marriott Tulsa Southern Hills 1902 E 71st Street Tulsa, OK 74136 1-866-242-5060 or 918-493-7000 9.8 Miles from course location

Hilton Tulsa Southern Hills 7902 S Lewis Avenue Tulsa, OK 74136 918-492-5000 11 miles from course location

COURSE HOURS AND ATTIRE: Official work hours for this course are from 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. with an hour for lunch. The basic course schedule is for lectures in the morning with laboratory exercises in the afternoon. Students should dress casually and wear comfortable pants/slacks and shirts that will facilitate laboratory exercises.

NOTE: Students should bring issued dosimetry (issued-dosimetry will be available for those who do not have issued dosimeters) and a scientific calculator.

Safety Aspects of Industrial Radiography H-305 Tentative Course Outline

Day 1 -

Fundamental Properties of Matter (1 hour)
Types of Radiation (1 hour)
Radioactive Materials (2 hours)
Interaction of Radiation with Matter (2 hours)
Exposure Devices and Radiation Sources (2 hours)

Day 2 -

Biological Effects of Radiation (2 hours)
Radiation Detection and Measurement Equipment (2 hours)
Radiation Surveys (2 hours)
Laboratory Exercises - Exposure Devices and Source Changers (2 hours)

Day 3 -

Emergency Procedures (2 hours)
Laboratory Exercises - Source Retrieval (2 hours)
Case Histories of Radiography Incidents (1 hour)
Storage of Exposure Devices and Sources (1 hour)
Packaging and Transportation of Exposure Devices and Sources (1 hour)
Laboratory Exercises - Packaging and Labeling for Shipment (1 hour)

Day 4 -

Laboratory Exercises - Packaging and Labeling for Shipment continued (1 hour) Federal and State Regulations (4 hours) Radiographic Techniques (3 hours)

Day 5 -

ANSI Standards (2 hours) Course Review (2 hours) Examination (2 hours) Critique (1 hour)

H-305 Course Schedule*

Monday:

8:00 a.m. - Noon Introduction/Radiography concepts and fundamentals

1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Labs: Setting up and using devices; plant tour.

Tuesday:

8:00 a.m. - Noon Radiography safety and operations.

1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Labs: Establishing boundaries; source exchange; inspection.

Wednesday:

8:00 a.m. - Noon Federal and State Regulations.

1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Site inspection; emergency source retrieval.

Thursday:

8:00 a.m. - Noon Transportation regulations and radiography company operations.

1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Labs: Shipping packages; performing a radiograph.

Friday:

8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. ANSI equipment standard

10:30 a.m.- Noon Course review 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Course exam Course Critique

^{*} Note: This course outline is tentative and subject to change.