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Mr. W. O. Miller
Isotopes Branch
Division of Licensing and Regulations
1717 H Street
U. S. Atomic Energy Commission
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Miller:

You have brought to our attention that during the last AEC isotopes inspection, there were three items of deficiencies. These were (1) a Strontium 90 source authorized under license no. 19-1398-2 was being used by Health Physics, (2) a 1000 mc Thulium source purchased in March of 1955 and authorized by license no. 19-1398-2 was being kept by Health Physics in their storage well to decay, and (3) bags of radioactive waste stored in our waste room unmarked.

We have corrected these deficiencies in the following manner:

- Item I. The Strontium 90 source has been removed from license no. 19-1398-2 and placed on Health Physics license No. 19-1398-9. This change was made 20 December 1957.
- Item II. The Thulium source was returned to the Radioisotopes Lab where all sources authorized by license no. 19-1398-2 are kept. Since this source is of no use to us, we are planning to return it to the vendor.
- Item III. All containers of radioactive wastes are being properly marked before storage.

Very truly yours,

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