

April 22, 2008

United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission
ATTN: Document Control Desk
Washington, D.C. 20555-001

SUBJECT: Reply to a Notice of Violation, Docket Number 03033874
License Number 31-30226-01

Dear Sir or Madam:

On February 27, 2008, an inspection was conducted by a representative of the United States Regulatory Commission at the Chevron Mining Company, Washington, Pennsylvania remediation site. Based upon the results of this inspection, the NRC representative, John Nicholson, determined that one Severity Level IV violation of NRC requirements occurred. The violation involved failure to perform required the physical sealed source inventory as required by Malcolm Pirnie's NRC license.

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, Malcolm Pirnie hereby submits the following written statement and explanation to the Commission:

1. Reason for the violation: A Troxler gauge was properly stored and secured in a locked trailer on-site. Malcolm Pirnie had performed a formal sealed source inventory on May 3, 2006. Since then, Malcolm Pirnie continued weekly routine documented surveys of the trailer which included the Troxler gauge, although none of these weekly surveys were specifically designated and documented as a formal sealed source inventory pursuant to NRC requirements.
2. Corrective steps that have been taken and the results achieved: Malcolm Pirnie personnel performed a formal sealed source inventory on February 27, 2008, while the NRC inspector was present onsite.
3. Corrective steps that will be taken to avoid further violations: A sealed source inventory will be performed onsite by Malcolm Pirnie personnel every 6 months.



4. Date full compliance was achieved: February 27, 2008.

Very truly yours,

MALCOLM PIRNIE, INC.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Jm Golden Jr".

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