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RE: Response to Notice of Violation, Inspection Date May 1, 2008, Docket 030-36973, License 34-29200-01MD, Cardinal Health, East Rutherford, NJ.

This letter is in response to the letter dated May 28, 2008 outlining the following item of noncompliance. The agency's findings are italicized and Cardinal Health's response follows each item.

- 1. License Condition 24 requires, in part, that except as specifically provided otherwise in the license, the licensee conduct its program in accordance with the statements, representations, and procedures contained in the application dated March 29, 2001, including any enclosures. Item 10.4.C of the application, dated March 29, 2001, requires that personnel monitor hands and clothing for contamination before leaving the restricted area. Contrary to the above, on January 28, March 27, and May 1, 2008, personnel failed to monitor their hands and clothing for contamination before leaving the restricted area. Specifically, during audits on January and March 27, 2008, the licensee identified personnel leaving the restricted area without monitoring. In addition, on May 1, 2008, an individual performed the required monitoring, but rather than exiting the door by the frisking station, walked through the restricted area exiting through a different door without again monitoring himself. This is a Severity Level IV violation.*

Cardinal Health admits that this violation occurred. The employee in question was a fairly new employee, and was nervous since this was his first regulatory inspection.

In order to prevent a recurrence of this event, the employee has been re-trained to the proper procedure for performing exit surveys.

Should you have any further questions, please contact me at 614.757.2646.

Sincerely,

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