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Mr. Eber R. Price, Director
Division of State & Licensee Relations,
U. S. Atomic Energy Commission
Washington, D. C. 20545.

Dear Sir:

In reference to your letter dated March 23, 1966 relative to non-compliance with AEC's "Standards for Protection Against Radiation", Part 20, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations the following corrective procedures have been done. The below statements refer to subheadings 1 and 2 of your letter.

1. A new system for collecting the disposal of radioactive waste has been established. All radioactive waste will be collected in special containers and stored in an isolated and shielded area.

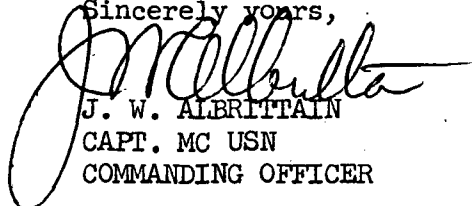
An agreement was reached January 10, 1966 with Radiological Service Company Inc., 110 Jericho Turnpike, Floral Park, New York for the disposal of the radioactive waste. Through the use of this disposal method the occurrence of the discrepancy noted will be prevented.

2. The strontium-90 medial applicator and two cobalt-60 applicators were leak tested on January 10th and January 11th, 1966 by the Radium Chemical Co., 161 East 42nd Street, New York, N. Y. 10017.

A tickler card index reminder system has been implemented to avoid the occurrence of this discrepancy in the future.

It is believed that these series of actions will bring this activity into full compliance with AEC regulations.

Sincerely yours,


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