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SUBJECT: ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF LICENSEE NOTIFICATION OF POTENTIAL

VIOLATIONS, UNIFORMED SERVICES UNIVERSITY OF THE HEALTH SCIENCES. ARMED FORCES RADIOBIOLOGICAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE

Dear Col. Huff:

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Your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original signed by Judith A. Joustra

Judith A. Joustra, Chief Commercial and R&D Branch Division of Nuclear Materials Safety

CC:

Anna M. J. Teachout, Radiation Safety Officer

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