

SAFETY INSPECTION REPORT AND COMPLIANCE INSPECTION

1. LICENSEE/LOCATION INSPECTED: U.S. Department of Commerce NOAA Field Office at Cape Matatula Pago Pago, American Samoa REPORT NO: 2017-001		2. NRC/REGIONAL OFFICE U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region IV, 1600 East Lamar Blvd Arlington, Texas 76011-4511	
3. DOCKET NUMBER 030-03746	4. LICENSE NUMBER 05-11997-01	5. DATE OF INSPECTION January 23, 2017	

LICENSEE:

The inspection was an examination of the activities conducted under your license as they relate to radiation safety and to compliance with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) rules and regulations and the conditions of your license. The inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspector. The inspection findings are as follows:



- X 1. Based on the inspection findings, no violations were identified.
- 2. Previous violation(s) closed.
- 3. The violation(s), specifically described to you by the inspector as non-cited violations, are not being cited because they were self-identified, non-repetitive, and corrective action was or is being taken, and the remaining criteria in the NRC Enforcement Policy to exercise discretion, were satisfied.

Non-Cited Violation(s) was/were discussed involving the following requirement(s) and Corrective Action(s):

- 4. During this inspection certain of your activities, as described below and/or attached, were in violation of NRC requirements and are being cited. This form is a NOTICE OF VIOLATION, which may be subject to posting in accordance with 10 CFR 19.11.
(Violations and Corrective Actions)

Licensee's Statement of Corrective Actions for Item 4, above.

I hereby state that, within 30 days, the actions described by me to the inspector will be taken to correct the violations identified. This statement of corrective actions is made in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR 2.201 (corrective steps already taken, corrective steps which will be taken, date when full compliance will be achieved). I understand that no further written response to NRC will be required, unless specifically requested.

Title	Printed Name	Signature	Date
LICENSEE'S REPRESENTATIVE			
NRC INSPECTOR	James L. Thompson		2/7/2017
BRANCH CHIEF	Ray Kellan		2/16/17

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Attachments: NRC Inspection Report for NOAA 2017-001.pdf

Importance: High

Brian,

Please find enclosed NRC Inspection Report 030-03746/2017-001, for the inspection performed at the American Samoa Field Office on January 23, 2017, as discussed during today's telephonic exit briefing.

Thank you,

James L. Thompson
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