

From: dldavis@srv.net
To: VonEhr_Jason
Subject: [External_Sender] RE: response to notice of violation
Date: Tuesday, April 16, 2019 9:17:17 AM

Mr. vonEhr,

I wanted you to see the response before I mailed it to the region IV office, I will do that today. Compliance was restored via oral instruction, but I will make changes to the procedure binder. In our hot lab we have a led brick storage area. If the trash is contaminated the entire sack of trash will be held in that area until such time it has decayed to background. Then it will be disposed in regular trash.

Thank you

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From: prvs=0021768d7=Jason.VonEhr@nrc.gov <prvs=0021768d7=Jason.VonEhr@nrc.gov> **On**
Behalf Of VonEhr, Jason
Sent: Tuesday, April 16, 2019 6:02 AM
To: dldavis@srv.net
Subject: RE: response to notice of violation

Mr. Davis,

I have a few follow-up items,

- Was a copy mailed to either or both NRC Region IV / NRC Headquarters Document Control Desk?
- Did you have an opportunity to dust off that binder of procedures? Did you make changes to those procedures or was compliance restored via oral instruction?
- “If the trash is contaminated it will be held in hot trash...”
 - Part of the issue identified was to know if trash is contaminated or not, you’d have to have conducted a survey either before depositing the trash in the bin, or of the bin prior to disposal.

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Jason vonEhr

From: dldavis@srv.net <dldavis@srv.net>
Sent: Monday, April 15, 2019 12:53 PM

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Subject: [External_Sender] response to notice of violation

Jason, here is the response to the notice of violation.

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Subject: Response to notice of violation, inspection 030-32428/2019-001

Dear Mr. VonEhr:

1. Regarding failure to survey with a radiation detector survey instrument at the end of each day rather than in the morning of each day.

Starting on the day of inspection on February 14, 2019, it was discussed among the staff that from that day forward all area surveys be conducted at the end of each business day. From that day forward we have remained in compliance with that decree and are recording in such a way as to guarantee that they are being done at the end of the business day.

2. Regarding the trash contained in the hot lab and not properly surveying the trash before it was removed and put in holding before it was taken to the public trash.

Starting on the day of inspection on February 14, 2019, It was discussed amongst the staff that from that day forward, when trash is removed from the hot lab it will be surveyed for contamination and documented. If the trash is contaminated it will be held in hot trash within the hot lab until which time it can be determined to have reached background levels and the disposed with the regular trash, again being surveyed and documented to such.

Thank You

Danny L Davis

Owner/manager/ Radiation Safety Officer