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Office of Inspection and Enforcement U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission 799 Roosevelt Road Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137

> re: 12-00382-03 Leaking Sealed Sources

In September, 1980, I notified you that we have placed a 5 millicurie (12/78) cadmium-109 sealed source in storage until a decision could be made with regard to its repair or disposal.

The manufacturer was contacted and the source returned to them in October, 1980, where it was repaired. It was returned to the University in November, 1980, and is back in use.

This letter is a follow-up to our original correspondence.

Sincerely,

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