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Analytic & Biological Laboratories
ATTN: Mr. F. McLaughlin
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Farmington Hills, MI 48331

License No. 21-16864-02

Gentlemen:

This refers to a telephone contact conducted on September 27, 1989,. The contact was an examination of activities conducted under your license as they relate to radiation safety and to compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations and with the conditions of your license. The contact consisted of discussions with you and Rose Pankratz of my staff.

As a result of this examination of activities, regulatory concerns were noted and are specified below. They may be evaluated at an onsite inspection at your facility in the near future.

As you described on the telephone, the following apparent regulatory concerns were identified:

1. You failed to conduct physical inventories of your nickel-63 source at the required frequencies.
2. You failed to notify the NRC of your change of address.

You should examine your license and NRC regulations to determine how you can correct the apparent regulatory concerns that we discussed on the telephone. Please submit to this office within 30 days of this letter, a description of actions taken or those that will be taken to correct the above mentioned regulatory concerns. In addition, we would like to highlight the following items that licensees should pay particular attention to as follows:

- a. Maintaining awareness and control of licensed material.
- b. Proper transfers and disposal of radioactive sources.
- c. Promptly reporting losses or thefts

If you have any questions regarding this contact, you may contact us at 312/790-5735.

Sincerely,

Roy J. Caniano, Chief
Nuclear Materials Safety Section 2

cc: DCD/DCB (RIDS)

bcc: Technical Assistant, DRSS

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