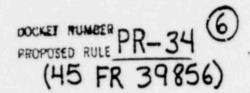


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Secretary
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D. C. 20555

Attention: Chief, Docketing and Service Branch

Reference: Radiographic NRC License 19-17176-01

Dear Sir.

Please record this letter in support of the proposed amendment to 10 CRF 34. Reliance Testing Laboratories, Inc. is in complete agreement with the proposed Paragraph 34.33(e).

Permanent records of radiation exposure to radiographers are maintained by computer print-out at our Timonium, Maryland offices. In addition the information is retained in computer storage by the film badge service company.

The purpose of the pocket dosimeter records is to give an on-the-spot immediate exposure reading to the radiographer. When these records are compared with the permanent film badge readings the pocket dosimeter records have served their useful purpose. Any backup exposure information from pocket dosimeter records will be used in less than 2 years.

Very truly yours,

Reliance Testing Laboratories, Inc.

Wilbur F. Brown, Jr.

President

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Radiation Safety Officer

Acknowledged by card . 7/29/80 mdv.

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