September 8, 1980

OFFICE	OF	INSPECTION	AND	ENFORCEMEN	T
NOTIFICATION	OF	SIGNIFICAN	NT E	NFORCEMENT	ACTION

EN-80-39

Licensee: Magnaflux Corporation, Chicago, Illinois License No. 22-00622-07

Subject: PROPOSED IMPOSITION OF A CIVIL PENALTY - \$2,000

This is to inform the Commission that a Notice of Violation and a Notice of Proposed Imposition of a Civil Penalty in the amount of Two Thousand Dollars will be issued on or about September 10, 1980, to Magnaflux Corporation. This action is based on an alleged item of noncompliance relating to the loss of a radiographic exposure device during transportation from the licensee's Springdale, Ohio facility to the Ghent Power Station in Ghent, Ohio. The radiographic device was not blocked and braced as required by the Department of Transportation regulations. A news release has been prepared and will be issued about the time the licensee receives the Notices. The State of Illinois will be notified.

It should be noted that the licensee has not been specifically informed of the enforcement action. The schedule of issuance and notification is:

Action Signed	9/5/80
Mailing of Notices	9/10/80
Telephone Notification of Licensee	9/10/80
Telephone Notification of State	9/10/80
NRC News Release to be made following	notification of Licensee

The licensee has 25 days from the date of the Notices in which to respond. Following NRC staff evaluation of the response, the civil penalty may be remitted, mitigated or imposed by Order.

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