

Appendix A

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Veterans Administration
Medical Center

License No. 22-01859-01

As a result of the inspection conducted on May 14, 1981, and in accordance with the Interim Enforcement Policy, 45 FR 66754 (October 7, 1980), the following violations were identified:

1. License Condition No. 23 states that licensed material shall be used in accordance with statements, representations and procedures contained in letter dated August 7, 1979, and other referenced documents. Item No. 4 of that letter specifies monthly smears for removable contamination be performed on a monthly basis.

Contrary to the above, monthly contamination surveys were not performed in Building 54, Room 8, a research lab where byproduct material was in use, for the months of January and February 1981, January, February, March, May, and August 1980 and other months.

This is a Severity Level V violation (Supplement VII).

2. License Condition No. 18 requires that each sealed source be tested for leakage and/or contamination at intervals not to exceed six months.

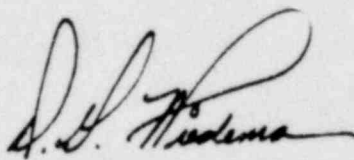
Contrary to the above, leak tests were not performed on your Co-60 and Cs-137 calibration sources and your Ni-63 gas chromatograph source between May 1980, to the date of this inspection.

This is a Severity Level V violation (Supplement VII).

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, you are required to submit to this office within twenty-five days of the date of this Notice a written statement or explanation in reply, including for each item of noncompliance: (1) corrective action taken and the results achieved; (2) corrective action to be taken to avoid further noncompliance; and (3) the date when full compliance will be achieved. Under the authority of Section 182 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, this response shall be submitted under oath or affirmation.

5-28-81

Dated



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