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In Reply Refer To:  
License: 42-10739-03  
Docket: 30-01067/90-01

Olin E. Teague Veterans' Center  
ATTN: E. A. Borrell, Director  
1901 South First Street  
Temple, Texas 76504

Gentlemen:

This refers to the routine, unannounced radiation safety inspection conducted by Mr. Anthony D. Gaines of this office on January 26, 1990, of the activities authorized by NRC Byproduct Material License 42-10739-03, and to the discussion of our findings held by the inspector with members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

The inspection was an examination of the activities conducted under the license as they relate to radiation safety and to compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations and the conditions of the license. The inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews of personnel, independent measurements, and observations by the inspector.

During this inspection, certain of your activities were found not to be conducted in full compliance with NRC requirements. Consequently, you are required to respond to this matter in writing, in accordance with the provisions of Section 2.201 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations. Your response should be based on the specifics contained in the Notice of Violation enclosed with this letter.

The inspector also reviewed the actions you had taken with respect to the violation observed during our previous inspection conducted on July 23, 1985. He verified that the corrective actions for the violation had been implemented.

The response directed by this letter and the accompanying Notice is not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, PL 96-511.

Despite the two violations noted in the attached Notice of Violation, your overall radiation safety program is adequate. Most aspects of your radiation safety program appear to have been well thought out and the program runs very smoothly. Required records were easily accessed by the radiation safety officer, which helped the inspector in his review.

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Should you have any questions concerning this letter, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

*Original Signed By:*

A. B. BEACH

A. Bill Beach, Director  
Division of Radiation Safety  
and Safeguards

Enclosure:  
Appendix - Notice of Violation

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