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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
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Docket No. 30-8748

19 MAY 1981

Gamma Diagnostic Laboratories
ATTN: Mr. Robert G. Ferris
President
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Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection 30-8748/80-02

This refers to the special inspection conducted by Ms. M. Campbell and Mr. C. Rowe of this office on October 6 and 7, 1980 of activities authorized by NRC License No. 20-15215-01MD and to the discussions of our findings held by Ms. Campbell and Mr. Rowe with yourself and Dr. DiSpigno of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during this inspection are described in the Office of Inspection and Enforcement Inspection Report which is enclosed with this letter. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspector.

Based on the results of this inspection, it appears that one of your activities was not conducted in full compliance with NRC requirements, as set forth in the Notice of Violation, enclosed herewith as Appendix A. This item of noncompliance has been categorized into the levels as described in our correspondence to you dated December 31, 1974. This notice is sent to you pursuant to the provisions of Section 2.201 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations. Section 2.201 requires you to submit to this office, within twenty-five (25) days of your receipt of this notice, a written statement or explanation in reply including: (1) corrective steps which have been taken by you and the results achieved; (2) corrective steps which will be taken to avoid further items of noncompliance; and (3) the date when full compliance will be achieved.

Application of the Commission's Interim Enforcement Criteria, published in the Federal Register Notice (45 FR 66754) dated October 7, 1980, to the item of noncompliance in Appendix A would result in classification of the item as a violation for which a monetary civil penalty would normally be imposed. Since this item occurred prior to the date the criteria were published, civil penalties are not appropriate. However, violations of this type in the future will result in consideration of monetary civil penalties.

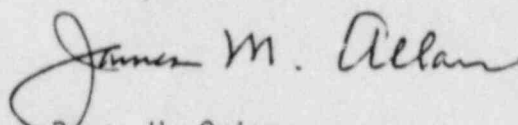
In accordance with Section 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and your reply will be placed in the Public Document Room.

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

Sincerely,


Boyce H. Grier
Director

Enclosures:

1. Appendix A, Notice of Violation
2. Office of Inspection and Enforcement Inspection
Report Number 30-8748/80-02