NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Metropolitan Waste Control Commission St. Paul, Minnesota

License No. 22-18829-03 Docket No. 030-32606

During an NRC inspection conducted on February 8, 1993, a violation of NRC requirements was identified. In accordance with the "General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Actions," 10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C, the violation is listed below:

Condition 14 of License No. 22-18829-03 requires that licensed material be possessed and used in accordance with statements, representations and procedures contained in an application dated December 4, 1991, and a letter dated April 2, 1992.

Item 9 of the application states that the face velocity of the chemical fume hood in Room 104 will be checked semi-annually.

Contrary to the above, between April 1991 and September 1992, the face velocity of the chemical fume hood in Room 104 was not checked.

This is a Severity Level IV violation (Supplement VI).

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, Metropolitan Waste Control Commission is hereby required to submit a written statement or explanation to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region III, 799 Roosevelt Road, Glen Ellyn, Illinois, 60137, within 30 days of the date of the letter transmitting this Notice of Violation (Notice). This reply should be clearly marked as a "Reply to a Notice of Violation" and should include for each violation: (1) the reason for the violation, or, if contested, the basis for disputing the violation, (2) the corrective steps that have been taken and the results achieved, (3) the corrective steps that will be taken to avoid further violations, and (4) the date when full compliance will be achieved. If an adequate reply is not received within the time specified in this Notice, an order or a demand for information may be issued to show cause why the license should not be modified, suspended, or revoked, or why such other action as may be proper should not be taken. Where good cause is shown, consideration will be given to extending the response time.

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Dated

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