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Docket No. 030-03107

License No. 37-08336-02

Quakertown Community Hospital  
ATTN: James Duffy  
Chief Executive Officer  
11th Street and Park Avenue  
Quakertown, Pennsylvania 18951

Dear Mr. Duffy:

Subject: Routine Inspection 93-001

On January 8, 1993, Michelle R. Beardsley of this office conducted a routine safety inspection at the above address of activities authorized by the above listed NRC license. The inspection was an examination of your licensed activities as they relate to radiation safety and to compliance with the Commission's regulations and the license conditions. The inspection consisted of observations by the inspector, interviews with personnel, and a selective examination of representative records. The findings of the inspection were discussed with your Radiation Safety Officer and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Based on the results of this inspection, it appears that your activities were not conducted in full compliance with NRC requirements. A Notice of Violation is enclosed as Appendix A and categorizes each violation by severity level in accordance with the "General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Actions," 10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C (Enforcement Policy). You are required to respond to this letter and in preparing your response, you should follow the instructions in Appendix A.

Please use the enclosed self-addressed green envelope when you respond to this letter to assist us in the timely processing of your response.

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.

The responses directed by this letter and the accompanying Notice are 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.

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
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Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:  
James P. Dwyer

 Mohamed M. Shanbaky, Chief  
Medical Inspection Section  
Division of Radiation Safety  
and Safeguards

Enclosure: Appendix A, Notice of Violation

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
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