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SUBJECT: NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Attention: Stan McLane

This refers to the inspection conducted by Troy W. Pruett of this office on May 25, 1993. The inspection included a review of activities authorized for your Soldotna, Alaska facility. At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with you and the Radiation Safety Officer (RSO). Subsequent telephone discussions relative to the inspection were conducted with the RSO on June 7, 1993.

The purpose of the inspection was to determine whether activities authorized by the license were conducted safely and in accordance with NRC requirements. Areas examined during the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observation of activities in progress.

Based on the results of this inspection, certain of your activities appeared to be in violation of NRC requirements, as specified in the enclosed Notice of Violation (Notice). The failure to maintain a record of inventories is a repeat violation from an inspection performed on August 25, 1989. The failure to perform leak tests resulted from inadequate management oversight of the radiation safety program during a transition period between Radiation Safety Officers.

You are required to respond to this letter and should follow the instructions specified in the enclosed Notice when preparing your response. In your response, you should document the specific actions taken and any additional actions you plan to prevent recurrence. Additionally, your response should describe those actions you plan to take to improve the management oversight of your licensed program. After reviewing your response to this Notice, including your proposed corrective actions and the results of future inspections, the NRC will determine whether further NRC enforcement action is necessary to ensure compliance with NRC regulatory requirements.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter and its enclosures will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

The responses directed by this letter and the enclosed Notice are not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required

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Sincerely,

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Gregory P. Yuhas, Chief Radioactive Materials Safety Branch

Enclosure: Notice of Violation