

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : File

DATE: June 2, 1967

FROM : H. S. North and J. R. Metzger, Radiation Specialists
Region V, Division of ComplianceSUBJECT: INSPECTORS' EVALUATION AS PER 900-15
VETERANS ADMINISTRATION CENTER
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA
LICENSE NO. 4-181-4

CO:V:JRM

The licensee's program (inspected on May 23, 1967) has not changed significantly since the last inspection. Controls appear to be generally good. Leak test records revealed that a Sr-90 eye applicator had been tested after a 9-month interval. The RSO stated that he had been relying on memory for leak test due dates. He said that he would set up a tickler file system to prevent such oversights in the future.

As was discussed at the previous inspection, copies of experimental protocols and radioisotope user experience forms are on file in the RSO's office.

The license possession limit is 6 Ci. A current inventory revealed about 2.4 Ci on hand.

Mr. L. W. Wettereau, RSO, accompanied the inspectors during the entire inspection. A brief interview was held with Dr. Bland at the beginning of the inspection and again at the exit interview. Inspection findings were discussed with him and the RSO and an AEC-591 showing no items of non-compliance was issued.

The inspectors concur in the opinion that the licensed activities do not constitute a threat to the health and safety of the patient, employees or the general public.