



UNITED STATES  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

REGION IV

611 RYAN PLAZA DRIVE, SUITE 400  
ARLINGTON, TEXAS 76011-8064

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Docket: 030-09486  
License: 40-15633-01

Queen of Peace Hospital  
ATTN: K. C. Deboer  
Vice President Patient Services  
Fifth and Foster  
Mitchell, South Dakota 57301

SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT 030-09486/93-01

The refers to the routine, unannounced inspection conducted by Mr. Richard A. Leonardi, Jr., of this office on November 16, 1993. The inspection included a review of activities authorized by Byproduct Material License 40-15633-01. At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with members of your staff.

The inspection was an examination of the activities conducted under the license as they relate to radiation safety and to compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations and the conditions of the license. The inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews of personnel, independent measurements, and observation of activities in progress.

No violations or deviations were identified; therefore, no response to this letter is required.

The inspector determined that although the licensee was authorized to use licensed material at two local nursing homes, licensed material had not yet been used outside the licensee's facility at the time of the inspection. The inspector also verified the licensee's statements in a letter received by NRC on February 26, 1992, which documented the licensee's intent to limit the use of sodium iodide I-125 and I-131 quantities less than 30 microcuries. The inspector confirmed that the licensee had not utilized sodium iodide I-125 or I-131 since February 1992.

Also reviewed were the actions you had taken with respect to the violations observed during our previous inspection conducted on July 22, 1991. The inspector verified that corrective actions for these violations had been implemented as stated in your reply dated August 19, 1991.

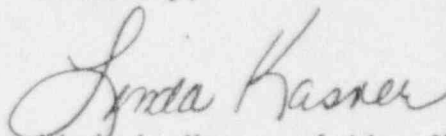
In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

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Should you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact the inspector identified above at (817) 860-8100.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Linda L. Kasner". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

Linda L. Kasner, Acting Chief  
Nuclear Materials Inspection Section

cc:  
South Dakota Radiation Control Program Director

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