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Docket No. 030-08198

License No. 29-14859-01

Greenville Hospital
ATTN: Jean Murray
Vice President, Patient Services
1825 Kennedy Boulevard
Jersey City, New Jersey 07305

Gentlemen:

Subject: Routine Inspection No. 030-08198/90-001

On September 26, 1990, Judith A. Joustra 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 you and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

During the discussion of our findings at the conclusion of the inspection Ms. Joustra expressed our concern about your management control system which permitted the numerous violations documented in the enclosure to occur. From these discussions, we understand that Greenville Hospital has recently undergone a change in its management structure and that current management consists of members from the Jersey City Medical Center. During the exit you committed to immediately correcting the apparent items of noncompliance identified during the inspection and that current management would take an active role in overseeing the facility's radiation safety program as required.

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. In your response please describe your management control program to ensure that proper staff training, audits, program implementation procedures and ALARA program are effectively implemented.

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.

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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.

Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:
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Mohamed M. Shanbaky, Chief
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Division of Radiation Safety
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Enclosure: Appendix A, Notice of Violation

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