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Atomics International Division Rockwell International 8900 DeSoto Avenue Canoga Park, California 91304 Docket No. 70-25

Attention: Mr. R. G. Jones

Vice President and Controller

Gentlemen:

This letter refers to the inspection of your activities authorized under NRC License No. SVM-21 conducted by Messrs. Y. Kobori, B. Brock and G. Hamada of our Region V Regulatory Operations Office on January 13-17, 1975. It also refers to the discussion of our inspection findings held with you, Dr. M. Remley and Mr. V. Schaubert at the conclusion of the inspection.

Based on the results of this inspection, it appears that certain of your activities were not conducted in full compliance with NRC requirements, as set forth in the Notice of Violation enclosed herewith as Appendix A. The item of noncompliance has been categorized at the level described in our correspondence to you dated December 31, 1974. This notice is sent to you pursuant to the provisions of Section 2.201 of the MRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations. Section 2.201 requires you to submit to this office, within twenty (20) days of your receipt of this notice, a written statement of explanation in reply including: (1) corrective steps which have been taken by you and the results achieved; (2) corrective steps which will be taken to avoid a further violation; and (3) the date when full compliance will be achieved.

In accordance with Section 2.790(d) of the NRC's "Rules of Practice,"
Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, documentation of findings of your control and accounting procedures for safeguarding special nuclear materials are exempt from disclosure; therefore, the enclosure to this letter, the inspection report, and your response to the item listed in the enclosure to this letter will not be placed in the Public Document Room and will receive limited distribution.

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MAR 24 1975 Atomics International Division -2-Rockwell International Should you have any questions concerning this letter, we will be glad to discuss them with you. Sincerely, Original signed by R. H. Engelken R. H. Engelken Director Enclosure: Notice of Violation bcc w/encl. IE Chief, FS&EB
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