

APPENDIX A

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Neutron Products, Inc.
Dickerson, Maryland 20842

Docket No. 99990001
License No. MD-31-025-03

During an NRC field inspection conducted on November 16, 1993, a violation of NRC requirements was identified. In accordance with the "General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Actions," 10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C, the violation is listed below:

10 CFR 150.20(b)(1) requires, in part, that when engaging in activities in non-agreement States under the general license granted by 10 CFR 150.20(a), four copies of Form NRC-241 (revised) and four copies of the Agreement state specific license be filed with the Regional Administrator of the appropriate Nuclear Regulatory Commission Regional Office at least three days prior to engaging in such activity. Form NRC-241 (revised) requires that the location of the licensed activity to be specified.

Contrary to the above, on November 16 and 17, 1993, Neutron Products personnel performed a cobalt 60 teletherapy source exchange procedure at Mayagüez Medical Center, Mayagüez, Puerto Rico, a location not specified on the Form NRC-241 submitted to the NRC.

This is a Severity Level IV violation (Supplement VI).

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, Neutron Products, Inc. is hereby required to submit a written statement or explanation to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN: Document Control Desk, Washington, D.C. 20555, with a copy to the Regional Administrator, Region I, within 30 days of the date of the letter transmitting this Notice of Violation (Notice). This reply should be clearly marked as a "Reply to a Notice of Violation" and should include for each violation: (1) the reason for the violation, or, if contested, the basis for disputing the violation, (2) the corrective steps that have been taken and the results achieved, (3) the corrective steps that will be taken to avoid further violations, and (4) the date when full compliance will be achieved. If an adequate reply is not received within the time specified in this Notice, an order or a Demand for Information may be issued to show cause why the license should not be modified, suspended, or revoked, or why such other action as may be proper should not be taken. Where good cause is shown, consideration will be given to extending the response time.

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