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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES ARMY MISSILE COMMAND REDSTONE ARSENAL, ALABAMA 35869 35898

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SUBJECT: Report Numbers 01-00126-16/82-01 and 01-00126-17/82-01

Mr. A.F. Gibson Chief, Technical Inspection Branch Division of Engineering and Technical Programs US Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region IT 101 Marietta Street, N.W. Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Dear Sir:

This command acknowledges the violations referenced in paragraphs A and B, appendix A of subject reports (Incl).

Violations occurred due to work slippage resulting from restructuring of the command radiation protection program. These changes required revision of the local regulation for ionizing radiation protection and changing the membership of our Radiation Control Committee.

Leak tests have been performed on each sealed source containing licensed material under License Condition 14-A of License No. 01-00126-17. Leak test dates have been entered on a calendar of recurring program elements to prevent future slippages.

The Ionizing Radiation Control Committee (IRCC) convened on 5 August 1982, in accordance with License Condition 16 of License No. 01-00126-16. The IRCC will be convened at least once per quarter. Projected meeting dates have also been entered on the calendar of recurring program elements.

Implementation of the required program elements as stated in the above paragraphs has resulted in full compliance as of this date.

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Sincerely,

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