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Docket No. 30-15105

License No. 08-18450-01

Yater Clinic
ATTN: Mr. Ian M. Gower
Business Manager
1780 Massachusetts Ave. N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20036

Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection No. 82-01

This refers to the routine safety inspection conducted by Mrs. Darden of this office on July 30, 1982 of activities authorized by NRC License No. 08-18450-01 and to the discussions of our findings held by Mrs. Darden with yourself at the conclusion of the inspection, and to a subsequent telephone discussion between Mrs. Darden and Ms. Ismael on August 5, 1982.

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

Our inspector also verified the steps you have taken to correct the violations brought to your attention in a letter dated October 23, 1979. We have no further questions regarding the steps you took to correct items A, B.1, and B.2. With regard to item B.3 this item has recurred.

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. These violations have been categorized by severity level in accordance with the NRC Enforcement policy (10 CFR 2, Appendix C) published in the Federal Register Notice (47 FR 9987) dated March 9, 1982. You are required to respond to this letter and in preparing your response, you should follow the instructions in Appendix A.

Item A in the Notice of Violation enclosed with this letter was identified during a previous inspection of your licensed activities on October 3, 1979, and was documented in the enclosure to our letter dated October 23, 1979. Your letter to this office dated November 28, 1979 stated that technicians would use protective clothing and gloves. From our July 30, 1982 inspection

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it appears that the stated corrective actions were not effective since these items have recurred. Recurrent and uncorrected violations are given additional weight in the consideration and selection of appropriate enforcement action. Therefore, in your response to this letter, you should give particular attention to those actions taken or planned to ensure that identified items of noncompliance will be completely corrected and will not recur.

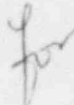
The responses directed by this letter and the accompanying Notice are not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, PL-511.

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.

Your cooperation with us in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

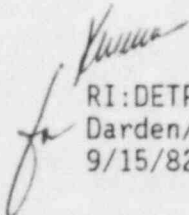
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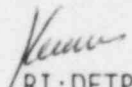
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Enclosure: Appendix A, Notice of Violation

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