August 23, 1990 EN 90-081

NOTIFICATION OF SIGNIFICANT ENFORCEMENT ACTION

Licensee: Syncor International

(EA 90-053)

Chatsworth, California Docket No. 030-14827 License No. 34-18309-01MD

Subject: PROPOSED IMPOSITION OF CIVIL PENALTIES - \$20,000

This is to inform the Commission that a Notice of Violation and Proposed Imposition of Civil Penalties in the amount of \$20,000 will be issued on or about August 24, 1990 to Syncor International, Chatsworth, California. This action is based on the willful failure to follow NRC requirements concerning the preparation of radiopharma outicals and falsification of an NRC-required record at the Blue Ash, Ohio facility. The staff submitted this action for Commission review in SECY 90-274, and the staff was directed to issue the action via SRM dated August 22, 1990.

It should be noted that the licensee has not been specifically informed of the enforcement action. The schedule of issuance and notification is:

Mailing of Notice Telephone Notification of Licensee

August 24, 1990 August 24, 1990

The State of Ohio will be notified.

The licensee has thirty days from the date of the Notice in which to respond. Following NRC evaluation of the response, the civil penalty may be remitted, mitigated, or imposed by Order.

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