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REGION IV

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Docket: 030-08009
License: 35-14145-01

Norman Regional Hospital
ATTN: Craig Jones, Administrator
P.O. Box 1308
Norman, Oklahoma 73070

SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT 030-08009/94-01

Thank you for your letter of February 7, 1994, in response to our letter and Notice of Violation dated January 24, 1994. We have reviewed your reply and find it responsive to the concerns raised in our Notice of Violation. We will review the implementation of your corrective actions during a future inspection to determine that full compliance has been achieved and will be maintained.

Sincerely,

Charles L. Cain

Charles L. Cain, Chief
Nuclear Materials Inspection Branch

cc:
Oklahoma Radiation Control Program Director

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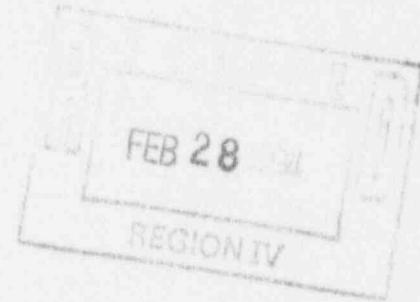
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RE: Reply to Notice of Violation

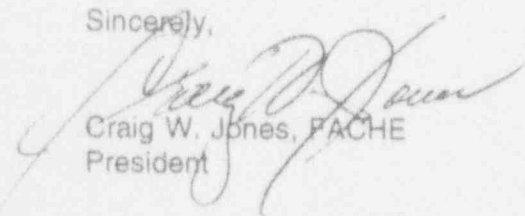
Dear Sirs:

I would like to reply to a notice of a Level IV violation we received after an inspection on January 13-14, 1994. The Norman Regional Hospital license number is 35-14145-01 and the relevant docket number is 030-08009. The violation notice stated that we did not review our quality management program for brachytherapy between January 1992 and July 1993, an interval greater than 12 months.

- 1) The reason for the violation is that we thought the rules called for an annual review which was erroneously scheduled near mid-year.
- 2) All the brachytherapy patients treated in the interval between January 1992 and July 1993 were reviewed in the July 1993 quality management review. Thus, we have already verified that there were no misadministrations or recordable events during that interval.
- 3) In the future the quality management review will be scheduled so that the interval between consecutive annual reviews will be less than 12 months.
- 4) Full compliance has been achieved as of the date of this letter.

We will be pleased to answer any further questions in more detail if desired.

Sincerely,


Craig W. Jones, FACHE
President

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