

APPENDIX A

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Cornell University
Ward Laboratory of Nuclear Engineering

Docket Nos. 50-97
50-157
70-211

This refers to the inspection conducted by representatives of the Region I (Philadelphia) office at the Ward Laboratory of Nuclear Engineering, Ithaca, New York, of activities authorized by NRC License Nos. R-80, R-89 and SNM-187.

During this inspection, conducted on September 7-8, 1978, the following apparent item of noncompliance was identified.

10 CFR 70.51(d) requires, in part, each licensee who is authorized to possess at any one time and location special nuclear material in a quantity totaling more than 350 grams of contained uranium-235, uranium-233, or plutonium, or any combination thereof, to conduct a physical inventory of all special nuclear material in his possession under license at intervals not to exceed twelve months.

Contrary to the above, the inspector determined that, a complete physical inventory of SNM under license had not been completed within the past twelve months. The licensee is authorized to possess greater than 350 grams of special nuclear material.

This is an Infraction.

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