NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Springfield Community Hospital Springfield, Missouri License No. 24-20335-01 Docket No. 030-18266

During an NRC inspection conducted on March 2, 1994, violations of NRC requirements were identified. In accordance with the "General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Actions," 10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C, the violation is listed below:

 10 CFR 20.1802 requires that the licensee control and maintain constant surveillance of licensed material that is in a controlled or unrestricted area and that is not in storage.

Contrary to the above, on March 2, 1994, the nuclear medicine technologist failed to control and maintain constant surveillance of the department's hot lab. Specifically the technologist failed to close and lock the door to the h.t lab while administering a dose in the hospital cardiac unit located in another section of the hospital.

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, Springfield Memorial Hospital is hereby required to submit a written statement or explanation to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region III, 801 Warrenville Road, Lisle, Illinois, 60532-4351, within 30 days of the date of the letter transmitting this Notice of Violation (Notice). This reply should be clearly marked as a "Reply to a Notice of Violation" and should include for each violation: (1) the reason for the violation, or, if contested, the basis for disputing the violation, (2) the corrective steps that have been taken and the results achieved, (3) the corrective steps that will be taken to avoid further violations, and (4) the date when full compliance will be achieved. If an adequate reply is not received within the time specified in this Notice, an order or a demand for information may be issued as to why the license should not be modified, suspended, or revoked, or why such other action as may be proper should not be taken. Where good cause is shown, consideration will be given to extending the response time.

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