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St. Louis Testing Laboratories, Inc. ATTN: Mr. Frederick W. Wiese

President

2810 Clark Avenue St. Louis, MO 63103 License No.: 24-00188-02 Docket No.: 030-05064

EA 90-153

Gentlemen:

This refers to the telephone conversation between you and Mr. B. A. Parker of this office on September 6, 1990, regarding arrangements for an enforcement conference between members of our respective organizations. This meeting is scheduled for 1:00 p.m. (CDT), Tuesday, September 25, 1990, at the NRC Region III office at 799 Roosevelt Road, Building 4, Glen Ellyn, Illinois.

The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the findings of the inspection conducted at your facility on August 28, 1990. The inspection identified four apparent violations of NRC requirements. An inspection report will be provided to you prior to our scheduled meeting and a summary of the apparent violations is enclosed for your review. Please be prepared to discuss the root cause of these violations and your corrective actions taken and/or planned to preclude recurrence of these violations.

If you have any questions regarding this meeting, please contact Mr. Gary L. Shear or Mr. Bryan A. Parker of my staff at (708) 790-5500.

Sincerely.

Churs Mallot Charles E. Norefius, Director Division of Radiation Safety

and Safequards

Enclosure: As stated

cc w/enclosure: DCD/DCB (RIDS)

bcc w/enclosure: J. Lieberman, OE J. Goldberg, OGC R Bernero, NMSS

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Apparent Violations

- 1. Failure to limit a radiation worker's total whole body dose to 1250 millirem per calendar quarter. (20.101(a))
- Failure to secure the sealed source assembly during radiographic operations each time the source was returned to that position. (34.22(a))
- 3. Failure to survey the entire circumference of the exposure device after each exposure. (34.43(b))
- Failure to position the control drive cables such that no bend radii of less than 36 inches exist. (License Condition No. 23)



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REGION III 799 ROOSEVELT ROAD GLEN ELLYN, ILLINOIS 60137

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NOTICE OF SIGNIFICANT LICENSEE MEETING

Name of Licensee: St. Louis Testing Laboratories, Inc.

Facility: St. Louis, Missouri

License No.: 24-00188-02

Docket No. 030-05064

Enforcement Action No.: 90-153

Date and Time of Meeting: September 25, 1990, 1:00 p.m. (CDT)

Location of Meeting: NRC Region III Office

799 Roosevelt Road Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

Purpose of Meeting: To discuss NRC findings during a recent inspection.

the NRC Enforcement Policy, and the licensee's

corrective actions.

NRC Attendees:

C. E. Norelius, Director, Division of Radiation Safety and Safeguards

C. D. Pederson, Director, Enforcement and Investigation Coordination Staff

C. H. Weil, Enforcement Coordinator

b. A. Berson, Regional Counsel

J. A. Grobe, Chief, Nuclear Materials Safety Branch

R. J. Caniano, Chief, Nuclear Materials Safety Section 2

B. A. Parker, Radiation Specialist

Licensee Attendees:

Frederick W. Wiese, President Scott Zimmer, Manager, NDT

Ed Osaben, Radiation Safety Officer

NOTE: Attendance by NRC personnel at this Region III licensee meeting should be made known by 1:00 p.m., (CDT), September 24, 1990, via telephone call to R. J. Caniano, Region III, FTS 388-5721.

Distribution:

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