APPENDIX A

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Hermes Abrasives, LTD

License No. 45-19513-01

As a result of the inspection conducted on June 15, 1982, and in accordance with the NRC Enforcement Policy, 47 FR 9987 (March 9, 1982), the following violation was identified.

License Condition 13 requires that each sealed source containing licensed material be tested for leakage and/or contamination at intervals not to exceed six months.

Contrary to the above, three Strontium-90 sealed sources have not been tested for leakage and/or contamination since their installation in September 1981, a period exceeding six months.

This is a Severity Level IV Violation (Supplement VI).

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, you are hereby required to submit to this office within thirty days of the date of this Notice, a written statement or explanation in reply, including: (1) admission or denial of the alleged violation; (2) the reasons for the violation if admitted; (3) the corrective steps which have been taken and the results achieved; (4) corrective steps which will be taken to avoid further violations; and (5) the date when full compliance will be achieved. Consideration may be given to extending your response time for good cause shown.

Date: July 8, 1982

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