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United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region I 475 Allendale Road King of Prussia, PA 19406

Gentlemen:

SUBTECT: Inspection #'s 030-01774/90-001 and 030-18988/90-001

with regard to violation A:

The calibrated well counter which is in Nuclear Medicine and which is routinely used to evaluate area wipe tests will now be used to evaluate removable contamination on all wipes. The Ludlum survey instrument will not be used until it is calibrated and can demonstrate sufficient sensitivity.

With regard to violation B:

The Co-60 leak test is routinely done by Theratronics Inc. as part of their routine 6 month PMI on the Cobalt unit. It was not done in the time frame in question and that fact slipped by us. This calibration report will now be reviewed twice yearly by the Departmental Quality Assurance Committee in addition to the routine physics check.

Sincerely,

Warren Kessler, President

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