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Docket No. 030-17081 License No. 10-08389-03

Veterans Affairs Medical Center Downtown Division ATTN: Mr. Thomas L. Ayres Director 950 15th Street Augusta, GA 30910

Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT NO. 10-08389-03/90-01

Thank you for your response of September 5, 1990, to our Notice of Violation issued August 9, 1990, concerning activities conducted under NRC License 10-08389-03. We have evaluated your response and found that it meets the requirements of 10 CFR 2.201. We will examine the implementation of your corrective actions during future inspections.

Item A(1) of your response denies the cited violation regarding the apparent failure to provide extremity dosimetry to individuals who routinely use millicurie quantities of phosphorus 32 (P-32). The inspectors made their initial finding based on statements made by the research investigator in question which indicated that (1) the individual did "routinely" handle millicurie quantities of P-32; and (2) the individual had never been provided extremity dosimetry. On the basis of the additional information you provided in your response, the violation has been withdrawn.

We appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

William E. Cline, Chief

Nuclear Materials Safety and

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