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September 7, 1982.

United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region III 799 Roosevelt Road Glen Ellvn, Illinois 60137

Attn: D.J. Sreniawski Chief Materials Radiation Protection

Dear Sir:

We have received your notice of noncompliance. We have caused corrective measures to be taken as outlined below. However, I must point out that the notice of violation is incorrect, when it states that no test for leakage or contamination were made for an interval of over six months. That was incorrect. Two such tests were made, each at an interval of less than six months from the previous one. The problem was that they were not of an acceptable form according to the inspector, Mr. Slawinski, and we accept that criticism. We do not accept the statement that no tests were made. There may be no practical difference in the regulations between the two statements but there is a great deal of difference in our mind between them. Please note our exception to the notice of violation.

1: After considerable effort, we have located a tester for our source who will test as per your regulations. The firm name is:

> Health Physics Associates 3304 Commercial Avenue Northbrook, Illinois 60062

We have delayed our response to your notice of violation so that we could include the results of their test. As may be seen by their report (copy enclosed) the results were completely negative, as predicted by our in-house tests.

2: We shall continue to have these tests made semi-annually as requested.

3: Full compliance was achieved as of August 26, 1982.

Yours truly, William R Cooky

William R. Cook, Jr.

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CERTIFICATE OF RADIOA PHYSICS ASSOCIATES HEALTH PHYSICS ASSOCIATE ATE TESTED 8/ ERTIFICAT 5580 3304 COMMERCIAL AVENUE / NORTHBROOK Name Cleveland Crystals, Inc. Address 19306 Red wood Ave. ITTE LICENSE # Expiration Date 2/28/86 city Cleveland State Ohio Zip 44110 State License # Expiration Date Equipment Manufacturer Jso tope Aroducts Lab . Model No. AN-241-10 Serial No. Isotope Americium-241 Curiage 10 milli C. Date 7/1/81 Source Serial No. Date 8/23/82 Individual performing test William R. Cook Jn This test was performed in accordance with H.P. Associates instructions included in this kit, No. HP-B-31 (Signature of Individual Performing Test) (To be filled out by Health Physics Associates) DATE SAMPLE RECEIVED 8/26/82 DATE SAMPLE PROCESSED 8/27/82 TEST DATA Microcuries CPM (Net) Sample CPM -- Counts Per Minute m m Detected M M m M M --- Less than 0.0001 Microcuries Am 241 31261 0.0296 Standard CONCLUSION: Results of this test do not indicate the presence of reportable removable radioactivity. In accordance with prevail-2/23/83 ing regulations, this test should be performed again before 2 1982

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