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In Reply Refer To:
License: 03-21354-01
Docket: 030-20548/90-01

Southwest X-Ray Corporation
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Gentlemen:

This refers to the routine, unannounced radiation safety inspection conducted by Messrs. Richard A. Leonardi, Jr. and Bruce Earnest of this office on October 31, 1990, of the activities authorized by NRC Byproduct Material License No. 03-21354-01, and to the discussion of our findings held by the inspectors with members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

The inspection was an examination of the activities conducted under the license as they relate to radiation safety and to compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations and the conditions of the license. The inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews of personnel, independent measurements, and observations by the inspectors.

No violations or deviations were identified.

The inspectors determined that within the past year about 75 percent of the licensee's radiography activities have been confined to the state of Wyoming with the remaining 25 percent in Arkansas. The licensee stated that as of September 1, 1990, there are five mobile radiography rigs working in Wyoming.

The inspector observed that the licensee's records management program was well organized with the individual records current and complete. Additionally, the radiation safety officer had taken an active role in the day-to-day activities of the licensee's radiation safety program and has been effective in maintaining the program as described in the licensee's radiation safety manual.

The inspectors also reviewed the actions you had taken with respect to the violation observed during our previous inspection conducted on October 18, 1989. They verified that corrective actions for the violation had been implemented.

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Should you have any questions concerning this letter, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:

A. B. BEACH

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