

APPENDIX A

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

General Electric Company
Wilmington Manufacturing Department

Docket No. 70-1113
License No. SNM-1097

As a result of the inspection conducted on July 26-30 and August 3-4, 1982, and in accordance with the MRC Enforcement Policy, 47 FR 9987 (March 9, 1982), the following violation was identified.

License Condition 14 of the license requires that materials and equipment released from restricted areas meet the contamination limits specified in Annex C to the license. Annex C requires that the maximum amount of removable alpha radioactivity in disintegrations per minute per one hundred square centimeters not exceed 1000.

Contrary to the above, the requirements of the license condition were not met in that on July 25, 1982, several pieces of used pipe were released from the restricted area with removable alpha radioactivity levels in excess of 1000 disintegrations per minute per 100 square centimeters. The maximum contamination level was approximately 9,000 disintegrations per minute per 100 square centimeters.

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

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: August 20, 1982

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