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Dear Mr. Russell:

Senator Arlen Specter forwarded to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) your letter of December 17, 1992, regarding a petition for rulemaking to require two-person crews for radiography at temporary job sites. The NRC received this petition directly from the petitioners on October 15, 1992, and published a notice of receipt and request for comment in the Federal Register on December 4, 1992, (57 FR 57392). The public comment period closes on February 2, 1993. The NRC staff is currently in the process of preparing a revision to 10 CFR Part 34, which is the portion of the NRC's regulations which the petitioners have requested be modified. The NRC staff plans to address the petition in conjunction with that rulemaking.

Sincerely,

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