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MEMORANDUM FOR:

C. J. Heltemes, Jr., Deputy Director for

Generic Issues and Rulewaking,

Office of Nuclear Regulatory Research

FROM:

Carlton Kammerer, Director & dommerer

Office of State Programs

SUBJECT:

OFFICE CONCURRENCE ON PART 34 (RADIOGRAPHY)

RULEMAKING

The Office of State Programs (OSP) has reviewed the rulemaking and has no other comments on the Part 34 (Radiography) rulemaking.

OSP has previously transmitted the comments we have received from the Agreement States on the conceptual model radiography standard, 10 CFR Part 34 to Cheryl Trottier. Twenty Agreement States provided comments on the proposed model. Additionally, OSP received comments from the U. S. Navy. The Navy is an NRC Master Materials licensee with extensive experience in industrial radiography and was a participant in the Trving, Texas radiography workshop held in November 1992.

This rulemaking on radiography is one of the first to be accomplished under the "early and substantive involvement" concept and it is very rewarding to see that many of the suggestions, comments and ideas proposed by the Agreement States and the regulated community have been incorporated into the final rule. Please extend our compliments to Don Cool, Cheryl Trottier, Don Nellis and Mary Thomas for their exceptionally fine work.

If you have further questions, please call Jim Myers at 504-2328.

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