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Dear Mr. Wiedeman:

This will acknowledge the October 1, 1982, receipt of your letter concerning the inspection of this Department on August 25 and 26, 1982.

In response to your items, we offer the following:

1. In our application submitted January 8, 1981, and in our letter dated December 10, 1981, we requested authorization to possess sealed sources at our 525 West Jefferson Street location. However, our license was issued authorizing the possession of the sealed sources referenced in Item 6A of our license at 535 West Jefferson Street only. Upon receipt of the license, Mr. Paul Eastvold telephoned your licensing section to indicate that 525 West Jefferson Street had not been placed on the license as an authorized location as requested. On January 21, 1982, a written request was submitted to the licensing section to add 525 West Jefferson Street as an authorized location for these sources. As of the present time, we have not yet received the requested amendment.

Due to the fact that we no longer had access to the 535 West Jefferson Street facility, the sources were stored at 525 West Jefferson Street at which we are authorized to store our 3 curie and 30 millicurie Cesium 137 sources.

Since we have no authorized location at which to possess the sources specified in Item 6A of our license, we have, of necessity, discontinued plans for using these sources for quality assurance surveys in nuclear medicine at licensee facilities and have returned them to the U.S. Food and Drug Administration, Bureau of Radiological Health. This was completed on October 14, 1982.

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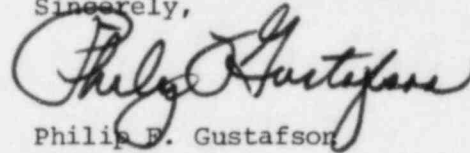
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2. The record of the transfer of the 150 microcurie Cesium 137 source from our Berkeley, Illinois, office to our Springfield office was located at, and has been obtained from, our Berkeley office. As your inspector observed during his review of our present program, we now have detailed procedures set up for maintenance of pertinent records and inventory control.

We trust the above actions meet with your approval and have placed us in compliance with your regulations.

Sincerely,



Philip E. Gustafson  
Director

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