

APPENDIX A

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Western Industrial X-Ray, Inc.
600 Hoffman Boulevard
Richmond, California 94801

10 CFR 150.20 General License
State of California License 2851-60

As a result of the NRC special safety inspection conducted on October 1, 1982 of activities carried out under the general license provisions of 10 CFR 150.20, and in accordance with the NRC Enforcement Policy (10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C) 47 FR 9987 (March 9, 1982), the following violation was identified:

- A. 10 CFR 150.20(b)(1) requires that any person who engages in activities in non-agreement states or areas under exclusive federal jurisdiction under a general license provided by 10 CFR 150.20 shall at least 3 days prior to engaging in such activity, file four copies of Form NRC-241 and four copies of the agreement state specific license.

10 CFR 150.20(b)(1) further states that the licensee may be authorized to commence the proposed activity upon notification by telephone of intent to conduct the proposed activity under the general license, provided that the appropriate copies of Form NRC-241 and Agreement State license are filed with the regional office within 3 days after the telephone notification.

The licensee's Radiation Safety Officer notified the NRC Region V Office at 8:30 a.m. on October 1, 1982 of the proposed industrial radiography activities during the period October 1-3, 1982 on board the ship USS WABASH located at Hunters Point Naval Shipyard, San Francisco, California, an area under exclusive Federal jurisdiction. The Radiation Safety Officer further stated that radiography had been conducted without his prior knowledge during the hours between 12:30 a.m. and 4:35 a.m. on October 1, 1982 on the USS WABASH with an exposure device containing 95 curies of iridium-192.

Contrary to the above requirement, radiography activities were performed on board the ship USS WABASH on October 1, 1982 prior to the filing of Form NRC-241 and Agreement State license, and prior to any telephone notification by the licensee of the proposed activities.

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

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, Western Industrial X-Ray, Inc. is 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) the corrective steps which have been taken and the results achieved;
(2) corrective steps which will be taken to avoid further items of noncompliance; and (3) the date when full compliance will be achieved. Consideration may be given to extending your response time for good cause shown.

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Original signed by
R. D. Thomas

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DATE

R. D. Thomas, Chief
Materials Radiation Protection Section

Western Industrial X-Ray, Inc.

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If you have any questions on this matter or concerning this inspection,
please telephone Mr. Skov on 415-943-3700.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY
G. S. SPENCER

George S. Spencer, Director
Division of Radiological Safety
and Safeguards Program

Enclosure:
Appendix A - Notice of Violation

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