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United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region III
799 Roosevelt Road
Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137

Ref: License No. 34-24346-01
Docket No. 030-18505

Gentlemen:

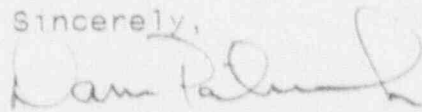
This letter is in response to a violation discovered by NRC Safety Inspection conducted by James W. Patterson on October 23-24, 1990. The violation occurred when our former R.S.O. retrieved a radioactive IR-192 source on July 2, 1990.

The application dated August 14, 1989, Emergency Procedures 3.6, states that retrievals may be attempted by authorized companies only.

To correct this violation, Manoir Electroalloys is requesting an amendment to our license that will enable Manoir Electroalloys' Radiation Safety Officer to retrieve disconnected radioactive sources. The amendment shall be submitted by 1-25-91 for NRC review. Until Manoir Electroalloys receives a response from our amendment request, we will adhere to our current license which states only authorized companies may retrieve disconnected sources.

If any further information is required, please feel free to contact me anytime.

Sincerely,



Dan Patrick,
Radiation Safety Officer

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