

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

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Docket Nos. 030-13584, 030-31462, 030-01183, 030-01182, 030-14313, 030-19550 License Nos. 52-01946-07 52-01946-09 52-01986-04 52-01986-01 52-10510-04 52-19434-02

EA 91-089

University of Puerto Rico ATTN: Dr. Jose M. Saldana President General Post Office Box 364984 San Juan, PR 00936-4984

Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: ORDER IMPOSING CIVIL MONETARY PENALTY - \$5,830

This refers to your letter dated September 27, 1991, in response to the Notice of Violation and Proposed Imposition of Civil Penalty (Notice) sent to you by our letter dated August 28, 1991. Our letter and Notice described twenty-eight violations identified during an inspection conducted on June 17-21, 1991 at the University of Puerto Rico.

Section I of the Notice described fifteen violations associated with activities at your Medical Services Campus (License No. 52-01946-07), for which a civil penalty of \$6,250 was proposed.

In your response to Section I, (Violations assessed a Civil Penalty), you admitted nine violations, partially admitted five violations and denied violation I.D, and requested a reduction of the civil penalty based on the corrective actions taken.

After consideration of your response to Section I, we have concluded for the reasons given in the Appendix attached to the enclosed Order Imposing Civil Monetary Penalty that Violation I.D should be withdrawn but that, with the exception of Violation I.D, the violations occurred as stated in the Notice. Because we have withdrawn Violation I.D, the amount of the civil penalty has been reduced by one-fifteenth. However, a sufficient basis was not given for further reduction of the civil penalty. Accordingly, we hereby serve the enclosed Order on the University of Puerto Rico imposing a civil monetary penalty in the amount of

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In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice", a copy of this letter and the enclosures will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room.

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Sincerely,

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Hugh L. Thompson, Jr. Deputy Executive Director for Nuclear Materials Safety, Safeguards and Operations Support

Enclosures:

- Order Imposing Civil Monetary Penalty w/Appendix
- 2. Evaluation of Violations Not Assessed a Civil Penalty
- 3. Information Notice 90-09

CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED