

License: 40-18000-01

NOV 09 1982

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St. Luke's Hospital
ATTN: Dale J. Stein
Executive Director
305 South State Street
Aberdeen, SD 57401

Gentlemen:

This refers to the routine safety inspection conducted by Mr. C. A. Hooker of this office on September 15-16, 1982, of the activities authorized by the NRC Byproduct Material License 40-18000-01 and to the discussion of our findings held by the inspector with members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

The inspection was an examination of the activities conducted under the license as they relate to radiation safety and to compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations, and the conditions of the license. The inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews of personnel, independent measurements, and observations by the inspector.

During this inspection certain of your activities were found not to be conducted in full compliance with NRC requirements. Item 1 described in the attached Notice of Violation, involving the possession and use of unauthorized material, is classified as a Severity Level IV violation, after careful consideration of the safety significance in this specific instance. Consequently, you are required to respond to this matter, in writing, in accordance with the provisions of Section 2.201 of the NRC "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations. Your response should be based on the specifics contained in the Notice of Violation attached to this letter.

In addition, we are concerned about the implementation of your program for management control of your licensed activities that permitted these violations to occur. Consequently, in your reply you should describe, in particular, those actions taken or planned to improve the effectiveness of your management control of the requirements of your license.

The responses directed by this letter and accompanying Notice are not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, PL 96-511.

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Should you have any questions concerning this letter, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

John T. Collins
Regional Administrator

Enclosure:
Appendix - Notice of Violation

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AEOD	J. Collins
IE Files	EJohnson/Marshall
IE/RSB	Inspector
NMSS	S. File
NRC PDR	HQ File
	RIV File
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