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OFFICE OF ENFORCEMENT  
NOTIFICATION OF SIGNIFICANT ENFORCEMENT ACTION

Licensee: Fewell Geotechnical Engineering, Ltd. (EA 90-196)  
Pearl City, Hawaii  
Docket No. 030-30870

Subject: PROPOSED IMPOSITION OF CIVIL PENALTY - \$20,000

This is to inform the Commission that a Notice of Violation and Proposed imposition of Civil Penalty in the amount of \$20,000 will be issued on or about February 7, 1991 to Fewell Geotechnical Engineering, Ltd. This action is based on multiple willful radiation safety violations by a radiographer, including failure to survey after exposures, failure to adequately post the restricted area, failure to secure the source after exposures, and failure to prevent entry into the restricted area. In addition, the radiographer provided false information to NRC personnel as to his activities. Other violations, involving records and audits, were cited.

It should be noted that the licensee has not been specifically informed of the enforcement action. The schedule of issuance and notification is:

Mailing of Notice February 7, 1991  
Telephone Notification of Licensee February 7, 1991

The State of Hawaii will be notified.

The licensee has thirty days from the date of the Notice in which to respond. Following NRC evaluation of the response, the civil penalty may be remitted, mitigated, or imposed by Order.

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