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May 23, 1994

CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED # 73844

Mr. William Salisbury, President
American Nuclear Corporation
PO Box 2713
Casper, WY 82601

RE: Permit No. 352, Notice of Violation, Docket No. 2557-94

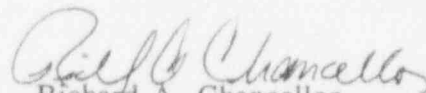
Dear Mr. Salisbury:

Enclosed is a Notice of Violation for a violation at American Nuclear Corporation located in Fremont County, Wyoming. The violation is for abandonment of mine before reclamation has been completed. A mine operations is considered abandoned if the corporation conducting the operation goes out of business. American Nuclear wrote a letter to the Nuclear regulatory Commission on May 9, 1994 telling them they would be going out of business.

Based on our telephone conversations, American Nuclear does not have funds available to abate the Notice. Therefore the Department will request the Environmental Quality Council to initiate bond forfeiture proceedings.

If you should have any questions, please contact Mark Moxley of the District II office at (307) 332-3047.

Sincerely,


Richard A. Chamallo
Acting Administrator
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