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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001

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License No. 49-27356-01
EA 93-238

Western Industrial X-Ray Inspection Company, Inc.
ATTN: Larry Wicks
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SUBJECT: ORDER SUSPENDING LICENSE (IMMEDIATELY EFFECTIVE) AND DEMAND FOR INFORMATION

The enclosed Order Suspending License (Immediately Effective)(Order) and Demand for Information is being issued as a result of NRC inspections and investigations that have identified numerous violations of radiation safety requirements by employees of Western Industrial X-Ray Inspection Company, Inc. (WIX).

The enclosed Order, which is effective on the date issued, requires WIX to suspend all radiography activities with the exception of taking steps to ensure that all licensed radioactive materials are stored safely. WIX is prohibited from conducting radiography activities pending further NRC order. This means that you must immediately stop using all radiography cameras in your possession and place them in safe storage.

You are required to provide an Answer to the Order and respond to the Demand for Information, which requires you to provide information to assist the NRC in determining whether the license should be revoked or whether the NRC can have confidence that future activities will be carried out in compliance with all requirements.

Failure to comply with the provisions of this Order may result in civil or criminal sanctions. The issuance of this Order does not preclude the possibility of further enforcement action against individuals who deliberately violated NRC requirements.

Questions concerning this Order should be addressed to James Lieberman, Director, Office of Enforcement, who can be reached by telephone at (301) 504-2741.

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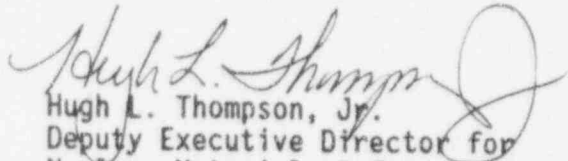
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In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice", a copy of this letter and the enclosures will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room.

Sincerely,



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

Enclosure: As Stated

cc w/Enclosure:
State of Wyoming