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Magna-Chek, Inc.
ATTN: Mr. Ed Jones
2125 Riggs St.
Warren, MI 48091

License No. 21-19111-02
Docket No. 030-18632

Gentlemen:

This refers to the routine onsite safety inspection conducted by Ms. C. C. Casey of this office on November 16, 1990 of activities authorized by NRC Byproduct Material License No. 21-19111-02 and to the telephone discussion of our findings with Mr. Joseph Wompler on December 19, 1990. This also refers to the receipt of your December 3, 1990 letter which provided additional information regarding your licensed program.

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

In addition to the above areas, the inspector examined actions described in your letter dated January 8, 1990, regarding apparent violations found during our October 26, 1989, inspection. We have no further questions regarding these matters.

During this inspection, certain of your activities appeared to be in violation of NRC requirements, as specified in the enclosed Notice. A written response is required.

One other issue was identified in addition to the violation described in the enclosed Notice. This additional issue concerned your failure to retain records of sealed source leak test results from July 1990, as required by 10 CFR 34.25 (a). This would normally be categorized as a Severity Level V violation. Considering the severity level of the violation, plus the fact that you took action to correct the violation during the inspection to prevent its recurrence, the violation is not being cited because the criteria specified in Section V.A. of the Enforcement Policy were satisfied.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter, the enclosures, and your response to this letter will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

The responses directed by this letter and the 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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We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this inspection.

Sincerely,

Roy J. Caniano, Chief
Nuclear Materials Safety
Section 2

Enclosure:
Notice of Violation

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