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EA: 92-031

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Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT NO. 030-06415/92-01

Thank you for your letter of April 10, 1992, in response to our letter and attached Notice of Violation both dated March 17, 1992. We have reviewed your reply and find it responsive to the concerns raised in our Notice of Violation. We will review the implementation of your corrective actions during a future inspection to determine whether full compliance has been achieved and will be maintained.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:

CHARLES L. CAIN
Charles L. Cain, Chief
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Texas Radiation Control Program Director

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RE: Docket No. 030-06415
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EA No. 92-031
"Reply to Notice of Violation"

Gentlemen:

On November 27, 1991, a Century Inspection, Inc. radiographer violated the requirements of 10 CFR 34.33(a), which requires that film badge, direct-reading pocket dosimeter, and alarm ratemeter be worn while conducting radiography. As delineated in a letter addressed to Mr. Charles Cain dated January 27, 1992, the equipment required by 10 CFR 34.33(a) had been issued to the radiographer, but the radiographer had inadvertently removed outer clothing which contained his film badge and pocket dosimeter. Although the radiographer had a rate alarm meter with him, he was not using the rate alarm meter in the manner required by 10 CFR 34.33(a).

As a result of Century's research as to why the violation occurred, Century took the following corrective action to prevent recurrence of the violation.

1. One of Century Inspection's Assistant Radiation Safety Directors was sent to the job site location to perform a safety audit.
2. A Memo dated January 16, 1992 was addressed to all Century Inspection Employees explaining the importance of adhering to 10 CFR 34.33(a). (A copy of this Memo was attached to the above referenced letter to Mr. Cain dated January 27, 1992.)

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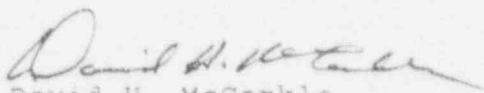
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3. Pouches to hold film badges and dosimeters were purchased and supplied to each radiographer and assistant. These pouches are to be worn on a belt with rate alarm. This should prevent the recurrence of the referenced violation.

Full compliance was achieved on January 27, 1992.

Should you have questions or need additional information, please contact me.

Respectfully submitted,


David H. McCorkle
President

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