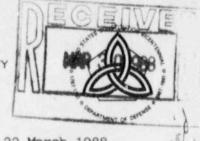


## DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

HEADQUARTERS U.S. ARMY MEDICAL DEPARTMENT ACTIVITY FORT SILL, OKLAHOMA 73503-6300



REPLY TO ATTENTION OF

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22 March 1988

MEMORANDUM FOR: U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION, REGION IV, PARKWAY CENTRAL PLAZA BUILDING, SUITE 1000, ARLINGTON, TX 76011

SUBJECT: U. S. NRC Severity Level IV Violation

- 1. I have reviewed the report of your radiation safety inspection conducted on 4 December 1987 at Reynolds Army Community Hospital on Byproduct Material License 35-10202-01. The following corrective actions have been taken regarding the violation identified during your inspection.
- a. Immediate Action: Upon notification of the incident, Colonel Norris' privileges were summarily suspended. The hospital Credentials Committee reviewed the incident and recommended a letter of reprimand, which she received. Her privileges were reinstated with the condition that she will report to the committee at each regula meeting. Also that all administrative and professional initiatives entertained by Colonel Norris will first be discussed and approved by the Deputy Commander for Clinical Services.
- b. Ongoing Actions: Colonel Norris' professional and administrative activities are closely monitored by the the Deputy Commander for Clinical Services and by the radiation protection officer. To date, no violations of Nuclear Regulatory Commission standards and guidelines have occurred.
- c. Future Actions: Colonel Norris will complete her current enlistment agreement on 14 July 1988. We have recommended that she not as allowed to continue on active duty beyond that date. Department of the Army concurs with our recommendations and Colonel Norris will not be allowed to extend her agreement beyond that date.
- 2. Full compliance was achieved on the date Colonel Norris' privileges were summarily suspended. No further violations have occurred.
- 3. Reynolds Army Community Hospital will continue to conduct its program in accordance with US NRC regulations and Byproduct Material License 35-10202-01.
- 4. Point of contact for further information is 2LT Boatwright, autovon 639-2913 or commercial (405) 351-5316.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

SERALD L. CHANCE

CPT, MS

Information Management Officer

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