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PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF EVENT OR UNUSUAL OCCURRENCE--PNO-V-88-05 Date: 1-28-88

This preliminary notification constitutes EARLY notice of events of POSSIBLE safety or public interest significance. The information presented is as initially received without verification or evaluation and is basically all that is known by Region V staff on this date.

FACILITY:	AGREEMENT STATE ARIZONA RADIATION REGULATORY AGENCY (ARRA) 4814 SO. 40TH STREET PHOENIX, ARIZONA 85040	Licensee Emergency Classification <input type="checkbox"/> Notification of Unusual Event <input type="checkbox"/> Alert <input type="checkbox"/> Site Area Emergency <input type="checkbox"/> General Emergency <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable
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SUBJECT: LOST OR STOLEN TROXLER MOISTURE DENSITY GAUGE

At approximately 9:15 AM PST, January 28, 1988, NRC learned from the State of Arizona that a Troxler Portable Moisture/Density Gauge Model 3411B, Serial Number 13851 had been lost or stolen from the back of a pickup truck in Phoenix, Arizona sometime during the night. The Troxler Gauge is licensed to Foreen and Vann license number #Arizona 7-263. The gauge contains 10mCi Cs-137 and 50m Ci Am-241 Be and was missing apparently still in the shipping container. The ARRA plans to make a local press release in Phoenix today. The State contact is William Wright, Supervisor of Radioactive Materials, Phone 602-255-4845.

Region V was notified at 9:15 AM, PST, January 28, 1988.

This information is current as of January 28, 1988, 9:15 AM, PST.

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