July 14, 1997

EA 97-145

Gary A. Saage, Jr. Vice President - Finance and CFO Cartier, Inc. Two Corperate Drive Shelton, CT 06484

Gentlemen:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter dated July 3, 1997 and your check for \$7,500 in payment for the civil penalty proposed by NRC in a letter dated June 18, 1997. Your corrective actions will be examined during future inspections.

The NRC recognizes that you identified the need for a license and ceased distribution. The NRC also recognizes that you initiated comprehensive corrective action. However, given the length of time during which the NRC was unable to carry out its statutory responsibility, the NRC still concludes that the civil penalty is warranted.

Sincerely,

Original Signed James Lieberman James Lieberman, Director Office of Enforcement

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