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UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

MAR 25 1986

Wendy Parker, Staff Reporter
The Montgomery County Sentinel
P.O. Box 1272
Rockville, MD 20850-9981

IN RESPONSE REFER
TO FOIA-86-122

Dear Ms. Parker:

This is in regard to your request, pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, to which the NRC assigned the above number.

- ☐ This is a partial response to your request. We will notify you upon completion of search for and review of any additional records subject to your request.
- ☒ The staff has completed the search for and review of records subject to your request, and this is the final response to your request.
- ☐ The NRC has no records subject to your request.
- ☐ Records subject to your request are available for public inspection and copying at the NRC Public Document Room (PDR), 1717 H Street, NW, Washington, DC 20555, as noted on the enclosure(s). The PDR accession number is identified beside each record description.
- ☒ Records subject to your request are being made available for public inspection and copying at the NRC Public Document Room (PDR), 1717 H Street, NW, Washington, DC 20555, in the PDR file folder under the above number and your name. These records are listed on the enclosure(s).
- ☐ We are enclosing a notice that provides information about charges and procedures for obtaining records from the PDR.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Donnie H. Grimsley".

Donnie H. Grimsley, Director
Division of Rules and Records
Office of Administration

Enclosure(s): As stated

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Appendix A

Re: FOIA-86-122

DEFENSE NUCLEAR AGENCY (AFRRI) 19-08330-02 30-04545
19-08330-03 30-06931

	DATE	ORIGINATOR	RECIPIENT	DESCRIPTION
1.	6/8/83	NRC	Defense Nuclear Agency (AFRRI)	Inspection Report 83-01 (3 pages)
2.	8/10/83	NRC	Defense Nuclear Agency (AFRRI)	Acknowledgement of 7/7/83 Response (copy attached) to letter dated 6/8/83 (2 pages)
3.	9/24/85	NRC	Defense Nuclear Agency (AFRRI)	Inspection Report 85-01 (6 pages)
4.	11/20/85	NRC	Defense Nuclear Agency (AFRRI)	Acknowledgement of 10/17/85 Response (copy attached) to letter dated 9/24/85 (3 pages)

DEPT. OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES (NIH) 19-00296-10 30-01786

5.	12/18/81	NRC	NRC	Memorandum subject: SELECTION OF APPROPRIATE ENFORCEMENT ACTION FOR THE NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH (NIH) WITH ENCLOSURES (33 pages)
6.	4/6/82	NRC	Dept. of Health & Human Services (NIH)	Acknowledgement of 3/19/82 Response (copy attached) to letter dated 12/18/81 (14 pages)
7.	6/29/82	NRC	Dept. of Health & Human Services (NIH)	Response regarding ORAU Report- Environmental Surveys Around NIH, Bethesda, MD (3 pages)

DEPT. OF THE TREASURY (BUREAU OF ALCOHOL, TOBACCO & FIREARMS (ATF))
19-18331-01 30-14864

8.	4/18/83	NRC	Dept. of The Treasury (Bureau of ATF)	Inspection Report 83-01 (4 pages)
9.	5/31/83	NRC	Dept. of The Treasury (Bureau of ATF)	Acknowledgement of 5/6/83 Response (copy attached) to letter dated 4/18/83 (4 pages)
10.	3/4/86	NRC	Dept. of The Treasury (Bureau of ATF)	Inspection Report 86-01 (4 pages)

APPENDIX A

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DATE	ORIGINATOR	RECIPIENT	DESCRIPTION
<u>HEALTH PHYSICS SERVICES, INC. 19-19791-01 30-19243</u>			
*11. 6/14/85	NRC	Health Physics Services, Inc.	NRC Form 591-Safety Inspection on 6/14/85 (1 page) Accession No. 8507100140 REG1 LIC30
<u>HEWLETT PACKARD COMPANY 19-11497-03 30-20021</u>			
*12. 2/20/85	NRC	Hewlett Packard Company	Inspection Report 85-01 (3 pages) Accession No. 8502260107 REG1 LIC30 & 8502260109
*13. 6/20/85	NRC	Hewlett Packard Company	Acknowledgement of 1/28/85 and 5/29/85 responses (copies attached) to Inspection Report 85-01 (8 pages) Accession No. 8506240524 REG1 LIC30 & 8506240528 & 8506240530
<u>SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION 19-15690-01 30-09592</u>			
14. 7/13/83	Smithsonian Institution	Smithsonian Institution	Announcement: Creation of new Bureau-Smithsonian Environmental Research Center (SERC) (1 page)
15. 1/26/84	NRC	Smithsonian Institution	Inspection Report 83-01 (3 pages)
16. 4/4/84	NRC	Smithsonian Institution	Acknowledgement of 2/7/84 Response (copy attached) to Inspection Report 83-01 (2 pages)
<u>UNIFORMED SERVICES UNIVERSITY OF THE HEALTH SERVICES 19-23344-01 30-20775</u>			
*17. 7/3/85	NRC	Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences	Inspection Report 85-01 (5 pages) Accession No. 8507190225 REG1 LIC30 & 8507190245
*18. 8/19/85	NRC	Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences	Acknowledgement of 7/25/85 Response (copy attached) to Inspection Report 85-01 (5 pages) Accession No. 8509040368 REG1 LIC30 & 8509040373 REG1 LIC 30
19. To date		Computer printout (14 pages)	<u>all</u> licensees in the state of Maryland

*THESE DOCUMENTS CAN BE LOCATED AT THE PUBLIC DOCUMENT ROOM (PDR, LOCATED AT 1717 H STREET, NW, WASHINGTON, DC 20555, UNDER THE ACCESSION NUMBERS IDENTIFIED AS THE DOCUMENT DESCRIPTIONS.

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Docket Nos. 30-04545
30-06931 ✓

License Nos. 19-08330-02
19-08330-03 ✓

Defense Nuclear Agency
ATTN: Colonel B. Adcock
Director, Armed Forces
Radiobiology Research Institute
Bethesda, Maryland 20014

Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection Nos 30-04545/83-01; and 30-06931/83-01

This refers to the routine safety inspection conducted by C. Rowe of this office on April 13, 1983, of activities authorized by NRC License Nos. 19-08330-02 and 19-08330-03 and to the discussions of our findings held by C. Rowe with you and members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection, and to a subsequent telephone discussion between C. Rowe and Dr. N. Chawla on April 20, 1983.

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 the conditions of your licenses. The inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, measurements made by the inspector, and observations by the inspector.

In addition, our inspector took water samples from your cobalt-60 irradiator pool and waste holding tank which were analyzed in our Regional Office Laboratory in King of Prussia, Pennsylvania. The basic purpose of these independent measurements is to verify your capability for analyzing concentrations of radioactive material in water. The results of our analysis were in agreement with your results and indicated levels were below regulatory limits.

Based on the results of this inspection, it appears that one of your activities was not conducted in full compliance with NRC requirements, as set forth in the Notice of Violation, enclosed herewith as Appendix A. This violation has been categorized by severity level in accordance with the NRC Enforcement Policy (10 CFR 2, Appendix C) published in the Federal Register Notice (47 FR 9987) dated March 9, 1982. You are required to respond to this letter; and in preparing your response, you should follow the instructions in Appendix A.

From the telephone discussion between Dr. Chawla of your staff and C. Rowe of this office, it is our understanding that all transfers of licensed radioactive material between the Naval Medical Command and AFFRI will be made in compliance with the Department of Transportation regulations.

In accordance with Section 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and your reply will be placed in the Public Document Room.

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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.

Your cooperation with us in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:
John D. Kinneman



Thomas T. Martin, Director
Division of Engineering and
Technical Programs

Enclosure: Appendix A, Notice of Violation

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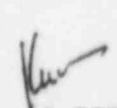
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APPENDIX A

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Defense Nuclear Agency
Bethesda, Maryland 20014

Docket No. 30-04545
License No. 19-08330-02

As a result of the inspection conducted on April 13, 1983, and in accordance with the NRC Enforcement Policy (10 CFR 2, Appendix C), the following violation was identified:

Condition 19 of License No. 19-08330-02 requires that licensed material be possessed and used in accordance with statements, representations and procedures contained in a letter dated February 2, 1981. This letter incorporates the Radiological Safety Instruction for the Armed Forces Radiobiology Research Institute.

Radiological Safety Instruction 140 incorporates HPP-03, "Source Receipt and Notification." Section 6 of HPP-03 requires that an immediate report be made to a member of the professional staff if a package is received with a contact radiation level in excess of 200 millirem per hour.

Contrary to the above, a package containing a molybdenum-99 generator received on April 13, 1983, was observed to have a contact radiation level reading in excess of 200 millirem per hour and the required notification was not made.

This is a Severity Level IV violation. (Supplement VI).

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, the Defense Nuclear Agency is hereby required to submit to this office within 30 days of the date of the letter which transmitted this Notice, a written statement or explanation in reply, including: (1) the corrective steps which have been taken and the results achieved; (2) corrective steps which will be taken to avoid further violations; and (3) the date when full compliance will be achieved. Where good cause is shown, consideration will be given to extending this response time.

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License Nos. 19-08330-02
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Defense Nuclear Agency
ATTN: Colonel B. Adcock
Director, Armed Forces
Radiobiology Research Institute
Bethesda, Maryland 20014

Gentlemen:

Subject: Combined Inspection No. 30-04545/83-01 and 30-06931/83-01

This refers to your letter dated July 7, 1983, in response to our letter dated June 8, 1983.

Thank you for informing us of the corrective and preventive actions documented in your letter. These actions will be examined during a future inspection of your licensed program.

Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

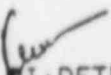
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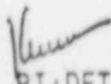
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