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ATTN: Celia Molano, MT, MHSA, CHE  
Executive Director  
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SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT NO. 52-13471-01/97-01 AND NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Dear Ms. Molano:

This refers to the inspection conducted on December 10, 1997. The inspection included a review of activities authorized for your Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico facility. At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with José Santana-Rabell, M.D., Director of the Radiation Therapy Department.

The inspection was an examination of activities conducted under your license with respect to radiation safety and compliance with NRC regulations and the conditions of your license. It included selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and direct observations by the inspector.

Based on the results of this inspection, certain of your activities appeared to be in violation of NRC requirements, as specified in the enclosed Notice of Violation (Notice).

You are required to respond to this letter and should follow the instructions specified in the enclosed Notice when preparing your response. In your response, you should document the specific actions taken and any additional actions you plan to prevent recurrence. After reviewing your response to this Notice, including your proposed corrective actions and the results of future inspections, the NRC will determine whether further NRC enforcement action is necessary to ensure compliance with NRC regulatory requirements.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter, its enclosure, and any reply will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

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Sincerely,

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Materials Licensing/Inspection Branch 2  
Division of Nuclear Materials Safety

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