Docket Nos. 030-00958 0**7**0-00241

License Nos. 37-01526-06 SNM-223

Bucknell University
ATTN: Dr. Dennis O'Brien
President
Lewisburg, Pennsylvania 17837

Gentlemen:

Subject: Combined Inspection Nos. 030-00958/86-01 and 030-00241/86-01

This refers to the routine safety inspection conducted by Mr. R. H. Ladun of this office on August 28, 1986 of activities authorized by NRC License Nos. 37-01526-06 and SNM-223 and to the discussions of our findings held by Mr. Ladun with Dr. J. Harcierdde and Dr. S. Becker of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during this inspection included: isotope security and storage locations; sign postings; review of Radiation Safety Committee Meeting records along with wipe and waste disposal records; and examination of survey instruments. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, measurements made by the inspector, and observations by the inspector.

Within the scope of this inspection, no violations were observed with regard to License No. 37-01526-06.

However, with regard to License No. SNM-223, it was noted, that this license expired on January 30, 1985 and you failed to seek a renewal. A Notice of Violation was issued by our office after a telephone inquiry with Dr. Becker on September 5, 1986. We would appreciate a prompt response to this notice.

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 will be placed in the Public Document Room.

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No reply to this letter is required. Your cooperation with us in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By: Francis M. Costello

John D. Kinneman, Chief Nuclear Materials Safety Section A, Division of Radiation Safety and Safeguards

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