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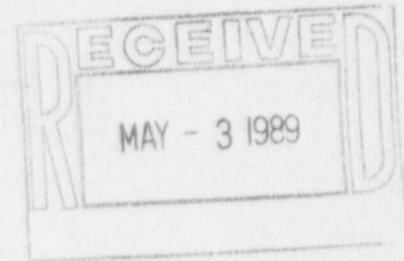
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Dear Mr. Gaines:

In response to NRC Form 591 "Safety Inspection"

1. Violation (H)

Action will be taken to express results of leak tests of sealed sources in microcuries.

2. Violation (I).

Per our telephone conversation with Mr. Ralph S. Heyer in April 1987 and because Brookings Hospital did not have the equipment to read the incoming packages in dpm/100 cm<sup>2</sup>, we were advised to use a special procedure to read wipe tests in MR/hr. Please see attached letter dated April 8, 1987, a procedure to assay wipe samples using G.M. survey meters.

Please advise as to whether we may continue to use our current procedure for wipe tests.

Sincerely,

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