

Regulations, and Variances, Mine Safety and Health Administration, 1100 Wilson Boulevard, Room 2352, Arlington, Virginia 22209. All comments must be postmarked or received in that office on or before April 2, 2003. Copies of these petitions are available for inspection at that address.

Dated at Arlington, Virginia, this 25th day of February, 2003.

Marvin W. Nichols, Jr.,

Director, Office of Standards, Regulations, and Variances.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Sunshine Act Meeting Notice

AGENCY HOLDING MEETING: National Science Foundation, National Science Board, Task Force on National Workforce Policies for Science & Engineering.

DATE AND TIME: March 3, 2003, 12 p.m.–1 p.m.; Open session.

PLACE: The National Science Foundation, Stafford One Building, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 120, Arlington, VA 22230.

STATUS: This meeting will be open to the public.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: Monday, March 3, 2003; open session.

Open Session (12 p.m. to 1 p.m.)

—Discussion of comments on the draft report of the NSB/EHR Task Force on National Workforce Policies for S&E.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gerard Glaser, Executive Officer, NSB, (703) 292-7000, <http://www.nsf.gov/nsb>.

Gerard Glaser,
Executive Officer.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. 030-35594, License No. 37-30603-01, EA No. 02-072]

In the Matter of Advance Medical Imaging and Nuclear Services, Easton, PA; Order Imposing a Civil Monetary Penalty

I

Advanced Medical Imaging and Nuclear Services (Licensee) is the holder of Byproduct Materials License No. 37-30603-01 (License) issued by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC or Commission) pursuant to 10

CFR parts 30 and 35. The License authorizes the Licensee to possess and use certain byproduct materials (identified in 10 CFR 35.100 and 35.200) at its Easton, Pennsylvania facility for any uptake, excretion, imaging, and localization procedures approved in those parts. The license was issued on February 16, 2001, and is due to expire on February 28, 2011.

II

An inspection of the Licensee's activities was conducted on November 30, 2001, at the Licensee's facility located in Easton, Pennsylvania. Further, an investigation was also conducted by the NRC Office of Investigations. The results of this inspection and investigation indicated that the Licensee had not conducted its activities in full compliance with NRC requirements. A written notice of violation and proposed imposition of civil penalty (notice) was served upon the Licensee by letter dated October 22, 2002. The notice stated the nature of the violations, the provisions of the NRC's requirements that the Licensee had violated, and the amount of the civil penalty proposed for the violations.

The Licensee responded to the notice, in a letter, dated November 21, 2002. In its response, the Licensee: (1) Admits the first of three violations that were classified as a Severity Level II problem; (2) denies the other two violations that were part of the Severity Level II problem; (3) contests the Severity Level II classification for the three violations; (4) contests the amount of the civil penalty for the Severity Level II problem; and (5) admits two other violations that were classified at Severity Level IV.

III

After consideration of the Licensee's response and the statements of fact, explanation, and argument contained therein, the NRC staff has determined, as set forth in the Appendix to this Order, that an adequate basis was not provided for withdrawal of any violations, for reduction of the Severity Level II classification, or for reduction or withdrawal of the penalty. Therefore, the NRC staff has determined that a penalty of \$43,200 should be imposed.

IV

In view of the foregoing and pursuant to section 234 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (Act), 42 U.S.C. 2282, and 10 CFR 2.205, *it is hereby ordered that:*

The Licensee pay a civil penalty in the amount of \$43,200 within 30 days of the date of this Order, in accordance

with NUREG/BR-0254. In addition, at the time of making the payment, the licensee shall submit a statement indicating when and by what method payment was made, to the Director, Office of Enforcement, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, One White Flint North, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD 20852-2738.

V

The Licensee may request a hearing within 30 days of the date of this Order. Where good cause is shown, consideration will be given to extending the time to request a hearing. A request for extension of time must be made in writing to the Director, Office of Enforcement, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555, and include a statement of good cause for the extension. A request for a hearing should be clearly marked as a "Request for an Enforcement Hearing" and shall be addressed to the Secretary, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN: Rulemakings and Adjudications Staff, Washington, DC 20555. Copies also shall be sent to the Director, Office of Enforcement, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555, to the Assistant General Counsel for Materials Litigation and Enforcement at the same address, and to the Regional Administrator, NRC Region I, 475 Allendale Road, King of Prussia, PA 19406. Because of continuing disruptions in delivery of mail to United States Government offices, it is requested that requests for hearing be transmitted to the Secretary of the Commission either by means of facsimile transmission to 301-415-1101 or by e-mail to hearingdocket@nrc.gov and also to the Office of the General Counsel either by means of facsimile transmission to 301-415-3725 or by e-mail to OGCMailCenter@nrc.gov.

If a hearing is requested, the Commission will issue an Order designating the time and place of the hearing. If the Licensee fails to request a hearing within 30 days of the date of this Order, the provisions of this Order shall be effective without further proceedings. If payment has not been made by that time, the matter may be referred to the Attorney General for collection.

In the event the Licensee requests a hearing as provided above, the issues to be considered at such hearing shall be:

(a) Whether the Licensee was in violation of the Commission's requirements as set forth in Violations B and C of the notice referenced in section II above, and

(b) Whether, on the basis of such violations, and the additional violations