

From: "Rick Mangione" <rmangione@argonex.com>
To: "Bryan Parker" <BAP@nrc.gov>
Date: 7/25/01 3:19PM
Subject: RE: RSO appointment status

Bryan,

More documents will be faxed to you shortly. Thanks again.

Rick

-----Original Message-----

From: Bryan Parker [mailto:BAP@nrc.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, July 25, 2001 6:40 AM
To: rmangione@argonex.com
Subject: RE: RSO appointment status

Rick,

Yes, I will need more detail on Dr. Ramakrishna's training and experience as it relates to radiation safety and working with radioactive materials. I don't need a lot of detail on non-radiological matters. If you could fax that, it would be great (Fax no. 404/562-4955) .

As for adding you, we could put you down as alternate RSO if you will send me a letter from management requesting that along with documentation of your training and experience as well. The 40-hour rad safety course is a big plus and otherwise I just need some additional documentation to show that you have experience "commensurate with the activities authorized by your license" (specific work with RAM in what activities in what timeframes, etc., including any activities under other NRC or Agreement State licenses). If you're not to be named now, the same info will be needed when the decision is made to name you on the license.

Clear as mud?? - Good. Email or call me (404/562-4728) if you have questions.

Bryan

>>> "Rick Mangione" <rmangione@argonex.com> 07/24/01 05:17PM >>>
Bryan,

My apologies. Please allow me to explain our situation in greater detail.

Our RSO prior to my hire departed hastily from our company. He was able to review some of the RSO responsibilities with our Chief Lab Scientist before he left so that the scientist could take over the RSO designation. I was hired during his time as the RSO, and was directed to take over all these duties except for the administrative paperwork.

After several months, I received 40 hours of RSO Training at the

Radiation Safety Academy in Gaithersburg, MD. Shortly after I completed this training, the current RSO left our company.

Several upper management officials felt that I would benefit from additional experience, and so asked that another scientist at the company take over the RSO title for a period of time (till December or sooner...) until there was agreement that I was 'ready' to take over the job. This gentleman volunteered his time and experience to act as a mentor of sorts. He has not, however, had detailed RSO training, although he does have extensive experience with all aspects of RAM use and disposal. I can fax the details of his experience, including the locations (absent from my prior document-sorry) at your request.

What would you suggest that we do, so as to both satisfy NRC requirements, and incorporate my training and Mr. Ramakrishna's experience?

Thanks,
Rick

-----Original Message-----

From: Bryan Parker [mailto:BAP@nrc.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, July 24, 2001 1:18 PM
To: rmangione@argonex.com
Subject: RE: RSO appointment status

Rick,

I just received your fax. It states that "Dr. Ramamkrishna has been listed as a supervising PI on this license and received training in requirements of the position of RSO." I don't see him "listed" on the license - what do you mean by this? and, what training for RSO has he had?

Bryan

>>> "Rick Mangione" <rmangione@argonex.com> 07/24/01 01:53PM >>>
Bryan,

Have you received a fax of the recent amendment to our license 45-25402-01, dated 20 July 2001? If not, I will fax it to you.

Thanks,

Rick

-----Original Message-----

From: Bryan Parker [mailto:BAP@nrc.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2001 3:25 PM
To: rmangione@argonex.com
Subject: RE: RSO appointment status

Rick,

Address is:

USNRC Region II
61 Forsyth St SW
Suite 23T85
Atlanta, GA 30303

If you sent to old address (101 Marietta St), it should still get here. If you want, you can fax instead of resending:

FAX 404/562-4955

I'm about to leave for the day and will be out of office tomorrow (7/18), but if you fax, it should be waiting for me when I return on Thursday 7/19. Thanks!!

Bryan

>>> "Rick Mangione" <rmangione@argonex.com> 07/17/01 05:23PM >>>
Bryan,

I thought I had mailed it to you already. What is your mailing address?

Rick

-----Original Message-----

From: Bryan Parker [mailto:BAP@nrc.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2001 2:19 PM
To: rmangione@argonex.com
Subject: RSO appointment status

Rick,

We talked on the phone on 7/2 re: my need for a letter from Argonex management appointing Dr. Ramakrishna as RSO. Can you update me on the status of that matter? When can I expect a letter? Thanks.

Bryan Parker
USNRC Region II