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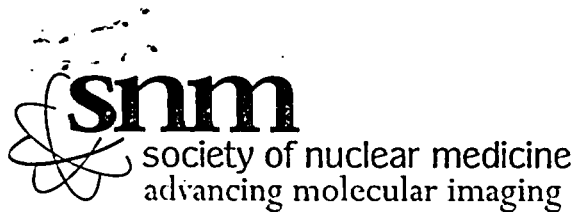
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March 23, 2004

The Honorable Edward McGaffigan, Jr.  
Commissioner  
Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
One White Flint North Building  
11555 Rockville Pike  
Rockville, MD 20852-2738

Dear Commissioner McGaffigan:

In follow-up to our meeting with you last fall, and the exchange of emails between Dr. Ron Zelac and Becky Haines of our staff on February 23, 2004, I write concerning the new SNM therapy guide.

The Society has been under the impression that NRC staff was engaged in reviewing the publication. We are fast approaching deadlines for getting the new book in print in time for SNM's Annual Meeting this June and would like to incorporate or reference any NRC comments or actions that occur prior to its publication. As it has been a month since the last exchange of communications between SNM and NRC on this subject, we are writing to inquire as to whether there has been any progress since then.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at [wuffelman@snm.org](mailto:wuffelman@snm.org) or 703-708-9773.

Sincerely,

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cc: ~~The Hon. Nils J. Diaz - Chairman, NRC~~  
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