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November 4, 2004

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Region III  
801 Warrenville RD  
Lisle IL 60532-4351  
Attn: Ms. Patti Pelke  
Nuclear Materials Safety and Safeguards  
Radioactive Material Licensing

Dear Madam,

Subject: De-installation of Guidant Galileo® III Radiotherapy System

Guidant hereby confirms that the Guidant Galileo® III Radiotherapy System was de-installed from the following sites in Region III. The de-installation activities for each of these sites included the disassembly of the Source Delivery Unit (head and base) and the packaging and shipment of these items for return to Guidant Corporation.

- St Francis Hospital and Health Center in Beech Grove IN – de-installed 6/8/04
- Lutheran Hospital of Indiana in Fort Wayne IN – de-installed 7/19/04
- Methodist Hospital in Indianapolis IN – de-installed 10/18/04
- St Vincent Hospital in Indianapolis IN – de-installed 10/11/04
- Porter Hospital in Valparaiso IN – de-installed 10/13/04
- St Anthony Hospital in Crown Point IN – de-installed 9/23/04
- Union Hospital in Terre Haute IN – de-installed 8/25/04
- Ball Memorial in Muncie IN – de-installed 10/11/04
- Deaconess Hospital in Evansville IN – de-installed 10/6/04
- Indiana Heart Hospital in Indianapolis IN – de-installed 6/8/04
- Mayo Clinic in Rochester MN – de-installed 6/15/04
- United Hospital in St Paul MN – de-installed 6/11/04
- Abbott Northwestern in Minneapolis MN – de-installed 7/13/04
- St John Mercy Medical Center in St Louis MO – de-installed 10/19/04
- St Anthony Medical Center in St Louis MO – de-installed 7/16/04
- Boone Hospital in Columbia MO – de-installed 10/19/04
- St Luke Hospital in Kansas City MO – de-installed 6/8/04
- Freeman Hospital in Joplin MO – de-installed 8/24/04
- University of Michigan in Ann Arbor MI – de-installed 10/5/04
- Oakwood Healthcare System in Dearborn MI – de-installed 9/22/04
- St John Hospital in Detroit MI – de-installed 10/21/04
- Covenant Medical Center Cooper Campus in Saginaw MI – de-installed 9/28/04
- Ingham Regional Medical Center in Lansing MI – de-installed 6/3/04
- Bay Medical Center in Bay City MI – de-installed 9/28/04
- Mount Clemens General in Mt Clemens MI – de-installed 6/10/04
- Lakeland Hospital in St Joseph MI – de-installed 10/19/04
- Sparrow Health System in Lansing MI – de-installed 6/3/04
- Providence Hospital in Southfield MI – de-installed 9/30/04

Guidant further confirms that all Guidant P-32 sources and source cartridges have been returned by the above names sites to Guidant Corporation at our Pearland facility for disposal of the sources and refurbishment of the source cartridges. Letters relating to the individual de-installation and source return for each site have been provided to each site for their records.

If you have any additional questions or need any additional information, please contact me. I can be reached at 713 218 9353. Thank you.

Sincerely,



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