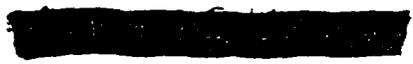


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Dear Dr. Jackson:

I am enclosing a copy of a letter that I have received from Dr. Steven M. Kraft of Gainesville, Florida.

Dr. Kraft strongly supports the more reasonable level of regulation for the training needed for diagnostic tests and the NRC's proposed reduction in required training for the medical use of radioisotopes.

Any assistance that you could provide in helping me respond to his inquiry would be greatly appreciated. I look forward to your prompt reply.

Sincerely,

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