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US Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region I Attn: Michelle Beardsley Licensing Assistance Section 475 Allendale Road King of Prussia, Pa 19406-1415

Dear Ms. Beardsley:

We confirm to perform periodic ambient exposure rate measurements of the remote decay storage area. We also confirm that exposure to the general public will not exceed 2 mR in any hour for continuous occupancy. This is consistent with 10 CFR 20.1301.

Waste generated as a result of the I-131 treatment program will be held a minimum of three half lives in the treatment room. Surveys of the remote waste decay storage module shall be performed immediately following a transfer of waste from the treatment room. Measurements shall be taken at 1 meter from the sides of the containment module and shall be recorded for inspection review.

Please call me if you have questions about our request at 908-788-9440.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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John C. Ramsey, Health Physicist Radiation Safety Officer

cc Cathryn Calia, DVM

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