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Dear Ms. Weidner,

This correspondence is in regard to our license amendment, which is currently under review by your office. We are addressing two issues in this correspondence. The first item deals with Group 500 isotopes. Group 500 can be removed from the license since we currently have no sealed sources for imaging other than the Gadolinium sources for use in the SPECT cameras. Since Gadolinium is handled under separate license condition it would be OK to remove group 500. We have no other sources here at Westmoreland that falls under Group 500.

The next item is the model numbers of our Group 400 isotopes. The sealed Cs-137 sources are 3M Model 6D6C-CA. The I-125 seeds are Nycomed Amersham Model 6711. We have a 3M Model 6D1A Sr-90 eye applicator (not used since 1985).

I hope this correspondence meets your needs. If you have any more questions or comments please do not hesitate to contact Daniel A. Berkley, RSO at 7248324267.

Sincerely,

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