

**U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**

Date: 6/20/2005

**TELEPHONE CONVERSATION RECORD**

Time: 3:30 p.m.

Mail Control NA  
or Report No(s).

License No(s). 29-19769-03

Docket No(s). 03020466

Name of Licensee: STERIS, Isomedix Operations

Name of Participant(s): Jonathan Young, Senior Manager

Telephone No. 973-651-1168

Subject: Gray cask disposal/return of financial assurance document

(NOTE: This will be used as the  
Documents Title in ADAMS)

Summary: I spoke with Mr. Young regarding the following items:

1. I received the email dated 6/20/05 from Mr. Young regarding disposal of the gray cask containing Co-60 sealed sources. He has been in contact with Duratek representatives and hopes to hear from Duratek soon about their plan to entomb the sources in concrete for burial. The plan will have to be approved by the South Carolina DHEC.
2. I informed Mr. Young that the license renewal was completed and he should receive the license in the mail shortly. I described the license condition added to the license which provided a deadline of 8/31/05 for submitting the plan to dispose of the sealed sources in the gray cask and a deadline of 8/31/06 for actual disposal. I informed Mr. Young that, if he believed that STERIS would be unable to meet either deadline, he should provide an alternative plan to the NRC and the reason for not meeting the deadline.
3. I informed Mr. Young that we had not received his response to NRC's letter dated 12/29/2004 regarding the return of an original financial assurance document, a letter of credit dated 11/7/2001. Mr. Young stated that he has the original letter of credit and will return it to NRC via certified mail. I reminded Mr. Young that there is a deadline of 12/2/05 for submission of a Decommissioning Funding Plan.

Action Required: Place in ADAMS.

Document Availability: \_\_\_\_\_ Publicly Available / \_\_\_\_\_ Non-Publicly Available  
\_\_\_\_\_ Immediate Release \_\_\_\_\_ Normal Release Date \_\_\_\_\_ Delay Release Date

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