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Scott North, VP/CEO
St. John's Hospital
1575 Beam Avenue
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Dear Mr. North:

Enclosed is Amendment No. 24 to your NRC Material License No. 22-24441-01 in accordance with your request.

Please note that we have not named Drs. McGuire, Liengswangwong, or Cox as authorized users of the remote afterloading unit that has been added to your license. During a July 11, 2005, telephone conversation with Mr. Guy Sherwood of your organization, I informed him that these three physicians did not meet the training criteria described in 10 CFR Part 35, specifically Section 35.59, "Recentness of Training." Further, I also informed Mr. Sherwood that we have not added Heung-Rae Lee as a medical physicist. The documentation of his training that was submitted does not meet the criteria for a medical physicist as described in 10 CFR Part 35.

Please review the enclosed document carefully and be sure that you understand all conditions. If there are any errors or questions, please notify the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region III office at (630) 829-9887 so that we can provide appropriate corrections and answers.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kevin G. Null". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "K".

Kevin G. Null
Materials Licensing Branch

License No. 22-24441-01
Docket No. 030-28586

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