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Dear Mr. Gieseke:

Enclosed is Amendment No. 08 renewing your NRC Material License No. 22-18629-02 in accordance with your request.

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.

In accordance with our telephone conversations on July 28, 2005 and July 29, 2005, please note the following concerning your renewed NRC license. At your request, Scott Conant was not listed as an authorized user or Assistant Radiation Safety Officer. If you wish to add Mr. Conant to your NRC license in the future, you will need to provide an amendment request. You verbally requested that your authorization to conduct limited non-routine maintenance remain on the license. License Condition No. 17 authorizes this activity, however, please be advised that your dosimetry program needs to include an evaluation of potential exposures to those who conduct non-routine maintenance. Finally, License Condition No. 25 was added to your license at your request since your application did not sufficiently address dosimetry.

You will be periodically inspected by NRC. Failure to conduct your program in accordance with NRC regulations, license conditions, and representations made in your license application and supplemental correspondence with NRC will result in enforcement action against you. This could include issuance of a notice of violation, or imposition of a civil penalty, or an order suspending, modifying or revoking your license as specified in the General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Actions. Since serious consequences to employees and the public can result from failure to comply with NRC requirements, prompt and vigorous enforcement action will be taken when dealing with licensees who do not achieve the necessary meticulous attention to detail and the high standard of compliance which NRC expects of its licensees.

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Sincerely,


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