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To: Director
Office of Nuclear Material Safety
And Safeguards
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Subject: Response to Order for Additional Security Measures on the Transportation of Radioactive
Material Quantities of Concern
Ethicon Endo-Surgery, Albuquerque, New Mexico
NM Radiation Protection License GI316-03

Dear Sir:

Please be advised, as required by Section III.B.1. of the subject Order to licensees authorized to possess and transfer items containing radioactive material quantities of concern (RAMQC) that Ethicon Endo-Surgery, Albuquerque, New Mexico, NM Radiation Protection License GI316-03, is not involved in business operations which transport or ship RAMQC.

Ethicon Endo-Surgery will not be implementing the Additional Security Measures since they do not apply to our activities. We will assist, coordinate activities as requested, and monitor our suppliers of RAMQC for compliance with the Order. Should our business conditions change, requiring Ethicon Endo-Surgery to ship RAMQC, the NRC will be notified ninety (90) days in advance of any shipment.

If additional information is required, please contact me at the address above, or via telephone numbers or e-mail address below my signature.

Sincerely,

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