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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Region I  
Nuclear Material Section B  
475 Allendale Road  
King of Prussia, PA 19406

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RE: Amendment request  
License No. 37-00554-03  
Docket no. 030-02961  
Sacred Heart Hospital

Gentlemen:

Included in this letter is the "Delegation of Authority" form that was not included in Mr. Natales' application for Radiation Safety Officer. I apologize for any inconvenience that this may have caused.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,



Belle A. Rodrigues  
Hospital Administrator  
Sacred Heart Hospital

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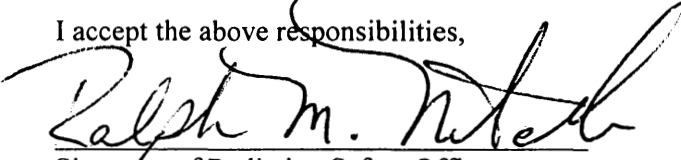
**Delegation of Authority**

Memo To: Mr. Ralph Natale  
From: Chief Executive Officer  
Subject: Delegation of Authority

You, Mr. Natale, have been appointed Radiation Safety Officer and are responsible for ensuring the safe use of radiation. You are responsible for managing the radiation protection program; identifying radiation protection problems; initiating, recommending, or providing corrective actions; verifying implementation of corrective actions; stopping unsafe activities; and ensuring compliance with regulations. You are hereby delegated the authority necessary to meet those responsibilities, including prohibiting the use of radioactive material by employees who do not meet the necessary requirements and shutting down operations where justified by radiation safety. You are required to notify management of situations where staff are not cooperating and not addressing radiation safety issues. It is estimated that you will spend 20 hours per week conducting radiation protection activities.

  
Signature of Management Representative

I accept the above responsibilities,

  
Signature of Radiation Safety Officer

cc: Affected department heads