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REGION I
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SUBJECT: INSPECTION 03034911/2006001, CARDIOLOGY ASSOCIATES OF NORTH JERSEY, WAYNE, NEW JERSEY SITE

Dear Mr. Dara:

On January 19 and 20, 2006, Steven Courtemanche of this office conducted a safety inspection at the above address of activities authorized by your NRC license. The inspection was an examination of your licensed activities as they relate to radiation safety and to compliance with the Commission's regulations and the license conditions. The inspection consisted of observations by the inspector, interviews with personnel, and a selected examination of representative records. The findings of the inspection were discussed with Kathleen Hohmann, Mary-Ann Luchetta, and Frank Neglia of your organization at the conclusion of the inspection.

Within the scope of this inspection, no violations were identified. The inspection did, however, identify a problem with radioactive material contamination that could result in a violation if not corrected. Contamination was also identified by the State of New Jersey during their inspection on January 27, 2005. It is our understanding that, in response to our findings, you are considering rearranging the treadmill room and purchasing a more sensitive survey meter and/or probe. Your control of radioactive material contamination will be reviewed during the next inspection.

Current NRC regulations are included on the NRC's website at www.nrc.gov; select **Nuclear Materials; Medical, Industrial, and Academic Uses of Nuclear Material**; then **Toolkit Index Page**. The current NRC Enforcement Policy is included on the NRC's website at www.nrc.gov; select **What We Do, Enforcement**, then **Enforcement Policy**. Or you may obtain these documents by contacting the Government Printing Office (GPO) toll-free at 1-888-293-6498. The GPO is open from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. EST, Monday through Friday (except Federal holidays).

M. Dara
Cardiology Associates of North Jersey

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No reply to this letter is required. Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original signed by James P. Dwyer

James P. Dwyer, Chief
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cc:
Stuart L. Siepser, M.D., Radiation Safety Officer
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