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Subject: George Mason University, Request for Additional Information - NRC License Renewal, Control #138167

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Ms. Diann Stedman
George Mason University
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Fairfax, VA 20110

Ms. Stedman:

This is in reference to the application for license renewal dated December 21, 2005. To adequately consider your request for a license renewal, the NRC will require additional information. In order to continue our review, we need the following additional information:

1. Section 9 (Facilities and Equipment) of your license renewal request states that radiation measurement instruments will be calibrated routinely. In accordance with Section 8.10.2 of NUREG-1556, Volume 11, you must state how the Radiation Safety Committee (RSC)/Radiation Safety Officer (RSO) assures that radiation measuring instruments are calibrated at the prescribed frequencies. Please submit a description of the method used to ensure that these instruments are calibrated at the proper frequencies.
2. Section 10.2 (Responsibilities of the RSO) of your license renewal request states the responsibilities of the RSO. In accordance with Section 8.7.3 of NUREG-1556, Volume 11, you must include a delegation of authority for the RSO signed by your executive management. Please submit a signed delegation of authority for the RSO.
3. Section 10.3 (Responsibilities of the Radiation Safety Committee) of your license renewal request states the responsibilities of the Radiation Safety Committee. In accordance with Section 8.7.2 of NUREG-1556, Volume 11, you must include a description of the criteria used by the RSC and RSO to approve new users and uses of radioactive material. Please submit a description of this criteria used to approve new users and uses of radioactive material.
4. Section 10.10.14 (Safe Use of Radioactive Materials and Emergency Procedures) of your license renewal request states that radioactive material shall be secured to prevent theft or unauthorized removal. In accordance with Section 8.10.6 of NUREG-1556, Volume 11, you should include a description of the material control and accountability procedures used and for maintaining security of licensed radioactive material (locks, access control systems, etc.). Please submit a description of the procedures for material control and accountability and for maintaining security of licensed materials.

If you have any technical questions regarding this letter, please call me at 610-337-5056. Please note that you may not reply to this letter by return e-mail. Your reply must be in writing by letter or facsimile (610-337-5269). Please include the Mail Control No. 138167 with your correspondence. If we do not receive a reply from you within 30 calendar days from the date of this e-mail, we will assume that you do not wish to pursue your application.

Sincerely,

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