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United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Attention: Mr. Richard McKinley  
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475 Allendale Road  
King of Prussia, PA 19406-1415

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Dear Mr. McKinley:

Thank you for your inquiry yesterday regarding the status of the Hospital's response to your letter of April 4, 2006 in which there were 19 questions posed about the request for amendment of License No. 37-05453-03.

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As we discussed, the project to add High Dose Radiotherapy is being proposed to the Board of Trustees and will not receive final approval prior to July 1, 2006. Therefore, it may be impossible to fully answer many of the questions that are asked in the letter.

We agreed that Lewistown Hospital would request the NRC to void the letter of request from April 4, 2006 and that the Hospital will retain all of the previous information and submit it at the more appropriate time, once the project has been approved.

Thank you for being understanding and supportive.

Sincerely,

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