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TELEPHONE CONVERSATION RECORD

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Name of Licensee:	Retreat Hospital, Inc.
Name of Participant(s):	Van McComas, Consulting Medical Physicist
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Subject: (NOTE: This will be used as the Documents Title in ADAMS)	Additional information needed for license amendment request

Summary:

I spoke with Mr. McComas about a voice message I left on 5/4/06 regarding the following items:

1. Based on Retreat Hospital's letter dated April 19. 2006, it appears that Retreat may be hospitalizing patients who can't be released under 10 CFR 35.75. If this is the case, provide diagrams of the rooms where the patients will be hospitalized. If this is not the case, please state so. I told Mr. McComas that he could review NUREG-1556, Volume 9, Appendix U, Table U.1, Column 2 for the dose rates for authorizing patient release under 10 CFR 35.75 to determine if patients would need to be hospitalized after I-125 prostate implant procedures, which is unlikely based on the allowable dose rate.

2. Please confirm that Retreat Hospital will have emergency equipment, including tongs and a shielded container, available in the operating room during prostate implant brachytherapy procedures.

3. Please note that we did not review the emergency procedures submitted for broken seeds. These procedures did not need to be submitted, only information on emergency equipment needed to be submitted.

As Mr. McComas was unable to get answers from Retreat Hospital regarding patient hospitalization, I informed him that we would amend the license to include 35.400 authorization and would limit the authorized use to patients who can be released under 10 CFR 35.75. In the future, Retreat Hospital can request authorization for treating patients who cannot be release under 35.75 and would need to submit patient room information including diagrams. We will address the above items in the cover letter sent with the amended license.

Action Required: Amend license.

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