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September 27, 2006

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region I
475 Allendale Road
King of Prussia PA 19406-1415

Re: License 37-30095-01
Docket no. 030-33359

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Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter is to notify you of a pending change in the ownership of Exygen Research, Inc as required by 10 CFR 30.34(b). Negotiations are underway to transfer the ownership of Exygen Research to MPI Research with headquarters at 54943 North Main Street Mattawan, MI 49071-9399 (phone 269.668.3336 fax 269.668.4151). NUREG 1556 volume 15 has been used as a guide to present the information related to this transfer concerning byproduct material license 37-30095-01.

MPI Research, Inc., a Michigan corporation ("MPI") has agreed to acquire the business and assets of Exygen Research, Inc., a Pennsylvania corporation ("Exygen"). The transaction is structured as an asset purchase for cash, meaning that MPI will acquire the building, equipment and other assets of Exygen. MPI will not acquire the Exygen corporate entity or its federal employer identification number. Client contracts for studies and projects in process will be assigned from Exygen to MPI.

MPI Research possesses radioactive material under byproduct material license 21-11315-02 issued by Region III of the NRC. There will be no changes in that license as a result of this transaction. Work at the Exygen Research facilities in State College will continue under the present Region I license.

Other than the ownership change there will be no changes in license 37-30095-01. Richard Grazzini will continue work at the present facility with the title Executive Director and will continue to have corporate responsibility for the license. There will be no changes in the Radiation Safety Officer or other persons named in the license. There will be no change in location, equipment or procedures. The Exygen facility will operate under the parent name MPI Research Inc.

Surveillance records for the Exygen Research facilities are current. There are no facilities that require decontamination to meet release limits for decommissioning. This excludes minor contamination of some labware and the interior of analytical equipment

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used for the processing or analysis of samples containing radioactive material. The radioisotope laboratory and other areas are maintained at removable contamination limit of 100 dpm/100 cm². The only radionuclides currently possessed under the byproduct material license are ¹⁴C and ³H, so external radiation is not a problem. The current inventory is 46,9 millicuries of ¹⁴C and 0.5 millicuries of ³H. All of the ³H and about half of the ¹⁴C are standards and samples from completed projects that are scheduled for disposal by the end of 2006.

Records for the Exygen Research license will remain at that facility. Copies of records will be supplied to MPI Research, as needed.

MPI Research is committed to abide by the conditions of byproduct material license 37-30095-01 and the commitments described above.

This transfer of ownership is scheduled to be completed by the end of September 2006. Your prompt attention to this notice is appreciated. As indicated above, there will be no change in the control of the license after the ownership change and the present surveillance program and other license conditions will continue. Please contact Richard Grazzini at the above address for any additional information that is required.

Sincerely,



Richard Grazzini, Ph.D.
President
Exygen Research, Inc.



William M. Harrison
President and Chief Operating Officer
MPI Research

This is to acknowledge the receipt of your letter/application dated

9/27/2006, and to inform you that the initial processing which includes an administrative review has been performed.

☒ Notification 37-30095-01 There were no administrative omissions. Your application was assigned to a technical reviewer. Please note that the technical review may identify additional omissions or require additional information.

☐ Please provide to this office within 30 days of your receipt of this card

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