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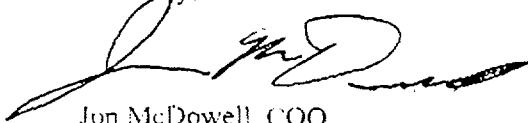
RE: Amendment to Radioactive Material License Nos. 47-11709-01  
Columbia St. Joseph's Healthcare, I.P. d/b/a St. Joseph's Hospital

Gentlemen:

Effective immediately, please change the Radiation Safety Officer to Mark T. Perna, M.S. Mr. Perna's credentials can be referenced from license number 37-11562-01 (The Medical Center, Beaver, PA ).

- a. Mark Perna has the full support of the management of St. Joseph's Hospital in exercising control over the radiation safety program. He has the full support of management in exercising control over authorized users or any other persons when confronted with radiation safety problems that require the implementation of corrective actions.
- b. Mr. Perna has the full support of management in procuring all reasonable funds to facilitate the objectives of our radiation safety program and related regulatory requirements.
- c. Mr. Perna is a medical physics consultant with accounts primarily located throughout Pennsylvania, West Virginia, and Ohio. He expects to be routinely on-site an average of 1-2 hours per quarter. Given the small size of our nuclear medicine program, this is expected to be more than adequate to meet all of the NRC and PA state regulatory requirements. The radiation safety program is in excellent shape and is running very smoothly. In the unlikely event that any problems occur that cannot be handled by phone, e-mail or fax, Mr. Perna will return to handle them in a timely manner. He could be onsite in about 2.5 hours.
- d. Anne Anderson, Chief Nuclear Medicine Technologist, has been appointed in-house representative to Mr. Perna. She will serve as point of contact in Mr. Perna's absence.
- e. Mr. Perna is generally available 24-7 by phone and slightly less so by e-mail.

Sincerely,



Jon McDowell, COO

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"St. Joseph the Worker with Child Jesus"  
Sculpture by William O. Hopew

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AMEND. 47-11709-01  
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