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License No. 45-30881-01

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SUBJECT: AMEN CLINICS, INC., D.C., REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
CONCERNING APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT TO LICENSE, CONTROL
NO. 139945

Dear Dr. Amen:

This is in reference to your letter dated January 5, 2007 requesting to amend Nuclear Regulatory Commission License No. 45-30881-01. In order to continue our review, we need the following additional information:

From the documentation submitted for Dr. Branscum, it cannot be determined whether his training and experience meets the requirements to be an authorized user for 35.100 and 35.200 materials. Specifically, 10 CFR 35.190 and 35.290 (c)(1)(i) requires classroom and laboratory training in the following topics: Radiation Physics and instrumentation, Radiation Protection, Math pertaining to the use and measurement of radioactivity, and Radiation Biology. The certification submitted does not specify the topics covered in the course. In addition, the letter outlining Dr. Branscum's clinical and work experience does not specify whether this experience included: Administering doses to patients, and eluting generators, as required by 10 CFR 35.290 (c)(1)(ii)(F) and (G), nor did you attest to his level of competency as required by 10 CFR 35.290 (b)(2). Please resubmit Dr. Branscum's training and experience information on the enclosed NRC Form 313A in order to determine whether he has obtained sufficient training and experience to be listed as an authorized user on your license.

Current NRC regulations and guidance are included on the NRC's website at www.nrc.gov; select **Nuclear Materials; Medical, Academic, and Industrial Uses of Nuclear Material**; then **Toolkit Index Page**. Or you may obtain these documents by contacting the Government Printing Office (GPO) toll-free at 1-888-293-6498. The GPO is open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. EST, Monday through Friday (except Federal holidays).

We will continue our review upon receipt of this information. Please reply to my attention at the Region I Office and refer to Mail Control No. 139945. If you have any technical questions regarding this deficiency letter, please call me at (610) 337-6942.

D. Amen
Amen Clinics, Inc., D.C.

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If we do not receive a reply from you within 30 calendar days from the date of this letter, we will assume that you do not wish to pursue your application.

Sincerely,

Original signed by Michelle Beardsley

Michelle Beardsley
Health Physicist
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cc:
Charles Parker, D.O., Radiation Safety Officer

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