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I strongly support the petition submitted by the AAPM (PRM-35-20). Physicists who have been diplomates of ABR and ABMP prior to October 25, 2005 should be recognized by NRC based on previously approved 10CFR35 (prior to 10/25/05). In addition, NRC should consider that a large number of practicing Medical Physicists are certified by the ABMP board and have vast experience in Radiation Safety regulations and tasks. The recognition of the ABMP board by the NRC as a qualifier for AMP and other status for those individuals (certified prior to 10/25/05) is essential for many medical institutions in the country, especially those providing Radiation Oncology services.

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