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Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region I
Medical Licensing Division
475 Alendale Road
King of Prussia, Pennsylvania 19406-1415

Dear Sir or Madam:

Walter Reed Army Medical Center (WRAMC) uses radioactive material authorized by U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Byproduct Material License number 08-01738-02 with an expiration date of June 30, 2004.

We request to amend NRC license 08-01738-02 issued to WRAMC to appoint Colonel Dale K. Block to replace Colonel Yancy Phillips as the Chairperson of the Radiation Control Committee (RCC). Colonel Block will be the Deputy Director for Clinical Services which is a senior level executive management position, one level below the Hospital Commander. The Radiation Protection Officer, Colonel William B. Johnson, has carefully reviewed the Colonel Block's curriculum vitae (enclosure 1) and recommends approval as Chairperson of the RCC.

We request to amend NRC license 08-01738-02 issued to WRAMC to delete the Cs-137 sealed source irradiator line items 6CC, 7CC, and 8CC from the license. The irradiator was transferred to J.L. Shepard & Associates and removed from building 516, Forest Glen Section on March 29, 2000 (enclosure 2).

For any additional information, please contact the undersigned at (202) 356-0058.

Sincerely,

William B. Johnson
William B. Johnson
Colonel, U.S. Army
Radiation Protection Officer

2 Enclosures

Copy Furnished:

Proponency Office for Preventive Medicine, ATTN: COL Eric Daxon, USACHPPM, 2050
Worth Road, Room 115, Ft. Sam Houston, Texas 78234-6010

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CURRICULUM VITAE

DALE K. BLOCK
Colonel, Medical Corps, United States Army

**PERSONAL/FAMILY
DATA:**

Born: [REDACTED]
Wife: [REDACTED]
Children: [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Ex 6

**CIVILIAN
EDUCATION:**

B.A., George Washington University, Washington, DC, []
M.D., La Universidad Autonoma of Guadalajara, Guadalajara,
Jalisco, Mexico, []

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**PROFESSIONAL
EDUCATION:**

Internship: Rotating, Dalhousie University Medical Center,
Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada, 1971-1972
Residency: Internal Medicine, Dalhousie University Medical
Center, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada, 1971-1974
Internal Medicine, Tripler Army Medical Center, Honolulu,
Hawaii, 1979-1980
Fellowship: Gastroenterology, William Beaumont Army Medical
Center, El Paso, Texas, 1980-1982

**MILITARY
EDUCATION:**

Army Medical Department Basic Course, 1976
Army Medical Department Advanced Course, 1978
Command and General Staff College, 1986

ASSIGNMENTS:

OIC, USAHC, Fort Detrick, Frederick, MD 1974-1978
Staff Gastroenterologist, USAMEDDAC, Fort Bragg, NC,
1982-1984
Chief, Department of Medicine USAMEDDAC, Fort Bragg, NC,
1984-1986 Deputy Commander for Clinical Services, Director of
Medical Education, USAMEDDAC, Fort Bragg, NC, 1986-1988
Chief, Personal Readiness Division, Directorate of Professional
Services; Consultant to The Surgeon General for Fitness Policy
and Consultant to The Surgeon General for Alcohol and Drug
Abuse, Department of Army, Falls Church, CA, 1988-1990
Commander, USAMEDDAC, Fort George G. Meade, MD
1990-1991
Deputy Director for Quality Assurance, Office of the Assistant
Secretary of Defense of Health Affairs (Professional Affairs and
Quality Assurance) Washington, DC 20301-1200, 1991-1992

**PERSONAL INFORMATION WAS REMOVED
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Deputy Director for Professional Affairs, (Professional Affairs and Quality Assurance) Washington, DC 20301-1200, 1992-1994
Staff Physician, Dewitt Army Community Hospital, Fort Belvoir, VA 22060, July-September 1994
Commander, ADUSAHC Pentagon, Washington, DC 20310-5801 and Chief, Department of Primary Care and Community Medicine, Walter Reed Army Medical Center, Washington, DC 20307
1994-Present

**ACADEMIC/
PROFESSIONAL
APPOINTMENTS:**

Clinical Instructor, School of Medicine, University of Hawaii, Honolulu, Hawaii, 1978-1980
Adjunct Professor, School of Pharmacy, University of the Pacific, Stockton, California, 1978-1980
Associate Professor of Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX, 1980-1982
Assistant Professor of Medicine, Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences, Bethesda, MD, 1997-Present

**CLINICAL
EXPERIENCE:**

General Practice, Ciudad Granja, Zapopan, Jalisco, Mexico, 1972-1973

LICENSURE:

Washington, DC, 1975-Present

**BOARD
CERTIFICATION:**

American Board of Family Practice, 1978
American Board of Internal Medicine, 1981

PUBLICATIONS:

"Un Estudio Epidemiologico de Ciudad Granja, Zapopan, Jalisco, Mexico" Doctoral Thesis, 1973
"Singultus and the Mallory-Weiss Syndrome" Case Studies and Review of the Literature

JL SHEPHERD & ASSOCIATES

1010 ARROYO AVE., SAN FERNANDO, CALIFORNIA 91340-1822

818-898-2361 FAX 818-361-8095

CERTIFICATION OF SOURCE/DEVICE POSSESSION TRANSFER

This document is to certify that on or about March 30, 2000, J.L. Shepherd and Associates took possession of and title to (1) Each Eberline Instrument Corporation Model 8150-XXXAB, with approximately [] of Cesium-137 (as of 1967), American Nuclear Type ANC 127 source capsule, from U.S. Army, Walter Reed Army Institute of Research, WRAMC, Basement of the Reactor Building, Forest Glen, MD 20907. Ex 2

This transfer preparation took place under the direct supervision of J.L. Shepherd and Associates' engineer, under JLS&A'S State of California Radioactive Materials License and applicable 49CFR and CA Title 17 Transportation requirements, working under J.L. Shepherd and Associates, State of California Radioactive Materials License 1777-19, Amendment 78, Expiration Date 10/11/95, with State of California issued Letter of Timely Renewal, Dated September 21, 1995, in accordance with 10CFR40.51, 49CFR, all regulatory agency licensing and transportation requirements. J.L. Shepherd and Associates per the attached license, or our designated hot cell facility, is licensed to receive, possess and store this source/device.

David W. Burt

U.S. Army, Walter Reed Army Institute of Research

Dated: 29 Mar 2000

Mary F. Shepherd

Mary Shepherd
Vice-President
J.L. Shepherd and Associates

Dated: 3/15/00

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

7/12/2000, and to inform you that the initial processing which includes an administrative review has been performed.

AMEND. 08-01738-02 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

A copy of your action has been forwarded to our License Fee & Accounts Receivable Branch, who will contact you separately if there is a fee issue involved.

Your action has been assigned Mail Control Number 1 2 8 4 1 6
When calling to inquire about this action, please refer to this control number.
You may call us on (610) 337-5398, or 337-5260.

Sincerely,
Licensing Assistance Team Leader