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Dear Mr. Lodhi:

Enclosed is additional information/clarification of our licensed facility, and ownership.

One hundred percent (100%) of the stock of EGS Gauging, Inc. was purchased by Thermo Electron Corporation ("TMO"), on June 30, 2006. EGS Gauging, Inc. became a wholly owned subsidiary of TMO. After the acquisition, its name was changed to Thermo EGS Gauging, Inc.

Thermo EGS Gauging, Inc. now operates as a wholly-owned subsidiary of TMO. There is no interference in the conduct of the Radiation Protection Program by TMO and it is recognized that changes to the Program require prior approval of the Massachusetts Department of Public Health and/or the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission as applicable.

As a wholly-owned subsidiary, Thermo EGS Gauging, Inc. maintained the same management, management structure, and specifically the same Radiation Control Officer. Additionally, there has been no change to the Radiation Protection Program, the control or use of licensed materials.

Subsequent to the acquisition of EGS Gauging, Inc, on November 9, 2006, Fisher Scientific International Inc. and TMO merged; The transaction occurred through a reverse merger, with Fisher Scientific merging into a wholly-owned subsidiary of TMO created for the purpose of the merger. Concurrent with the completion of the merger, TMO changed its name to Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc.

By co-signing this letter, Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc. acknowledges and concurs with the statements and commitments of this letter, specifically recognizing that any change to

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the Thermo EGS Gauging, Inc. Radiation Protection Program or change to its license or licensed activities requires the prior approval of the Massachusetts Department of Public Health and/or U.S. Nuclear regulatory Commission as applicable.

I hope that this addresses your questions. Please feel free to contact me with any further questions.

Sincerely,

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