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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region 1  
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**Re: Plan for Closure of St. Luke's Hospital USNRC License # 47-23517-01**

To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is to inform the United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission (The Commission) that St. Luke's Hospital is planning to cease operations on April 30, 2007 at midnight. Following the cessation of operations, we will pursue closeout surveys of the Radioactive Materials license. Upon completion of the closeout of the radioactive materials program, we will submit to The Commission results of any contamination surveys and USNRC form 314, Certificate of Disposition of Materials. We will maintain our radioactive material in storage starting May 1, 2007, until such time as it may be transferred to another properly licensed facility or a licensed radioactive waste broker. Also, we will maintain the restricted area status of the nuclear medicine scan room and hot lab until The Commission reviews the closeout surveys and the USNRC form 314 and releases the rooms for unrestricted use.

Documentation of the closeout surveys, disposition of material, and personnel radiation monitoring records will be maintained by our parent company, Princeton Community Hospital, until authorized for disposition.

If you have any further questions regarding this amendment request or would like to discuss it further, do not hesitate to contact me. The telephone number for Radiology is 304/327-2956.

Sincerely,

Joetta Dotson  
Executive Director

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

4/18/2007, and to inform you that the initial processing which includes an administrative review has been performed.

TEAM 47-23517-01  
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

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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 140426.  
When calling to inquire about this action, please refer to this control number.  
You may call us on (610) 337-5398, or 337-5260.