



**ROBERT WOOD JOHNSON
MEDICAL SCHOOL**

University of Medicine & Dentistry of New Jersey

Office of Research and Sponsored Programs

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August 28, 2007

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region 1
Attn: Licensing Assistance Team
475 Allendale Road
King of Prussia, PA 19406-1415

Re: License No. 29-15188-01
Docket No. 030-08709

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Dear Sir or Madam:

The University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey / Robert Wood Johnson Medical School (UMDNJ/RWJMS) respectfully requests an amendment to our license of broad scope (License No. 29-15188-01). This request pertains to two issues: changing our Radiation Safety Officer (RSO) from Mr. Michael C. Quinlan, CIH to Mr. Patrick J. McDermott, CHP; and for the addition of a new shipping address on our license.

In his capacity as the UMDNJ/RWJMS RSO, Mr. McDermott will report directly to me regarding matters involving radiation safety. Please see the attached "RSO Delegation of Authority". Upon Commission approval of our request, all appropriate personnel will be notified of this change.

Mr. McDermott's training and experience qualifying him as the RSO for the UMDNJ/RWJMS license is summarized below:

- Mr. McDermott has been a full time employee of Rutgers Environmental Health and Safety for 14 years. During that time, he has contributed to and been involved in all aspects of the radiation safety program at UMDNJ/RWJMS.
- For the past six and a half years, Mr. McDermott has been the University Health Physicist (UHP). In this capacity, he has directly supervised the day-to-day operations of our radiation safety program and reported directly to our current RSO, Mr. Michael C. Quinlan, CIH.

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- Mr. McDermott has a B.S. in Environmental Sciences (1995) Cook College, Rutgers University.
- Mr. McDermott has a M.S. in Environmental Sciences – Radiation Science (2002) Graduate School-New Brunswick, Rutgers University.
- Mr. McDermott is a Board Certified Health Physicist, certified by the American Board of Health Physics in 2006.

Should the commission require more information on Mr. McDermott's qualifications, he may be contacted at 732-445-2550 or mcdermot@rehs.rutgers.edu.

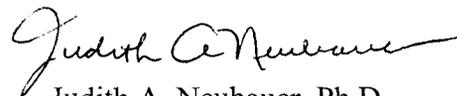
Additionally, it has come to our attention that the only address on our license is the 675 Hoes Lane address, which is appropriate for our mailing address and is the location of my office. However, licensed materials are delivered to Rutgers Environmental Health and Safety (REHS), as they are contracted to provide the radiation safety services for our license. Please add the REHS address to our license as the Shipping Address. The correct Ship to address should be:

Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey
Rutgers Environmental Health and Safety
27 Road 1
Piscataway, NJ 08854

This location is for receiving only and licensed materials will not be utilized for research purposes at this location.

Thank you for your prompt consideration of these requests.

Sincerely,



Judith A. Neubauer, Ph.D.
Associate Dean for Research

c: M. Quinlan, RSO
P. McDermott, UHP

File: RWJ License File



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To: All Radioactive Material Users

From: Judith A. Neubauer, Ph.D. *JAN*
Associate Dean for Research

Re: Delegation of Authority for Radiation Safety Officer

Mr. Patrick J. McDermott, CHP, has been appointed Radiation Safety Officer and is responsible for ensuring the safe use of byproduct material. The Radiation Safety Officer is responsible for managing the radiation safety program; identifying radiation safety problems; initiating, recommending, or providing corrective actions; verifying implementation of corrective actions; and ensuring compliance with regulations for the use of byproduct material. The Radiation Safety Officer is hereby delegated the authority necessary to meet these responsibilities.

The Radiation Safety Officer has the authority to immediately stop any operations involving the use of byproduct material in which health and safety may be compromised or may result in non-compliance with NRC requirements.

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

8/28/2007, and to inform you that the initial processing which includes an administrative review has been performed.

AMEND. 29-15188-01 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

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** 141011.
When calling to inquire about this action, please refer to this control number.
You may call us on (610) 337-5398, or 337-5260.