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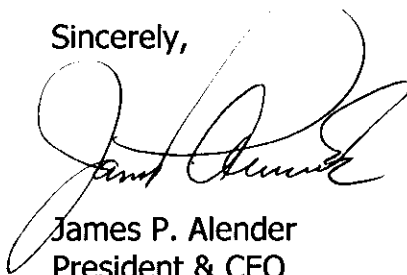
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Materials Licensing Section  
2443 Warrenville Road, Suite 210  
Lisle, IL 60532-4352

Dear Sir or Madam:

Howard Regional Health System would like to amend its Byproduct Materials License, Number 13-13028-02, to add Dr. Sandeep Ahluwalia, M.D. as an Authorized User for materials licensed under 10 C.F.R. 35.100, 35.200, and 35.300 (limited to the use of I-131 sodium iodide). Dr. Ahluwalia is currently listed as an Authorized User for 35.100 and 35.200 materials on U.S.N.R.C. Byproduct Materials License Number 13-01535.01 (QHG of Indiana, Inc.). As a diagnostic radiologist certified by the American Board of Radiology with the "AU Eligible" designation, Dr. Ahluwalia meets the requirements to be listed as an Authorized User for the use of I-131 sodium iodide in quantities less than or equal to 33 milliCuries (35.392), according to the Specialty Board(s) Certifications recognized by NRC under 10 CFR 35. Finally, we are enclosing NRC Form 313A (AUT) to document Dr. Ahluwalia's clinical case experience with the use of I-131 sodium iodide in quantities greater than or equal to 33 milliCuries.

If there are any questions concerning this license amendment, please contact our nuclear medicine physicist, Mr. Patrick J. Byrne, D.A.B.R., C.H.P. at 877-317-5811.

Sincerely,



James P. Alender  
President & CEO

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Hereby certifies that

**Sandeep Singh Ahluwalia, MD**

Has pursued an accepted course of graduate study  
and clinical work, has met certain standards and qualifications and  
has passed the examinations conducted under the authority of

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**AUTHORIZED USER TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE  
AND PRECEPTOR ATTESTATION**  
(for uses defined under 35.300)  
[10 CFR 35.390, 35.392, 35.394, and 35.396]

APPROVED BY OMB: NO. 3150-0120  
EXPIRES: 10/31/2008

Name of Proposed Authorized User

SANDEEP AHLUWALIA, MD

State or Territory Where Licensed

INDIANA

Requested Authorization(s) (check all that apply):

35.300 Use of unsealed byproduct material for which a written directive is required

**OR**

35.300 Oral administration of sodium iodide I-131 requiring a written directive in quantities less than or equal to 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)

35.300 Oral administration of sodium iodide I-131 requiring a written directive in quantities greater than 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)

35.300 Parenteral administration of any beta-emitter, or photon-emitting radionuclide with a photon energy less than 150 keV for which a written directive is required

35.300 Parenteral administration of any other radionuclide for which a written directive is required

**PART I -- TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE**  
(Select one of the three methods below)

\* Training and Experience, including board certification, must have been obtained within the 7 years preceding the date of application or the individual must have related continuing education and experience since the required training and experience was completed. Provide dates, duration, and description of continuing education and experience related to the uses checked above.

**1. Board Certification**

- a. Provide a copy of the board certification.
- b. For 35.390, provide documentation on supervised clinical case experience. The table in section 3.c. may be used to document this experience.
- c. For 35.396, provide documentation on classroom and laboratory training, supervised work experience, and supervised clinical case experience. The tables in sections 3.a., 3.b., and 3.c. may be used to document this experience.
- d. Skip to and complete Part II Preceptor Attestation.

**2. Current 35.300, 35.400, or 35.600 Authorized User Seeking Additional Authorization**

a. Authorized User on Materials License 13-13028-02  under the requirements below or equivalent Agreement State requirements (check all that apply):

35.390     35.392     35.394     35.490     35.690

- b. If currently authorized for a subset of clinical uses under 35.300, provide documentation on additional required supervised case experience. The table in section 3.c. may be used to document this experience. Also provide completed Part II Preceptor Attestation.
- c. If currently authorized under 35.490 or 35.690 and requesting authorization for 35.396, provide documentation on classroom and laboratory training, supervised work experience, and supervised clinical case experience. The tables in sections 3.a., 3.b., and 3.c. may be used to document this experience. Also provide completed Part II Preceptor Attestation.

**AUTHORIZED USER TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE AND PRECEPTOR ATTESTATION (continued)**

**3. Training and Experience for Proposed Authorized User**

a. Classroom and Laboratory Training  35.390  35.392  35.394  35.396

Description of Training	Location of Training	Clock Hours	Dates of Training*
Radiation physics and instrumentation			
Radiation protection			
Mathematics pertaining to the use and measurement of radioactivity			
Chemistry of byproduct material for medical use			
Radiation biology			
<b>Total Hours of Training:</b>			

b. Supervised Work Experience  35.390  35.392  35.394  35.396

*If more than one supervising individual is necessary to document supervised training, provide multiple copies of this page.*

Supervised Work Experience		Total Hours of Experience:	
Description of Experience Must Include:	Location of Experience/License or Permit Number of Facility	Confirm	Dates of Experience*
Ordering, receiving, and unpacking radioactive materials safely and performing the related radiation surveys		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Performing quality control procedures on instruments used to determine the activity of dosages and performing checks for proper operation of survey meters		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Calculating, measuring, and safely preparing patient or human research subject dosages		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Using administrative controls to prevent a medical event involving the use of unsealed byproduct material		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Using procedures to contain spilled byproduct material safely and using proper decontamination procedures		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

**AUTHORIZED USER TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE AND PRECEPTOR ATTESTATION (continued)**

**3. Training and Experience for Proposed Authorized User (continued)**

**b. Supervised Work Experience (continued)**

Supervising Individual	License/Permit Number listing supervising individual as an authorized user
Supervising individual meets the requirements below, or equivalent Agreement State requirements ( <i>check all that apply</i> )**:	
<input type="checkbox"/> 35.390	With experience administering dosages of:
<input type="checkbox"/> 35.392	<input type="checkbox"/> Oral NaI-131 requiring a written directive in quantities less than or equal to 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
<input type="checkbox"/> 35.394	<input type="checkbox"/> Oral NaI-131 in quantities greater than 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
<input type="checkbox"/> 35.396	<input type="checkbox"/> Parenteral administration of beta-emitter, or photon-emitting radionuclide with a photon energy less than 150 keV requiring a written directive is required
	<input type="checkbox"/> Parenteral administration of any other radionuclide requiring a written directive
** Supervising Authorized User must have experience in administering dosages in the same dosage category or categories as the individual requesting authorized user status.	

**c. Supervised Clinical Case Experience**

*if more than one supervising individual is necessary to document supervised work experience, provide multiple copies of this page.*

Description of Experience	Number of Cases Involving Personal Participation	Location of Experience/License or Permit Number of Facility	Dates of Experience*
Oral administration of sodium iodide I-131 requiring a written directive in quantities less than or equal to 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)	3	HOWARD REGIONAL HEALTH SYSTEM 3500 S. LAFOUNTAIN ST KOKOMO, IN 46902 NRC #13-13028-02	AUG 13, 2007 AUG 20, 2007 OCT 1, 2007
Parenteral administration of any beta-emitter, or photon-emitting radionuclide with a photon energy less than 150 keV for which a written directive is required			
Parenteral administration of any other radionuclide for which a written directive is required			
(List radionuclides)			

**AUTHORIZED USER TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE AND PRECEPTOR ATTESTATION (continued)**

**3. Training and Experience for Proposed Authorized User (continued)**

**c. Supervised Clinical Case Experience (continued)**

Supervising Individual	License/Permit Number listing supervising individual as an authorized user
DR. RICHARD STEPHENS, MD, RSO	13-13028-02

Supervising individual meets the requirements below, or equivalent Agreement State requirements (*check all that apply*)\*\*:

- 35.390 With experience administering dosages of:
- 35.392  Oral NaI-131 requiring a written directive in quantities less than or equal to 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
  - 35.394  Oral NaI-131 in quantities greater than 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
  - 35.396  Parenteral administration of beta-emitter, or photon-emitting radionuclide with a photon energy less than 150 keV requiring a written directive is required
  - Parenteral administration of any other radionuclide requiring a written directive

\*\* Supervising Authorized User must have experience in administering dosages in the same dosage category or categories as the individual requesting authorized user status.

**d. Provide completed Part II Preceptor Attestation.**

**PART II – PRECEPTOR ATTESTATION**

Note: This part must be completed by the individual's preceptor. The preceptor does not have to be the supervising individual as long as the preceptor provides, directs, or verifies training and experience required. If more than one preceptor is necessary to document experience, obtain a separate preceptor statement from each.

**First Section**

Check one of the following for each requested authorization:

**For 35.390:**

**Board Certification**

I attest that \_\_\_\_\_ has satisfactorily completed the training and experience requirements in 35.390(a)(1).  
Name of Proposed Authorized User

**OR**

**Training and Experience**

I attest that \_\_\_\_\_ has satisfactorily completed the 700 hours of training and experience, including a minimum of 200 hours of classroom and laboratory training, as required by 10 CFR 35.390 (b)(1).  
Name of Proposed Authorized User

**AUTHORIZED USER TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE AND PRECEPTOR ATTESTATION (continued)**

**Preceptor Attestation (continued)**

**First Section (continued)**

**For 35.392 (Identical Attestation Statement Regardless of Training and Experience Pathway):**

I attest that \_\_\_\_\_ has satisfactorily completed the 80 hours of classroom  
Name of Proposed Authorized User

and laboratory training, as required by 10 CFR 35.392(c)(1), and the supervised work and clinical case experience required in 35.392(c)(2).

**For 35.394 (Identical Attestation Statement Regardless of Training and Experience Pathway):**

I attest that DR. SANDEEP AHLUWALIA, MD has satisfactorily completed the 80 hours of classroom  
Name of Proposed Authorized User

and laboratory training, as required by 10 CFR 35.394 (c)(1), and the supervised work and clinical case experience required in 35.394(c)(2).

**Second Section**

I attest that DR. SANDEEP AHLUWALIA, MD has satisfactorily completed the required clinical case  
Name of Proposed Authorized User

experience required in 35.390(b)(1)(ii)G listed below:

- Oral NaI-131 requiring a written directive in quantities less than or equal to 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
- Oral NaI-131 in quantities greater than 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
- Parenteral administration of beta-emitter, or photon-emitting radionuclide with a photon energy less than 150 keV requiring a written directive is required
- Parenteral administration of any other radionuclide requiring a written directive

**Third Section**

I attest that DR. SANDEEP AHLUWALIA, MD has satisfactorily achieved a level of competency to  
Name of Proposed Authorized User

function independently as an authorized user for:

- Oral NaI-131 requiring a written directive in quantities less than or equal to 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
- Oral NaI-131 in quantities greater than 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
- Parenteral administration of beta-emitter, or photon-emitting radionuclide with a photon energy less than 150 keV requiring a written directive is required
- Parenteral administration of any other radionuclide requiring a written directive

**AUTHORIZED USER TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE AND PRECEPTOR ATTESTATION (continued)**

**Fourth Section**

**For 35.396:**

**Current 35.490 or 35.690 authorized user:**

I attest that \_\_\_\_\_ is an authorized user under 10 CFR 35.490 or 35.690

Name of Proposed Authorized User

or equivalent Agreement State requirements, has satisfactorily completed the 80 hours of classroom and laboratory training, as required by 10 CFR 35.396 (d)(1), and the supervised work and clinical case experience required by 35.396(d)(2), and has achieved a level of competency sufficient to function independently as an authorized user for:

- Parenteral administration of any beta-emitter, or photon-emitting radionuclide with a photon energy less than 150 keV for which a written directive is required
- Parenteral administration of any other radionuclide for which a written directive is required

**OR**

**Board Certification:**

I attest that \_\_\_\_\_ has satisfactorily completed the board certification

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requirements of 35.396(c), has satisfactorily completed the 80 hours of classroom and laboratory training required by 10 CFR 35.396 (d)(1) and the supervised work and clinical case experience required by 35.396(d)(2), and has achieved a level of competency sufficient to function independently as an authorized user for:

- Parenteral administration of any beta-emitter, or photon-emitting radionuclide with a photon energy less than 150 keV for which a written directive is required
- Parenteral administration of any other radionuclide for which a written directive is required

**Fifth Section**

**Complete the following for preceptor attestation and signature:**

I meet the requirements below, or equivalent Agreement State requirements, as an authorized user for:

- 35.390       35.392       35.394       35.396

I have experience administering dosages in the following categories for which the proposed Authorized User is requesting authorization.

- Oral NaI-131 requiring a written directive in quantities less than or equal to 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
- Oral NaI-131 in quantities greater than 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
- Parenteral administration of beta-emitter, or photon-emitting radionuclide with a photon energy less than 150 keV requiring a written directive is required
- Parenteral administration of any other radionuclide requiring a written directive

Name of Preceptor DR. RICHARD STEPHENS, MD, RSO	Signature <i>Richard P. Stephens</i>	Telephone Number 765-453-8413	Date OCT 1, 2007
License/Permit Number/Facility Name HOWARD REGIONAL HEALTH SYSTEM 13-13028-02			



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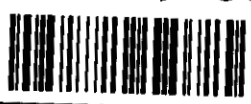
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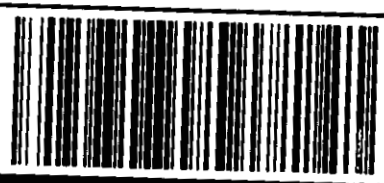


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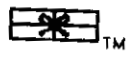
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