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Michael Johnson, Director Office of Enforcement U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, DC 20555-0001

Re: Report on Notice of Violation and Confirmatory Order, NRC Office of Investigations Report No. 1-2004-034

Dear Mr. Johnson.

In accordance with the above noted Report No., I am reporting the following activities taken by myself to satisfy one of the corrective actions. The corrective action is that "the Vice President, Corporate Radiation Safety Officer was to prepare and submit a commentary to the (a) Journal of Nuclear Medicine, (b) Journal of Nuclear Medicine Technology, and (c) Journal of Medical Physics to provide an opportunity for other licensees in the industry to learn from this incident." The following actions have been taken:

- 1. An article entitled "Validation of Authorized Users" was submitted to and published by the Journal of Applied Clinical Medical Physics, Volume 7, Number 3, Summer 2005.
- 2. An article entitled "Validation of Authorized Users" was submitted to the Journal of Nuclear Medicine on October 1, 2006. Notice of this submission was sent via e-mail to Ms. Penny Lanzisera, Pam Henderson and Tara Weidner on the date of this submission. The article was received and permission was requested by the JNM if they could publish it in the "Newsline" portion of that journal. In this way, discussions could be received from their readership relative to this issue. I agreed. This article was never printed in the "Newsline".

13950 Stowe Drive Poway, CA 92064-8803 3. An article entitled "Validation of Authorized Users" was submitted to the Journal of Nuclear Medicine Technologists on October 1, 2006. Notice of this submission was sent via e-mail to Ms. Penny Lanzisera, Pam Henderson and Tara Weidner on the date of this submission. No response was ever received from this Journal.

I trust that this satisfies this action as described in Report No. 1-2004-034. If you require additional information please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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