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Docket No. 030-36529 License No. 29-30894-01
Control No. 142241

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SUBJECT: VETERINARY SURGICAL AND DIAGNOSTIC SPECIALISTS, LICENSE AMENDMENT, CONTROL NO. 142241

Dear Dr. Stobie:

This refers to your license amendment request. Enclosed with this letter is the amended license.

Based on a telephone conversation between Ms. Brie D. Meissier of your office and Lizette Roldán of our office, this amendment only adds the authorized users as requested, because we could not complete the review of the request to reduce the amount of time your patients are held in your facility following treatment, or the request to remove the requirement for performing bioassays after each treatment. We understand that you require additional time to respond to our questions sent in the e-mail dated May 12, 2008, by Dr. Roldán. In order to continue review of those requests, you may submit a new request for amendment of your license, and include all the information requested in that e-mail.

Please review the enclosed document carefully and be sure that you understand and fully implement all the conditions incorporated into the amended license. If there are any errors or questions, please notify the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region I Office, Licensing Assistance Team, (610) 337-5239, so that we can provide appropriate corrections and answers.

An environmental assessment for this action is not required, since this action is categorically excluded under 10 CFR 51.22(c)(14).

Current NRC regulations and guidance are included on the NRC's website at www.nrc.gov; select **Nuclear Materials; Medical, Academic, and Industrial Uses of Nuclear Material;** then **Regulations, Guidance, and Communications.** You may also obtain these documents by contacting the Government Printing Office (GPO) toll-free at 1-866-512-1800. The GPO is open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. EST, Monday through Friday (except Federal holidays).

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Original signed by Elizabeth Ullrich

Betsy Ullrich
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Enclosure:
Amendment No. 1

cc:
Karen D. Wheeler, Radiation Safety Officer

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Amendment No. 1

MATERIALS LICENSE

Pursuant to the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, the Energy Reorganization Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-438), and Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, Chapter I, Parts 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 39, 40, and 70, and in reliance on statements and representations heretofore made by the licensee, a license is hereby issued authorizing the licensee to receive, acquire, possess, and transfer byproduct, source, and special nuclear material designated below; to use such material for the purpose(s) and at the place(s) designated below; to deliver or transfer such material to persons authorized to receive it in accordance with the regulations of the applicable Part(s). This license shall be deemed to contain the conditions specified in Section 183 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, and is subject to all applicable rules, regulations, and orders of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission now or hereafter in effect and to any conditions specified below.

Licensee	In accordance with letter dated March 12, 2008
1. Veterinary Surgical and Diagnostic Specialists	3. License number 29-30894-01 is amended in its entirety to read as follows:
2. 34 Trenton-Lakewood Road Clarksburg, NJ 08510	4. Expiration date June 30, 2014
	5. Docket No. 030-36529 Reference No.

6. Byproduct, source, and/or special nuclear material	7. Chemical and/or physical form	8. Maximum amount that licensee may possess at any one time under this license
A. Iodine 131	A. Sodium Iodide in solution in precalibrated unit dosages contained in syringes	A. No single unit dosage to exceed 10 millicuries, and 200 millicuries total
B. Iodine 131	B. Sodium Iodide capsules	B. 10 microcuries

9. Authorized use:

A. Treatment of feline hyperthyroidism.

B. Calibration of the licensee's instruments.

CONDITIONS

10. Licensed material may be used or stored only at the licensee's facilities located at 34 Trenton-Lakewood Road, Clarksburg, New Jersey.

11. Licensed material shall be used by, or under the supervision of, Tammy E. Anderson, D.V.M., Kimberly Hammer, V.M.D., Jennifer Kim, D.V.M., Jessica Pascal, Daniel Stobie, D.V.M., M.S., and Stephen Wancea.

12. The Radiation Safety Officer for this license is Karen D. Wheeler, M.S.

13. The licensee shall not use licensed material in or on human beings.

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14. The licensee is authorized to hold radioactive material with a physical half-life of less than or equal to 120 days for decay-in-storage before disposal in ordinary trash, provided:

    A. Waste to be disposed of in this manner shall be held for decay a minimum of 10 half-lives.

    B. Before disposal as ordinary trash, the waste shall be surveyed at the container surface with the appropriate survey instrument set on its most sensitive scale and with no interposed shielding to determine that its radioactivity cannot be distinguished from background. All radiation labels shall be removed or obliterated.

    C. A record of each such disposal permitted under this license condition shall be retained for 3 years. The record must include the date of disposal, the date on which the byproduct material was placed in storage, the radionuclides disposed, the survey instrument used, the background dose rate, the dose rate measured at the surface of each waste container, and the name of the individual who performed the disposal.

15. The licensee is authorized to transport licensed material in accordance with the provisions of 10 CFR Part 71, "Packaging and Transportation of Radioactive Material."

16. Except as specifically provided otherwise in this license, the licensee shall conduct its program in accordance with the statements, representations, and procedures contained in the documents, including any enclosures, listed below. The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's regulations shall govern unless the statements, representations, and procedures in the licensee's application and correspondence are more restrictive than the regulations.

    A. Application dated March 11, 2004 [ML040850492]
    B. Letter dated May 13, 2004 [ML041380024]
    C. Letter dated May 14, 2004 [ML041380030]

For the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission

Date May 23, 2008

By ***Original signed by Elizabeth Ullrich***

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