



UNITED STATES  
**NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**  
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Docket No. 03035597  
Control No. 142611

License No. 52-25545-01

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SUBJECT: HOSPITAL METROPOLITANO DR. TITO MATTEI, AMENDMENT NOT  
NEEDED, CONTROL NO. 142611

Dear Mr. Martines Rivera:

The letter dated June 30, 2008 is accepted as notification that you possess and use naturally-occurring and accelerator-produced radioactive material (NARM) under your current NRC license. Please note that Section 651(e) of the Energy Policy Act of 2005 expanded the definition of byproduct material to include NARM. Therefore, the radioisotopes and uses described in your consultant's letter (e.g., Ga-67, Tl-201, and Co-57) are already included on your NRC license under 10 CFR 35.65, 35.100, and 35.200. Additionally, we understand that the facilities used for NARM and the authorized users are already described in your current NRC license and tie-downs. If our understanding is incorrect, please notify us immediately.

Sincerely,

***Original signed by Penny Lanzisera***

Penny Lanzisera  
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cc:  
Miguel Vigo, M.D., Radiation Safety Officer

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