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Joseph J. Doncsecz Corporate Controller The Pennsylvania State University 408 Old Main University Park, PA 16802-1505

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Re:Penn State University and Milton S. Hershey Medical Center, PADEP License Numbers
37-13831-01; 37-13831-04; PA-100 and PA-100A; Financial Assurance Instruments
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Dear Mr. Doncsecz:

I have received the original Self-Guarantee Agreement, dated August 26, 2008, which was submitted by Pennsylvania State University (PSU) for licenses held by PSU and the Milton S. Hershey Medical Center (Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection Radiation Materials License Numbers 37-13831-01; 37-13831-04; PA-100 and PA-100A). I also received the original Certification of Financial Assurance for PSU and the Audited Financial Statements for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. I have reviewed all the financial assurance documents submitted. The Certification and the Self-Guarantee Agreement for PSU are acceptable, and the financial assurance for PSU for all of the above-named licenses is approved at this time. By copy of this letter, I am notifying the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) that the financial assurance instruments that PSU currently has on file with the NRC should be cancelled and returned to you as soon as possible.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely, **Richard S. Morrison**

Assistant Counsel

cc: James Dwyer (NRC) Sheryl Villar (NRC) Ron Hamm (PADEP) Eric Boeldt (Radiation Safety Officer, PSU) Steve King (Radiation Safety Officer, HMC)



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	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.

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Sincerely, Licensing Assistance Team Leader