

September 15, 2008

Willie J. Lee, Health Physicist
United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region I
475 Allendale Road
King of Prussia, PA 19406

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Re: License Number 29-12611-01
Docket Number 030-02555
Control Number 142711

Dear Mr. Lee,

The following information is being supplied to in order to continue the review of our amendment request to change Radiation Safety Officer.

Mr. Immerso is our consultant Medical Physicist and has functioned in this capacity for the last seven years.

1. a & b. Mr. Immerso shall be provided sufficient authority, organizational freedom, time, resources and management prerogative, to identify radiation safety problems; initiate, recommend, or stop unsafe operations; and verify implementation of corrective actions. If Mr. Immerso determines that the expenditure of funds is necessary to correct potential radiation safety issues, management will respond in a timely manner for the expenditure of funds.

c. Mr. Immerso is RSO on the following NRC licenses: 29-03163, 29-03089, and 29-03217. Mr. Immerso is currently at our facility one to two days a week. (16 hours).

d. I will be acting as the in house representative; point of contact, during the RSO's absence, as part of my duties as Chief Physicist for our facility.

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c. The consultant RSO will be available twenty four hours a day seven days a week, except when on vacation. His cell phone, pager, office and home phone numbers will be posted in appropriate places throughout the medical center. The amount of time it would take Mr. Immerso to arrive at the facility in the event of an emergency will be approximately forty five to sixty minutes. In addition, I will be available for emergency response as well as routine issues as I am a full time Solaris System employec.

2. Mr. Immerso has extensive training in radiation safety by education and experience. He has been trained in Nuclear Medicine Technology, has a Masters Degree in Radiation Science/ Medical Physics, and is Board Certified by the American Board of Radiology in Diagnostic Radiological Physics.

Concerning the gamma knife, please be advised that Mr. Immerso was actively involved in the gamma knife source exchange, actually supervising the radiation safety program associated with the source exchange. In addition, I will review safety and emergency procedures associated with the gamma stereotactic radiosurgery unit. This review and any additional training will be documented and kept on file at the medical center.

If you require additional information concerning this matter, please contact me.

Sincerely,



Peter A. Goyer, MS., DABR
Authorized Medical Physicist



Nancy Framingo
Senior Vice President/Chief Operating Officer

Radiation Safety Training for Gamma Knife:

Trainee: Vincent M. Immerso, MS, DABR

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Source Information	Isotope, Activity, Location and Logistics ✓	10/1/08	
Meter Function and Expected Readings	Availability and Use Specific Information ✓	10/1/08	
Emergency Equipment	Location and Function ✓	10/1/08	
Emergency Scenarios	Patient Removal and Manual Equipment Controls ✓	10/1/08	
Documentation Awareness	Location of Specific Safety Documentation ✓	10/1/08	
Miscellaneous			

Signature: 

Trainer: Peter A. Gayer, MS, DABR

Date: 10/1/2008