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475 Allendale Road  
King of Prussia, PA 19406-1415

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**RE: Signum Biosciences, Inc.**  
**Docket No. 030-36545**  
**License No. 29-30906-01 Amendment**  
**Monmouth Junction (South Brunswick), Middlesex County, NJ**

### EA Comments

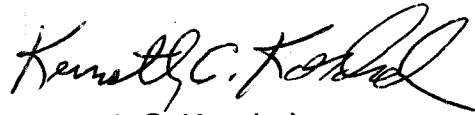
Dear Mr. Hamman:

The Office of Permit Coordination and Environmental Review of the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) has completed its review the Environmental Assessment (EA) and Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) for a license amendment for the Signum Biosciences, Inc. in Monmouth Junction (South Brunswick), Middlesex County. We offer the following comments for your consideration.

The NJDEP's Radiological Assessment Section (RAS) of the Bureau of Environmental Radiation (BER) performed a radiological review of the document. The results of the fixed and removable contamination surveys indicate levels which comply with NJDEP's remediation criteria of 15 mrem/y (N.J.A.C. 7:28-12.8(a)). The BER agrees with the US Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (NRC) FONSI for the proposed action to release Signum Biosciences Inc.'s facility for unrestricted use.

If there are any questions concerning these comments, please contact Ed Truskowski of the BER at (609) 984-5542. Thank you for the opportunity to be part of the review process.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kenneth C. Koschek". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Kenneth" being more prominent.

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C: Ed Truskowski, NJDEP