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**Sent:** Tuesday, February 10, 2009 5:50 PM  
**To:** Kathy Modes  
**Cc:** Hudson, Tara H. (RPG)  
**Subject:** RE: Presto license transfer to Virginia from NRC

**Importance:** High

Kathy,

Currently, our NRC license is held through our corporate office in Appleton, Wisconsin with Dennis Ashton listed as the RSO for both facilities. As we have been made aware, Virginia is now becoming an agreement state and therefore, our facility will act accordingly to see that we remain in compliance and will begin the process of getting myself the appropriate training needed so that I may be listed as the RSO for the South Boston facility. During this transition period, we request that Dennis Ashton remain listed as the RSO. I am currently in the process of enrolling in a training session in Charleston S.C. through Engelhardt & Associates April 20th - 22nd. Once I have completed the training, I will forward the appropriate documentation to the NRC so that I may be listed as the RSO.

Thank you in advance,

Lamon C. Bass  
Presto Products  
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**From:** Kathy Modes [mailto:Kathy.Modes@nrc.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 10, 2009 9:09 AM  
**To:** Bass, Lamon C.  
**Subject:** Presto license transfer to Virginia from NRC

Licensee Name: Reynolds Consumer Products Inc. d/b/a Presto Products Company  
License No.: 48-17017-01  
Docket No.: 030-12060

Dear Mr. Chris Bass,

I understand that you and your management are still in discussion regarding the question I posed about the Commonwealth of Virginia becoming an Agreement State.

Since you possess specifically licensed radioactive material in the Commonwealth of Virginia, you will need to transfer your license to Virginia or replace the specifically licensed material with generally licensed material or non-radioactive material. We need an answer as soon as possible because the transfer to Virginia will occur the end of March 2009.

In order to ensure that specifically licensed radioactive material (in your case, the fixed gauges) is properly licensed, we are asking that you review your license. I suggest that you provide a mailing address that is best suited for you to receive mail in a timely manner. Currently, the mailing address for this license is in Wisconsin. You can change it to Virginia. Please provide a complete mailing address (you can use Appendix A from NUREG-1556, Volume 4).

Also the current Radiation Safety Officer listed on the license is not located in Virginia. We strongly encourage your management to designate an individual, such as yourself, who is physically located at the same location as the specifically licensed material to be the Radiation Safety Officer. In order to name you as Radiation Safety Officer, please provide a copy of your training certificate where you learned how to use the fixed gauge from the manufacturer or distributor or an equivalent course - See Section 8.7.1 in NUREG-1556, Volume 4 which states:

Radiation Safety Officers (RSOs) must have adequate training and experience. Successful completion of training of one of the following is evidence of adequate training and experience.

- Fixed gauge manufacturer's or distributor course for users or for RSOs
- Equivalent course that meets Appendix G criteria

Here is the link to NUREG-1556, Volume 4, "Consolidated Guidance About Materials Licenses: Program-Specific Guidance About Fixed Gauge Licenses"

<http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/nuregs/staff/sr1556/v4/sr1556v4.pdf>

In order to proceed, please provide a letter with the correct mailing address as you would like it to appear in License Items 1 and 2. You can attach a completed Appendix A (boxes 1-4 with a signature by a management rep on the bottom). Attach your training certificate and let us know how you would like your name spelled on the license. We also need confirmation from you that you accept the Virginia transfer - see below:

You have reviewed your current license and no longer find it necessary for authorization to conduct licensed activities in NRC-regulated states, and therefore request that your existing NRC license be amended to authorize the use of material only in the Commonwealth of Virginia. You request that this be effective on the date the Agreement between the NRC and the Commonwealth of Virginia is signed. You understand that upon the effective date of the Agreement between the NRC and the Commonwealth of Virginia, you will be licensed by the Commonwealth of Virginia to conduct work at temporary job sites in the Commonwealth and as such, must file a NRC Form 241 (reciprocity) prior to performing any work in NRC jurisdictions (non-Agreement States) or in areas of Exclusive Federal Jurisdiction within an Agreement State.

Any questions, please reply to this email or call me. I will be out of the office starting tomorrow, but will return on Tuesday February 17, 2009.

Thanks for your cooperation.

Kathy Modes  
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