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Charles Gary Artinian, M.D.  
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SUBJECT: TERMINATION OF YOUR NRC RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS LICENSE

Dear Dr. Artinian:

In your letter dated July 31, 2009, and the facsimile dated October 07, 2009, you contacted the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission and indicated that you wished to terminate your NRC radioactive material license concurrent with the merger into License Number 21-01492-02 for Covenant Medical Center, Inc. In the course of our review of your final status surveys, you indicated that "no area within the department demonstrated radiation levels in excess of the background reading of 0.03 mR/hr." However, there were two areas, Hot Lab Floor and Waste Storage Area, that were above background levels but were below your action levels. Based on this review, the staff has concluded that all licensable radioactive material has been removed from your facility and residual radioactive material attributable to licensed activities does not exceed current NRC criteria.

Based on these conclusions no further remediation or actions with respect to NRC regulated material is required. Your facility is suitable for unrestricted use and merger into License Number 21-01492-02 for Covenant Medical Center, Inc. and NRC license number 21-32510-01 is hereby terminated.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter and its enclosure will be available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the Publicly Available Records (PARS) component of NRC's document system (ADAMS). The NRC's document system is accessible from the NRC Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html> (the Public Electronic Reading Room).

If you have any questions, please contact me at (630) 829-9892.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jose Macatangay".

Jose D. Macatangay  
Materials Licensing Branch

License No. 21-32510-01  
Docket No. 030-36568

Enclosure: Amendment No. 04