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Docket No. 03011605 License No. 52-08827-02
Control No. 573716

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SUBJECT: HOSPITAL AUXILIO MUTUO, LICENSE AMENDMENT, CONTROL NO. 573716

Dear Sr. Colón:

This refers to your NRC license listed above. The latest amendment to your license (Amendment No. 10) does not include maximum possession limits for all the radioisotopes authorized on the license. Current NRC policy requires that a license include a maximum possession limit for each radioisotope authorized on the license. Therefore, we have administratively amended your license to incorporate this requirement and Item 8 of the license has been revised to include a maximum possession limit for the 10 CFR 35.300 and 10 CFR 31.11 radioisotopes authorized on your license. In addition, the manufacturer and sealed source model for the eye applicator source held in storage has been added in Item 7.E. These limits are based on the information that Dr. Rosa E. Orsini-Chévere, your Radiation Safety Officer, provided during a telephone conversation on August 4 and October 18, 2010. Additionally, please note that the license has also been updated in accordance with current NRC Policy found in NUREG-1556, Volume 9. Enclosed with this letter is the amended license.

You must request and receive an amendment to your license prior to acquiring licensed material in excess of the limits specified in Item 8 of the license. Please review the enclosed document carefully and be sure that you understand and fully implement all the conditions incorporated into the amended license. If there are any errors or questions, please notify the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region I Office, Licensing Assistance Team, (610) 337-5239, so that we can provide appropriate corrections and answers.

An environmental assessment for this action is not required, since this action is categorically excluded under 10 CFR 51.22(c)(14).

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Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Original signed by Penny Lanzisera

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Enclosure:
Amendment No. 11

cc:
Rosa E. Orsini-Chévere, M.D., Radiation Safety Officer

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