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Re: Request to Change Radiation Safety Officer for Current License; Docket # 06-31416-01

Dear Ms. Nguyen,

On behalf of The Harold Leever Regional Cancer Center, I am approving changes recommended by our contracting Area Manager of PET operations; Kevin D Vernon. I understand Ali Aghazadeh-Bonab, PhD DABR, will act as our new contracted Radiation Safety Officer, and DDES will be our new Certified Health Physics group. We also wish to add Dr Alan Fischman as an authorized user. All revisions are intended to assist in licensing activities for our PET imaging activities and for managing our Radiation Protection Program. As such, this letter is a request for the following changes to our NRC License No. 06-31416-01:

- 1. Remove current RSO David Jordan and replace with Ali Aghazadeh-Bonab, PhD DABR, as radiation safety officer. Dr. Bonab is board-certified by the Diagnostic American Board of Radiology (certificate attached).
- 2. Remove current Health Physics team. West Physics Group, and replace with contractor DDES as new health physics services. Gary Nadeau, DDES VP, and I have met and I am in agreement with this necessary change.
- 3. Add Alan Fischman MD PhD as an Authorized user. Dr. Fischman is board-certified by the American Board of Nuclear Medicine (certificate attached) and has been listed as an Authorized User on Broad Scope Permit #06-007.

Thank you for your attention to these matters and to expedite and facilitate our request. Should you have any questions regarding these changes, please do not hesitate to contact me at your convenience.

Best Regards,

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