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To: Razmianfar, Nasser
Subject: Additional information for NRC license amendment request for West Virginia University Hospitals, Inc., mail control 575867

Licensee: West Virginia University Hospitals, Inc.
License No: 47-23066-03
Docket No.: 03036074
Mail Control No.: 575867

To: Nasser Razmianfar, Ed.D., Radiation Safety Officer

Please send a return e-mail to confirm that you received this message.

This is regarding the amendment request dated August 18, 2011, to add Joshua Hack as an authorized medical physicist (AMP) for your Perfexion gamma stereotactic radiosurgery unit. One additional piece of information is needed in order to issue this amendment.

The preceptor attestation provided by Thomas Kirby, Ph.D. stated that Mr. Hack has satisfactorily completed the one year of full-time training in medical physics and additional year of full-time work experience as required by 10 CFR 35.51(b)(1). The 35.1000 Perfexion licensing guidance on the NRC website allows a physicist to qualify as AMP if they meet "the criteria in 35.51(b)(1) and (2) for gamma radiosurgery unit use." 35.51(b)(1)(iii) requires that the training include "performing full calibration and periodic spot checks of external beam treatment units, stereotactic radiosurgery units, and remote afterloading units as applicable." The supporting information provided in Table 3c of Form 313A(AMP) indicated that Mr. Hack participated in Perfexion gamma stereotactic radiosurgery spot-checks during the time period August 2010 through July 2011.

Please confirm that Mr. Hack has also received training from Dr. Kirby in performing full calibration checks of the Perfexion gamma stereotactic radiosurgery unit.

Please submit the information described above within 30 days, under signature of hospital senior management. If a response is not received within 30 days, we will presume that you do not wish to pursue this request. This information may be mailed to the Region I office or submitted by fax to my attention at 610-337-5269, referencing mail control 575867.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions. I am frequently away from the office, but will check e-mail and voicemail daily.

Thank you,

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