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**Name of Licensee:** Applied Research Associates, Inc.**Name of Participant(s):** John W. Haas, Ph.D., Vice President/Radiation Safety Officer  
Steven R. Courtemanche, Health Physicist NRC RI**Telephone No.** 802-728-7428, 610-337-5075**Subject:** Possession of Licensed Device not on License**(NOTE: This will be used as the  
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10/7/2011 10:15 I left a message on Dr. Haas' voicemail for him to get back in touch with me.  
11:10 Dr. Haas returned my call. I informed Dr. Haas that we had information that the licensee may have received a neutron generator for which it was not licensed. Dr. Haas confirmed the information. He stated that the licensee had supplied a copy of its license to the manufacturer. Dr. Haas stated that the manufacturer's representative recognized that the neutron generator on the license was from a different manufacturer but believed indicated that the generator's were similar enough that the representative had no qualms about sending the licensee one of its generators. I told Dr. Haas that until the generator was listed on the license, the licensee was not permitted to use it. If the licensee would submit a request to amend the license for the generator citing the manufacturer, model number and expected maximum activity, then the NRC would work on the action in an expedited manner so that there would be as little down time with the generator as possible. Dr. Haas agreed to submit the amendment request to the NRC as quickly as possible.

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