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United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission

To Whom It May Concern:

After a comprehensive review of our postoperative planning we are rescinding our medical event reporting on all of those previously reported patients. On all of the previously reported patients the V100 is 90% or greater on the ultrasound directed postimplant dosimetry. Within three hours of the implant the ultrasound volume is reviewed by the authorized user. Intraoperatively, the radioactive seeds are counted fluoroscopically and compared to the written directive. We are asserting that the postimplant ultrasound dosimetry, i.e., the ultrasound directed dose volume histogram done on day 0 was used for regulatory reporting. The postimplant CT scan done two to three weeks posttreatment was not used. We do agree with your concerns about outdated policies and procedures. We have also updated our written directive.

If there are any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me directly, James F. Littles, M.D., authorized user.


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