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From: Jacqueline D. Cook
Date: August 29, 2012
Subject: Application dated February 23, 2012 for License Renewal
Pages:

Ms. Pifher:

Per your application dated February 23, 2012 for your license renewal, the items on the next page are deficiencies which require your response. **Please respond to this e-mail by Friday, August 31, 2012.** Our fax number is (817) 200-1263. You may respond by e-mail in pdf format if you'd like. My email address is Jackie.Cook@nrc.gov. When responding to this e-mail, please include the license, docket and control numbers located at the top of this page.

Thanking you in advance for your cooperation, assistance, and prompt response in this matter.

/RA/
 Jacqueline D. Cook
 Senior Health Physicist

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Reviewer: JDC Date: 8/30/12

1. Amendment Number 17 dated March 2, 2011, changed the name of your license and lists the licensed entity as "**Saint Alphonsus Medical Center – Nampa, Inc.**"; however, Item 2 of NRC Form 313 dated February 23, 2012 lists the name of the licensee as "**St. Alphonsus Medical Center Nampa**". Also, in an email dated January 13, 2011 from Mrs. Angela Epolito Sprecher, she states that Mercy Medical Center, Nampa changed its legal business name to **Saint Alphonsus Medical Center – Nampa, Inc.**

Please clarify this discrepancy.

2. Please note that the authorization for approval for the use of Gd-153 attenuation correction sources has been deleted from your license for authorized users because this material is not specifically authorized on your license.

Please clarify if Gd-153 attenuation correction sources should be specifically listed on your license if it is outside the criteria for 10 CFR 35.65.

3. Dr. Ian Davey is currently authorized for 10 CFR 35.300 material; however, in your NRC Form 313 dated February 23, 2012, you only request 10 CFR 35.100 and 35.200 material.

Please clarify this discrepancy.

4. Please note that Dr. Michael Codina is currently approved on your license as an authorized user in Amendment Number 18 dated January 27, 2012; however, he was not included in your renewal application dated February 23, 2012.

Please explain this discrepancy.

5. Please confirm the statement that: "We reserve the right to upgrade our survey instruments as necessary as long as they are adequate to measure the type and level of radiation for which they are used."

6. Please expand page 8 last paragraph of your renewal application dated February 23, 2012 to confirm the following statement: "Equipment used to measure dosages will be calibrated in accordance with nationally recognized standards or the manufacturer's instructions."

7. Please confirm statement that: "We have developed and will implement and maintain written procedures for area surveys in accordance with 10 CFR 20.1101 that meet the requirements of 10 CFR 20.1501 and 10 CFR 35.70."

8. Please confirm the statement that: "We have developed and will implement and maintain procedures for safe use of unsealed byproduct material that meet the requirements of 10 CFR 20.1101 and 10 CFR 20.1301."

9. Please confirm the following statement: "We have developed and will implement and maintain written procedures for safe response to spills of licensed material in accordance with 10 CFR 20.1101."



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To: Ms. Jacqueline D. Cook

From: Calista Pither

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August 29, 2012

To: Jacqueline D. Cook, Senior Health Physicist

Re: License: 11-27089-01 Docket: 030-32246 Control : 577097
Response to letter from August 29, 2012 regarding application dated
February 23, 2012

Dear Ms. Cook,

Thank you for your letter. Please see the following for my response.

1. Please amend our license to read Saint Alphonsus Medical Center – Nampa, Inc. as you are correct this is our official legal business name.
2. Thank you for deleting the Gd-153 sources from our license as we will never have for than 30 millicuries in our facility. The sources we use fall inside the criteria for 10CFR 35.65.
3. Please remove the 10CFR 35.300 request on Dr. Ian Davey. He needs on the 10CFR 35.100 and 35.200 at our facility.
4. Please include Dr. Michael Codina on our new license, approved on Amendment Number 18 dated January 27, 2012.
5. I confirm the statement: We reserve the right to upgrade our survey instruments as necessary as long as they are adequate to measure the type and level of radiation for which they are used.”
6. I expand page 8 last paragraph of my renewal application to confirm the following statement: “Equipment used to measure dosages will be calibrated in accordance with nationally recognized standards or the manufacturer’s instructions.”
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Please let me know if there is anything more you require. Please call if you have any further questions.

Thank you.



Calista Pifher, CNMT
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