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Subject: Request for Additional Information, Change of Radiation Safety Officer

License No: **52-13471-01**
Docket No: 03003532
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Subject: Liga Puertorriqueña Contra el Cáncer Request for Additional Information
Concerning Amendment Request to Change Radiation Safety Officer

1. You have requested that David Rhoe be named Radiation Safety Officer (RSO) on your NRC License No. **52-13471-01**. It appears that he may be an outside consultant\contractor. If this is so, in support of this request, please address the following:
 - a. Describe the control over the radiation safety program that will be delegated so that the consultant-RSO will be able to exercise authority over authorized users when confronted with radiation safety problems that require implementation of corrective actions.
 - b. Describe the relationship that will exist between the consultant-RSO and your institutional management regarding expenditure of funds to facilitate the objectives of your radiation safety program and related regulatory requirements.
 - c. Identify other commitments of the consultant-RSO for other NRC or Agreement State licensed facilities, along with a description of how the consultant-RSO will allocate time to permit the performance of the duties of the RSO as described in the regulations. State the consultant-RSO's minimum amount of on-site time (hours per week).
 - d. Appoint an in-house representative who will serve as the point of contact during the RSO's absence. This person may be allowed to assist the consultant RSO with limited authority.
 - e. Describe the overall availability of the consultant-RSO to respond to questions or operational issues that arise during the conduct of your radiation safety program and related regulatory requirements. Specify the maximum amount of time it will take the RSO to arrive at the facility in the event of an emergency that requires his presence.

2. Please confirm that you are requesting that David Rhoe be authorized as the RSO for NRC License No. **52-13471-01**
3. Please confirm that you are requesting that your license be amended for storage only for all manual brachytherapy sources authorized by your license. Please note that the amended license will not authorize the medical use of these sources. In order to be authorized for medical use, you must submit an amendment request and obtain the amendment prior to resuming medical use.

You may fax your response to my attention to (610) 337-5269.

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