

Note to File:

Department of the Army
Martin Army Community Hospital
License No. 10-06493-02
Docket No. 030-01351
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SUBJECT: Verification of qualifications for temporary RSO

On February 23, 2013, Department of the Army (Martin Army Community Hospital) submitted a notification letter that Glen A. Vahjen, M.D. will be serving as temporary Radiation Safety Officer (RSO) effective July 10, 2013 for a period of time not to exceed 60 days. I wanted to verify that Dr. Vahjen met the requirements of 10 CFR 35.50. I did an ADAMS search and found that Dr. Vahjen had his own NRC license in Connecticut where he served as authorized user (AU) and RSO. The license was NRC license number 06-28707-01 (docket number 030-32582) and was authorized for 10 CFR 35.100, 35.200, and Iodine-131/Samarium-153 under 35.300. These are the same materials that are authorized under the Martin Army Community Hospital license. Dr. Vahjen's NRC license was terminated in February 2005, but he should have currentness of training since he has been an AU on the Martin Army Community Hospital license, where he is the Chief of Nuclear Medicine. I will approve the notification.

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