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SUBJECT: PONCE SCHOOL OF MEDICINE, LICENSE TERMINATION, CONTROL NO.  
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Dear Dr. Thompson:

Please find enclosed Amendment No. 9 terminating License No. 52-19547-01 as requested by your NRC Form 314 dated May 13, 2013. This termination is being issued in accordance with the requirements of the applicable NRC License Termination Rule (10 CFR 30.36, 10 CFR 40.42, and 10 CFR 70.38). It is also issued concurrently with the voidance of the renewal request letter dated January 22, 2013. All facilities previously used for licensed activities may be released for unrestricted use.

Current NRC regulations and guidance are included on the NRC's website at [www.nrc.gov](http://www.nrc.gov); select **Nuclear Materials; Med, Ind, & Academic Uses**; then **Licensee Toolkits, see our toolkit index page**. You may also obtain these documents by contacting the Government Printing Office (GPO) toll-free at 1-866-512-1800. The GPO is open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. EST, Monday through Friday (except Federal holidays).

The NRC's Safety Culture Policy Statement became effective in June 2011. While a policy statement and not a regulation, it sets forth the agency's *expectations* for individuals and organizations to establish and maintain a positive safety culture. You can access the policy statement and supporting material that may benefit your organization on NRC's safety culture Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/regulatory/enforcement/safety-culture.html>. We

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strongly encourage you to review this material and adapt it to your particular needs in order to develop and maintain a positive safety culture as you engage in NRC-regulated activities.

Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

***Original signed by Dennis R. Lawyer***

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Amendment No. 9

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