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August 20, 2013

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region III
Attn: Material Licensing Branch
2443 Warrenville Road
Suite 210
Lisle, Illinois 60532-4352

Re: Notice of Change of Control of NRC Materials License No. 13-26691-01

Dear Sir or Madam:

The purpose of this letter is to notify your office that on or after September 1, 2013, substantially all of the assets of Northwest Indiana Cardiovascular Physicians, P.C. (the "Practice"), the holder of the above-referenced NRC Materials License, will be acquired by Porter Physicians Services, LLC ("Porter"). Both the Practice as Transferor and Porter as Transferee agree to the change of ownership of the licensed materials and the conditions of the transfer. There are no open inspection items pending for this license. The Transferee accepts responsibility for the license and conditions as they exist upon the date of transfer.

Below is additional information about the change of ownership required by regulatory requirements as specified in NUREG-1556, Vol. 15, Appendix F.

1. ***Provide a complete description of the transaction (transfer of stocks or assets, or merger). Indicate whether the name has changed and include the new name. Include the name and telephone number of a licensee contact who NRC may contact if more information is needed.***

As mentioned above, on or after September 1, 2013, Porter Physicians Services, LLC ("Porter") will acquire substantially all of the assets of Northwest Indiana Cardiovascular Physicians, P.C.. Thereafter, the legal name of the Practice will become "Porter Physicians Services, LLC." In addition, the operating name of the Practice will become "Porter Physician Group, Northwest Indiana Cardiovascular Physicians." The day-to-day management of the Practice operations will remain unchanged. However, governing responsibilities will rest with the Board of Directors of Porter. Both Nancy L. George, CEO, or Hector J. Marchand, M.D., Radiation Safety Officer, may be contacted at (219) 531-9419 for additional information regarding the Practice and its operations.

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- 2. Describe any changes in personnel or duties that relate to the licensed program. Include training and experience for new personnel.***

There will be no changes in personnel controlling the radioactive material or licensed program. Specifically, the Radiation Safety Officer and Authorized Users for this license will be the same as those currently identified on the license, license conditions, or application.

- 3. Describe any changes in the organization, location, facilities, equipment or procedures that relate to the licensed program.***

There are no changes in the organization, location, facilities, equipment or procedures that relate to the licensed program.

- 4. Describe the status of the surveillance program (surveys, wipe tests, quality control) at the present time and the expected status at the time that control is to be transferred.***

All surveillance items and records (e.g. calibrations, leak tests, surveys, inventories, and accountability requirements) are current and will be current at the time of transfer. In addition, the results were "acceptable" on all evaluations and tests performed at the last Nuclear Medicine Audit report on May 16, 2013.

- 5. Confirm that all records concerning the safe and effective decommissioning of the facility will be transferred to the transferee or to NRC, as appropriate. These records include documentation of surveys of ambient radiation levels and fixed and/or removable contamination, including methods and sensitivity.***

Records will be kept on site in the current locations. We confirm that all records concerning the safe and effective decommissioning of the facilities; public dose; and waste disposal by release to sewers, incineration, radioactive material spills, and on-site burials, will be maintained on site and in the possession of the new licensee in accordance with applicable regulations.

- 6. Confirm that the transferee will abide by all constraints, conditions, requirements and commitments of the transferor or that the transferee will submit a complete description of the proposed licensed program.***

Transferee will abide by all constraints, conditions, requirements and commitments of the transferor.

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Should you have questions concerning the use of radioactive materials under this license, or require any additional information to process this request, please contact Cheryl Harmon, Chief Financial Officer at Porter Regional Hospital, at (219) 983-8562, or Anna Long, outside legal counsel to Porter, at (615) 252-2353.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Cheryl Harmon", written in a cursive style.

Cheryl Harmon

cc: Catherine Grow, Esq. (via e-mail)
Anna J. Long, Esq. (via e-mail)
Nancy George (via e-mail)
Hector Marchand, M.D. (via e-mail)

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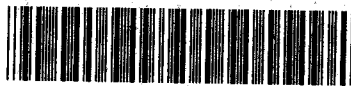
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