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Dear Dr. Shah:

Enclosed is Amendment No. 36 to your NRC Material License No. 13-03226-04 in accordance with your request. Please note that the major changes made to your license are printed in **bold** font.

Please review the enclosed document carefully and be sure that you understand all conditions. If there are any errors or questions, please notify the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region III office at (630) 829-9887 so that we can provide appropriate corrections and answers.

This also refers to the telephone calls between you and me on January 29, 2014, and January 30, 2014. In these calls we discussed the items requested in your letter dated November 11, 2103, and the letter dated January 24, 2014. You stated that the new Breast Center would be opening on February 3, 2014, and that you needed the license amended to add it by January 31, 2014.

In this amendment I have added the new facility. However, the information provided to support the addition of this facility was minimally adequate. Additional information needed to complete our review will be described in a subsequent licensing action being prepared for this license either today or on Monday, February 3, 2014.

I am still reviewing your request in Item 4 of your letter dated November 11, 2013, and the remainder of your request in Item 1 of this letter. Since this portion of the amendment was needed urgently, we are issuing what we can now, on January 31, 2014, and we will address the remaining issues either today or on Monday, February 3, 2014.

If you have any questions concerning this amendment please contact me at either (630) 829-9841 or (800) 522-3025, ext. 9841. My fax number is 630-515-1078. My email address is colleen.casey@nrc.gov.

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We 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.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure:

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