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Subject: Additional information

Discussion: In an email dated March 4, 2015, we requested additional information from the licensee for their amendment request dated January 8, 2015. In the response to the RAI, the licensee did not address the question which asked for confirmation that there were not changes to the hospital rooms they were seeking approval to use radioactive materials in as an earlier amendment request stated that the rooms would be remodeled. I contacted Dr. Bose to get a confirmation. He stated that there were NO structural changes in the rooms and only the cosmetics of the room were remodeled (i.e. paint, new furniture, etc.).

I also explained to him that the supporting information regarding surveys for rooms on the 3rd floor that were submitted with this current amendment request, was not approved when originally submitted in the April 16, 2011 request. When originally submitted, the survey results were above public dose limits. The licensee submitted additional surveys in letters dated August 27 and 30, 2012, which were accepted. The surveys were submitted with the current amendment because the licensee stated that the shielding requirements in the 3rd floor rooms were the same as for the 4th floor rooms. I informed Dr. Bose that the surveys were not needed to support the request. Diagrams and other information for the 4th floor were submitted in the March 21, 2006 renewal application.

Action Required: Place into ADAMS

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