

A business of Merck KGaA, Darmstadt, Germany

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Ms. Jennifer Bishop
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RE: NRC License 24-16607-03, Notification of Merck KGaA Acquisition

Ms. Bishop,

This letter serves to inform you that the anticipated acquisition of Sigma-Aldrich by Merck KGaA was completed on November 18, 2015. Below please find the URL reference for the 8k on the SEC website for the press release about the acquisition.

<http://www.sec.gov/Archives/edgar/data/90185/000119312515380282/0001193125-15-380282-index.htm>

As noted in previous correspondence, this acquisition does not change any aspect of licensed operations, including licensee name, licensed materials, persons using the license material, location of use of licensed material, or persons responsible for the radiation safety program

Please contact me if you have concerns or questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,



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Jennifer,

Please find the attached letter that serves to formally notify the NRC of the completed acquisition of Sigma Aldrich by Merck DGaA.

Please let me know if you have questions or concerns regarding this matter.

Regards,
Tom

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