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Ramon P. Cabrera, Director Product Safety & Compliance Division Panasonic Corporation of North America Electronic Products Division Two Riverfront Plaza Newark, NJ 07102

SUBJECT: PANASONIC CORPORATION OF NORTH AMERICA, REQUEST FOR 2015 EXEMPT DISTRIBUTION ANNUAL TRANSFER REPORT

Dear Mr. Cabrera:

After carefully reviewing our records, it appears that we do not have record of your exempt distribution transfer report for the 2015 reporting period.

As you are authorized under 10 CFR 32.14 to transfer certain products containing byproduct material to individuals exempt from regulatory requirements, you must abide by the reporting requirements for your license, which are listed in 10 CFR 32.16. These requirements include the provision that you submit an annual report to the NRC detailing transfers taking place during the previous calendar year.

Pursuant to 10 CFR 32.16, you must include the following information in your annual transfer reports:

- identification of the licensee, including the license number;
- indication that the products transferred for use under 10 CFR 30.15, giving the specific paragraph designation (for example, 10 CFR 30.15(a)(8) for electron tubes), or equivalent regulations of an Agreement State;
- a description and/or identification of the type of each product, including the model number(s) (if applicable);
- the total quantity of each radionuclide contained in each type of product/model; and
- the number of units of each type of product transferred, by model number (if applicable), during the reporting period.

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These reports do not need to list each individual transfer (e.g., by date or recipient) or each individual unit transferred (e.g., by serial number); however, they must list the total number of units and amount of radioactivity in each device type or model transferred for each reporting period. Also, if no transfers take place during a given reporting period, you are still required to submit a report stating so explicitly.

Pursuant to the regulations, your annual transfer reports must be submitted by January 31 each year, covering transfers that took place during the preceding calendar year. You should submit reports by mailing them to the following address:

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or by some other means listed in 10 CFR 30.6(a).

Your report for the 2015 reporting period appears to be past due; therefore, you should submit this report as soon as possible as we are considering enforcement action in your case.

Please be aware that upon your request, proprietary information submitted to the NRC may be withheld from public disclosure. To do this, you must follow the procedures in 10 CFR 2.390(b) including requesting withholding at the time the information is submitted and complying with the document marking and affidavit requirements set forth in 10 CFR 2.390(b)(1).

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390, "Public inspections, exemptions, requests for withholding," a copy of this letter will be available electronically for public inspection in NRC's Public Document Room or from the Publicly Available Records component of NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS). ADAMS is accessible from the NRC web site at http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html.

If you have any questions, or if your understanding differs from the above, please contact me at (301) 415-5608, or by electronic mail at <u>Eric.Reber@nrc.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

/RA/

Eric H. Reber Materials Safety Licensing Branch Division of Material Safety, State, Tribal, and Rulemaking Programs Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards

License No. 29-27907-01E Docket No. 030-29563

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