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Dear Mr. Pekala:

Enclosed is Amendment No. 74 to your NRC Material License No. 24-02490-03 in accordance with your request dated June 17, 2016 (ML16174A415), and additional information letter dated June 22, 2016 (ML16204A211). Please note that we have deleted Condition No. 13 in accordance with current NRC policy to include the reference to Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations*, Part 71, "Packaging and Transportation of Radioactive Material," in the preamble, on page 1 of the license.

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 may provide appropriate corrections and answers. In addition, please note that, although the attached license amendment lists an expiration date of June 30, 2016, we have noted that your May 12, 2016 renewal application (ML16138A349) was received timely in our office on May 17, 2016. As discussed via phone and email, that application is currently under review, under NRC Mail Control No. 590909. A staff member from our office will contact you if additional information is needed to complete that review.

The NRC's Safety Culture Policy Statement became effective in June 2011. While a policy statement and not a regulation, it sets forth the agency's *expectations* for individuals and organizations to establish and maintain a positive safety culture. You can access the policy statement and supporting material that may benefit your organization on NRC's safety culture Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/regulatory/enforcement/safety-culture.html>. 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.

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Sincerely,

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