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September 5, 2017

Peggy Pust, CRA, FAHRA Vice President Monongalia General Hospital 1200 J.D. Anderson Drive Morgantown, WV 26505-3486

SUBJECT:

VOIDANCE OF YOUR REQUEST FOR AMENDED LICENSE, MAIL CONTROL

NO. 599829

Dear Ms. Pust:

This concerns your request for an amended license dated May 18, 2017. Because you are not currently able to provide the additional information required to complete the requested action as noted by your response of "pending" for several items, we have voided your request. This action is taken without prejudice to the resubmission of your request. In particular, the additional information required to complete your request includes the following:

Possession Only of HDR

- Dr. Saconn is licensed to practice medicine in NC; however is not listed on the West Virginia (WV) medical board site. Provide evidence that Dr. Saconn is licensed to practice medicine in WV.
- 2. We note that Mr. Murray and Ms. Pervola were previously listed on a license for high dose rate remote afterloader (HDR) use (LN 47-17282-01). Please confirm that this is correct.
- 3. Provide the serial number of the HDR unit to be supplied. If the exact number is unknown, provide a range of numbers that the unit is expected to fall within.

Medical Use of HDR

- 1. Confirm that the "person qualified" to perform survey instrument calibrations will have an NRC or Agreement State license to perform this service.
- 2. Confirm that annual emergency response training will be "hands on."
- 3. Provide a revised preceptor attestation statement for Dr. Saconn for HDR use that states that Dr. Saconn "has achieved a level of competency sufficient to function independently as an authorized user for remote afterloader units."
- 4. Submit the emergency procedures that will be posted near the treatment console, including the contact names and numbers for the authorized medical physicist (AMP), Radiation Safety Officer (RSO), and Authorized User (AU).
- 5. Clarify the training provided to AMPs, the AU, and the RSO as described in Section 8 of your application. For instance, Item A appears to apply to the AU and the RSO in addition to the AMPs and numbers xiv and xv of Item B appear to also apply to the AU. Finally, the audience for Item C of the training is not specified. Will this training be provided to AMPs and the AU?

- 6. Provide documentation of the vendor training provided to Dr. Saconn, Mr. Murray, Ms. Pervola, and Mr. Perna.
- 7. Provide step-by-step procedures for all spot checks.
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10 CFR 35.394 authorization for Dr. Saconn

We understand that you are pursuing the additional information to support this authorization (license/permit for 2 preceptors and third I-131 case > 33 mCi). Please provide.

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Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely

Penny Lanzisera, Senior Health Physicist

Medical Branch

Division of Nuclear Materials Safety

Region I

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cc:

Mark T. Perna, M.S., Radiation Safety Officer

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Penny Lanzisera, Senior Health Physicist Medical Branch Division of Nuclear Materials Safety Region I

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