



UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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DEC 19 2017

Linda Brown, CNMT
Radiation Safety Officer
Community Health Center of Branch County
274 E. Chicago St.
Coldwater, MI 49036-2088

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR CONSENT TO DIRECT LICENSE TRANSFER

Dear Ms. Brown:

By letter dated September 19, 2017, Community Health Center of Branch County, submitted to the U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) a Request for Consent to Direct License Transfer of NRC Materials License issued to ProMedica Health System, Inc. The affected license noted in that letter was License No. 21-16642-01.

Based on the information provided, we understand that as a result of the agreement of Community Health Center of Branch County, by ProMedica Health System, Inc. control of Community Health Center of Branch County, will be directly transferred to ProMedica Health System, Inc. We further understand that this transfer will not result in any change to the licensed materials, persons using the license material, location of use of licensed material, or persons responsible for the licensee's radiation safety program.

Based on the above understandings and as more fully detailed in the enclosed NRC staff's Safety Evaluation Report which documents the NRC staff's review of the request, the NRC consents to the proposed direct transfer of control. Please note that you will need to notify us promptly within 30 days, in writing, after the transaction has been finalized and include a signed copy of the final agreement confirming completion of the transaction. Please also include information to support other necessary changes such as a name change. With this information, we can issue an administrative amendment to your NRC license to reflect the transaction, if necessary. Please contact Daniel C. Strohmeyer at 630-829-9689, or by e-mail at Daniel.Strohmeyer@nrc.gov if you have any questions regarding this letter.

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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In accordance with Title 10 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 2.390 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter and its enclosure will be available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS), accessible from the NRC Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "B. Parker", written over a printed name.

Bryan A. Parker
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Materials Licensing Branch
Division of Nuclear Materials Safety

License No.: 21-16642-01
Docket No.: 030-11390

Enclosure: Safety Evaluation Report