

## UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001

March 26, 2018

Ushio America, Inc. ATTN: Rez Motamed Senior Manager, Regulatory Compliance 5440 Cerritos Avenue Cypress, CA 90630

SUBJECT: USHIO AMERICA, INC., SUSPENDING THE REVIEW OF YOUR LICENSE

AMENDMENT REQUEST FOR EXEMPT DISTRIBUTION LICENSE

04-23968-01E

Dear Mr. Motamed:

This letter is in regard to your letters dated January 8, 2018, and amendment request dated January 16, 2018, requesting a name change and adding additional distributing locations to your Exempt Distribution License No. 04-23968-01E. After reviewing your amendment request, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff sent you a letter dated February 5, 2018, requesting additional information. During our phone and e-mail communications, and your response dated February 28, 2018, you stated that you are waiting for the amendment of your possession license issued by the State of California, and additional time is needed to receive the amended possession license from the State, as requested. Based on this information, we have discontinued our review at this time pending your receipt of the requested document.

This action is taken without prejudice to submission of the requested information. Please note that when you resubmit your application at a later date, you may refer to Mail Control No. 602053 for the documentation you have already submitted.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC's "Agency Rules of Practice and Procedure," a copy of this letter will be available electronically for public inspection in the NRC 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 <a href="http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html">http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html</a>.

If you have any questions, you may contact me at (301) 415-7640, or by e-mail at Shirley.Xu@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

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Materials Safety License Branch
Division of Material Safety, State, Tribal
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Office of Nuclear Material Safety
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