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Michael Levy Director of Radiation Compliance & Environmental Health & Safety Sofie Network, Inc. d/b/a SOFIE 21000 Atlantic Blvd. STE. 730 Dulles, VA 20166

Dear Mr. Levy:

Enclosed is Amendment No. 15 to your NRC Material License No. 24-32827-01MD in accordance with your July 24, 2018 request. This document may be found in our NRC Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) at accession number ML18206A640.

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 your July 24, 2018 letter, you confirmed that all residual licensed material located previously at a generator storage area located at the Sunset Street, Springfield, Missouri location of use listed in Condition No. 10 to the most recent amendment to your license had been removed – such that any remaining residual radioactivity in that area of use is within the limits of Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 20, Subpart E, and is ALARA.

Based on its review, the staff has concluded that all licensable radioactive material has been removed from the area of use referenced in your letter, and residual radioactive material attributable to licensed activities in that area does not exceed current NRC criteria. Based on these conclusions no further remediation or actions with respect to NRC regulated material at the generator area of use, located at the Sunset Street, Springfield, Missouri location referenced in your letter are required. The area authorized previously on your license, under Condition 10, and incorporated via the tiedown Condition No. 20, is suitable for unrestricted use.

You will be periodically inspected by NRC. Failure to conduct your program in accordance with NRC regulations, license conditions, and representations made in your license application and supplemental correspondence with NRC will result in enforcement action against you. This could include issuance of a notice of violation, or imposition of a civil penalty, or an order suspending, modifying or revoking your license as specified in the General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Actions. Since serious consequences to employees and the public can result from failure to comply with NRC requirements, prompt and vigorous enforcement action will be taken when dealing with licensees who do not achieve the necessary meticulous attention to detail and the high standard of compliance which NRC expects of its licensees.

The enclosure to this letter contains sensitive security-related information. When separated from this cover letter this letter is uncontrolled.

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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 <u>http://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/regulatory/enforcement/safety-culture.html</u>. 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.

NRC's Regulatory Issue Summary (RIS) 2005-31 provides criteria to identify security-related sensitive information and guidance for handling and marking of such documents. This ensures that potentially sensitive information is not made publicly available through ADAMS, the NRC's electronic document system. Pursuant to NRC's RIS 2005-31 and in accordance with 10 CFR 2.390, the enclosed license document is exempt from public disclosure because its disclosure to unauthorized individuals could present a security vulnerability. The RIS may be located on the NRC Web site at: <u>http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/gen-comm/reg-issues/2005/ri200531.pdf</u> and the link for frequently asked questions regarding protection of security related sensitive information may be located at: <u>http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/sensitive-info/fag.html</u>.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390, 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 ADAMS, which is accessible from the NRC website at http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html.

Sincerely,

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