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Mr. Robert Pate Nuclear Materials Safety Branch U.S. Muclear Regulatory Commission Region V

Dear Mr. Pate:

The study materials pertinent to the Sr-90 applicator was obtained from Dr. Don Tolbert in Honolulu and includes printouts, references, and suggested reading materials from his training course towards certification. Pursuant to our phone conversation, time spent on the topics were:

a. Radiation physics 2 hrs
b. Radiation protection 2 hrs
c. Mathematics 1 hr
d. Radiation biology 2 hrs

e. Beta-ray applicator instrumentation 1 hr

The references were available at our local Hawaii Medical Library. Details of pages studied is described in my previous letter.

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