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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region 1
Nuclear Materials Safety Section
475 Allendale Road
King of Prussia, PA 19406

Re: Lic. # 20-20615-01
Expiration date: 7/31/88
Program Code: 02120
Duplicate/\$700.

Gentlemen:

In order to simplify our license renewal procedures and to save paperwork we wish to apply for renewal of License #20-20615-01 by utilizing the "short form" alternative option as described in your Instructions for Preparation of Application for License Renewal.

The information requested via your alternative option follows:

1. Review the current license to determine that the information concerning radionuclides accurately represents our current and anticipated program;
 - a. Radionuclides - no change
 - b. Chemical and/or physical forms of the radionuclides - no change
 - c. Quantities we wish to possess - no change
 - d. Uses for the radionuclides - no change

2. Review the documents we have submitted in the past to determine that the information on them is up-to-date and accurately reflects the following:
 - a. Management control program - no change
 - b. Facilities - The nuclear medicine suite has relocated to a different facility in the basement of Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital. A diagram of the new facility is shown in Appendix A. (Item 11 in license.)
 - c. Equipment - no change
 - d. Radiation safety procedure - due to current 10 CFR Part 35 regulations the following changes in our program will be implemented upon NRC acceptance of this renewal application:
 - (1) Item 6.b in Application: As indicated is 10 CFR Part 35.51c, a dedicated check source will be obtained to check each survey instrument for proper operation each day of use. A 1 uCi (0.037 MBq) Cs-137 disc source will be obtained for this purpose. An example of the latter can be obtained from the Dupont Company (NES-131S) and is calibrated with an accuracy of \pm 3.5%.

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A private, not-for-profit specialized rehabilitation hospital associated with Harvard Medical School and Tufts University School of Medicine offering rehabilitation care, in the fields of neurological disease, orthopedics, fracture, stroke, arthritis, pediatrics, pain, traumatic head injury, spinal cord disease, amputation, oncology, alcoholism, cardiology, pulmonary disease, dialysis and other rehabilitation specialties. An affiliate of The Massachusetts General Hospital.

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(2) Item 7 in Application: Radiation Safety Committee will issue the model Radiation Safety Committee Charter and Radiation Safety Officer Delegation of Authority that was published in Appendix F to Regulatory Guide 10.8, Revision 2. This section is contained in our Appendix E.

(3) Item 8 in Application: Individual Users; Charles A. Boucher, M.D. continues as authorized user for this license. In addition, Frank P. Castronovo, Jr. Ph.D. will be the Health Physics Consultant. His credentials are documented in Broad License #20-3814-80.

(4) Item 9 in Application: Instrumentation; no change.

(5) Item 10 in Application: Calibration of survey instruments: Under 10 CFR Part 35.51(a)(3), we are required to "conspicuously note on the instrument the apparent exposure rate from a dedicated check source as determined at the time of calibration and the date of calibration. We would like to apply for an exemption of the part under 10 CFR Part 35.19 in order to more accurately account for the logistics associated with survey meter calibration. Our proposed wording to 10 CFR Part 35.51(a)(3) follows: "Conspicuously note on the instrument the apparent exposure rate from a dedicated source within a reasonable time period after calibration." Survey meters sent away from our facility for calibration may not be returned for up to two weeks post calibration.

The "dedicated check source" as described above in 2.d(1) will be utilized for this procedure.

(6) Item 10 in Application: Dose Calibrator Calibration and Linearity Procedures: We will establish and implement the model procedure for calibrating our dose calibrator that was published in Appendix C to Regulatory Guide 10.8, Revision 2."

In addition, we would like to retain under this section the individuals responsible for performing the calibration for the dose calibrator, calibration of survey meters and calibration of diagnostic instrumentation.

Item 11 - Facilities and Equipment: As described above under 2.b and Appendix A the nuclear medicine facility has moved to a new location next to the old nuclear medicine suite. Radiation handling equipment will remain unchanged.

Area survey "action levels" are indicated on the facility sketch in Appendix A.

Item 12 - Personnel Training Program - no change.

Item 13 - Procedure for Ordering and Receiving Radioactive Material - no change.

Item 14 - Procedures for Safely Opening Packages Containing Radioactive Material - no change.

Item 15 - General Rules for the Sole Use of Radioactive Material - no change.

Item 16 - Emergency Procedures - We would like to amend this section to better describe current NRC policies. Please replace this section as follows. "We will establish and implement the model spill procedures published in Appendix J to Regulatory Guide 10.8, Revision 2." A copy of these procedures contained in Appendix D.

Item 17 - Area Safety Procedures: Please change part F of this procedure to read as follows: corrective action will be taken in case of contamination levels above the action levels as listed on Table N-1 in Regulatory Guide 10.8, Rev. 2 entitled "Recommended Action Levels in dpm/100cm² for Surface Contamination of Radiopharmaceuticals." This table is reproduced in Appendix E.

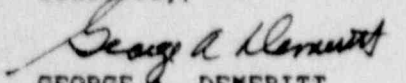
Also, change Item 17, part 3B to read "A series of wipe tests to measure contamination levels. The method for performing wipe tests will be sufficiently sensitive to detect 200 dpm per 100 cm² for the contaminations involved.

Item 18 - Waste Disposal Procedures: no change.

ALARA Agreement - no change.

Thank you for your attention to this renewal.

Sincerely,


GEORGE A. DEMERITT
Associate Administrator

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CC: Dr. Manuel J. Lipson, Executive Director, SRH
Dr. Charles Boucher, Chairman, Radiation Safety Committee

Appendix A

Diagram of new nuclear medicine facility at Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital

Item 11 in License No 20-20615-01

Action Levels on diagram

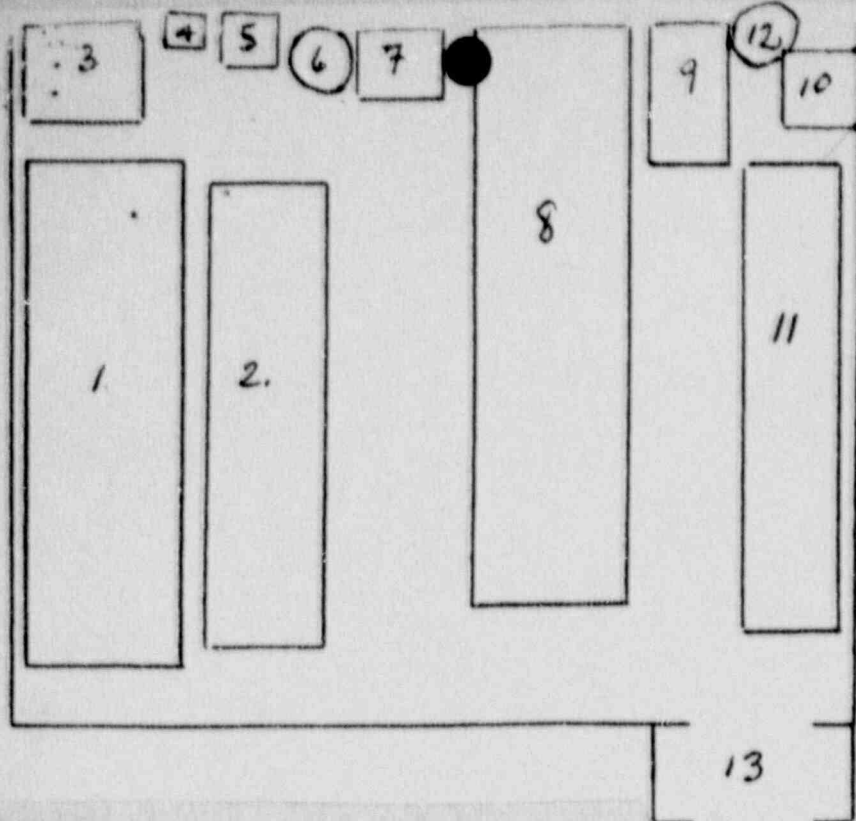
INSTRUMENT

ABBOTT AUTOLOGIC 50

MODEL #7467-63

SERIAL # 670628

WIPE TEST (CPM)



AREA	ACTION LEVEL (MR/HR AT 12")*
1 CAMERA	0.1
2 BED	0.1
3 DOG DOOR & STORAGE	0.5
4 LEAD STORAGE BOX	0.5
5 HOT TRASH	0.5
6 COLD TRASH	0.1
7 CRASH CART	0.1
8 TREADMILL	0.1
9 ECG MACHINE	0.1
10 SINK	0.1
11 BED	0.1
12 COLD TRASH	0.1
13 COMPUTER ROOM (UNRESTRICTED AREA)	0.02

CONTAMINATED AREA

CORRECTIVE ACTION

TECH _____

DATE _____

* GREATER THAN THIS LEVEL WILL REQUIRE NOTIFICATION OF RSO

Appendix B

Radiation Safety Committee Charter and Radiation Safety Officer Delegation of Authority

Item 7 in Application

APPENDIX F

Model Radiation Safety Committee Charter and Radiation Safety Officer Delegation of Authority (See §§ 35.21, 35.22, and 35.23.)

You may use the following text as it appears here, saying on your application, "We will issue the model Radiation Safety Committee Charter and Radiation Safety Officer Delegation of Authority that was published in Appendix F to Regulatory Guide 10.8, Revision 2."

If you prefer, you may develop your own statement of authority, duties, administrative procedures, and delegation of authority. If you do so, you should consider for inclusion all the features in the model text and carefully review the requirements of §§ 35.22. Say on your application, "We will issue the Radiation Safety Committee Charter and Radiation Safety Officer Delegation of Authority that are appended as ATT 10.1," and append your charter and delegation.

MODEL CHARTER

Charge. The Committee shall:

1. Ensure that licensed material will be used safely. This includes review as necessary of training programs, equipment, facility, supplies, and procedures;
2. Ensure that licensed material is used in compliance with NRC regulations and the institutional license;
3. Ensure that the use of licensed material is consistent with the ALARA philosophy and program;
4. Establish a table of investigational levels for individual occupational radiation exposures; and
5. Identify program problems and solutions.

Responsibilities. The Committee shall:

1. Be familiar with all pertinent NRC regulations, the license application, the license, and amendments;
2. Review the training and experience of the proposed authorized users, the Radiation Safety Officer (RSO), and the teletherapy physicist to determine that their qualifications are sufficient to enable the individuals to perform their duties safely and are in accordance with the regulations and the license;
3. Review on the basis of safety and approve or deny, consistent with the limitations of the regulations, the license, and the ALARA philosophy, all requests for authorization to use radioactive material within the institution;

4. Prescribe special conditions that will be required during a proposed method of use of radioactive material such as requirements for bioassays, physical examinations of users, and special monitoring procedures;
5. Review quarterly the RSO's summary report of the occupational radiation exposure records of all personnel, giving attention to individuals or groups of workers whose occupational exposure appears excessive;
6. Establish a program to ensure that all persons whose duties may require them to work in or frequent areas where radioactive materials are used (e.g., nursing, security, housekeeping, physical plant) are appropriately instructed as required in § 19.12 of 10 CFR Part 19;
7. Review at least annually the RSO's summary report of the entire radiation safety program to determine that all activities are being conducted safely, in accordance with NRC regulations and the conditions of the license, and consistent with the ALARA program and philosophy. The review must include an examination of records, reports from the RSO, results of NRC inspections, written safety procedures, and the adequacy of the management control system;
8. Recommend remedial action to correct any deficiencies identified in the radiation safety program;
9. Maintain written minutes of all Committee meetings, including members in attendance and members absent, discussions, actions, recommendations, decisions, and numerical results of all votes taken; and
10. Ensure that the byproduct material license is amended if required prior to any changes in facilities, equipment, policies, procedures, and personnel.

Administrative Information

1. The Committee shall meet as often as necessary to conduct its business but not less than once in each calendar quarter.
2. Membership must include one authorized user for each type of use authorized by the license, the RSO, a representative of the nursing service, and a representative of management who is neither an authorized user nor an RSO. Management may appoint alternate members to participate in meetings in the case of absence of principal members and should consider appointing as adjunct members representatives from security, physical plant, housekeeping, and other departments. (Adjunct members should abstain from balloting on radiation safety technical questions such as Items 2 through 5 in the "Responsibilities" section above.)
3. To establish a quorum, one-half of the Committee's membership, including the RSO and the management representative, must be present.
4. To the extent that they do not interfere with the mission of the Committee, management may assign other responsibilities such as x-ray radiation safety, quality assurance oversight, and research project review and approval.

MODEL DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY

Memo To: All Employees
From: Chief Executive Officer
Subject: Delegation of Authority

_____ has been appointed Radiation Safety Officer and is responsible for ensuring the safe use of radiation. The Radiation Safety Officer is responsible for managing the radiation safety program; identifying radiation safety problems; initiating, recommending, or providing corrective actions; verifying implementation of corrective actions; and ensuring compliance with regulations. The Radiation Safety Officer is hereby delegated the authority necessary to meet those responsibilities.

The Radiation Safety Officer is also responsible for assisting the Radiation Safety Committee in the performance of its duties and serving as its secretary.

Appendix C

Model Procedure for Calibrating Dose Calibrator

Item 10 in Application

APPENDIX C

Model Procedure for Calibrating Dose Calibrator (See § 35.50.)

You or your contractor may use the following model procedure for checking and testing the dose calibrator. If you, or the contractor, follow the model procedure, you may say on your application, "We will establish and implement the model procedure for calibrating our dose calibrator that was published in Appendix C to Regulatory Guide 10.8, Revision 2."

If you develop your own dose calibrator calibration procedure for review, you should carefully review § 35.50 and all the features in the model procedure. Say on your application, "We have developed a dose calibrator calibration procedure for your review that is appended as ATT 9.3," and append your dose calibrator calibration procedure.

MODEL PROCEDURE

1. Test for the following at the indicated frequency. Consider repair, replacement, or arithmetic correction if the dose calibrator falls outside the suggested tolerances. (These recommended tolerances are more restrictive than those in the regulations to ensure that corrective action will be taken before the dose calibrator is outside permissible tolerances.)
 - a. Constancy at least once each day prior to assay of patient dosages (± 5 percent).
 - b. Linearity at installation and at least quarterly thereafter (± 5 percent).
 - c. Geometry dependence at installation (± 5 percent).
 - d. Accuracy at installation and at least annually thereafter (± 5 percent).
2. After repair, adjustment, or relocation of the dose calibrator, repeat the above tests as appropriate.
3. Constancy means reproducibility in measuring a constant source over a long period of time. Assay at least one relatively long-lived source such as Cs-137, Co-60, Co-57,* or Ra-226* using a reproducible geometry each day before using the calibrator. Consider the use of two or more sources with different photon energies and activities. Use the following procedure:
 - a. Assay each reference source using the appropriate dose calibrator setting (i.e., use the Cs-137 setting to assay Cs-137).
 - b. Measure background at the same setting, and subtract or confirm the proper operation of the automatic background subtract circuit if it is used.

*Co-57 and Ra-226 are not subject to NRC licensing; the appropriate State agency should be consulted to determine its requirements for possessing this material.

- c. For each source used, either plot on graph paper or log in a book the background level for each setting checked and the net activity of each constancy source.
 - d. Using one of the sources, repeat the above procedure for all commonly used radioisotope settings. Plot or log the results.
 - e. Establish an action level or tolerance for each recorded measurement at which the individual performing the test will automatically notify the chief technician or authorized user of suspected malfunction of the calibrator. These action levels should be written in the log book or posted on the calibrator. The regulation requires repair or replacement if the error exceeds 10 percent.
4. Inspect the instrument on a quarterly basis to ascertain that the measurement chamber liner is in place and that the instrument is zeroed according to the manufacturer's instructions.
5. Linearity means that the calibrator is able to indicate the correct activity over the range of use of that calibrator. This test is done using a vial or syringe of Tc-99m whose activity is at least as large as the maximum activity normally assayed in a prepared radiopharmaceutical kit, in a unit dosage syringe, or in a radiopharmaceutical therapy, whichever is largest.

Decay Method

- a. Assay the Tc-99m syringe or vial in the dose calibrator, and subtract background to obtain the net activity in millicuries. Record the date, time to the nearest minute, and net activity on the Dose Calibrator Linearity Test Form (see Exhibit 8). This first assay should be done in the morning at a regular time, for example, 8 a.m.
- b. Repeat the assay at about noon, and again at about 4 p.m. Continue on subsequent days until the assayed activity is less than 10 microcuries. For dose calibrators on which you select a range with a switch, select the range you would normally use for the measurement.
- c. Convert the time and date information you recorded to hours elapsed since the first assay.
- d. On a sheet of semilog graph paper or on a copy of the sample form in Exhibit 8, label the logarithmic vertical axis in millicuries and label the linear horizontal axis in hours elapsed. At the top of the graph, note the date and the manufacturer, model number, and serial number of the dose calibrator. Then plot the data.
- e. Draw a "best fit" straight line through the data points. For the point farthest from the line, calculate its deviation from the value on the line. $(A\text{-observed} - A\text{-line}) / (A\text{-line}) = \text{deviation}$.
- f. If the worst deviation is more than ± 0.05 , the dose calibrator should be repaired or adjusted. If this cannot be done, it will be necessary

- to make a correction table or graph that will allow you to convert from activity indicated by the dose calibrator to "true activity."
- g. Put a sticker on the dose calibrator that says when the next linearity test is due.

Shield Method

If you decide to use a set of "sleeves" of various thicknesses to test for linearity, it will first be necessary to calibrate them.

- a. Begin the linearity test as described in the decay method described above. After making the first assay, the sleeves can be calibrated as follows. Steps b through d below must be completed within 6 minutes.
- b. Put the base and sleeve 1 in the dose calibrator with the vial. Record the sleeve number and indicated activity.
- c. Remove sleeve 1 and put in sleeve 2. Record the sleeve number and indicated activity.
- d. Continue for all sleeves.
- e. Complete the decay method linearity test steps b through g above.
- f. From the graph made in step d of the decay method, find the decay time associated with the activity indicated with sleeve 1 in place. This is the "equivalent decay time" for sleeve 1. Record that time with the data recorded in step b.
- g. Find the decay time associated with the activity indicated with sleeve 2 in place. This is the "equivalent decay time" for sleeve 2. Record that time with the data recorded in step c.
- h. Continue for all sleeves.
- i. The table of sleeve numbers and equivalent decay times constitutes the calibration of the sleeve set.

The sleeve set may now be used to test dose calibrators for linearity.

- a. Assay the Tc-99m syringe or vial in the dose calibrator, and subtract background to obtain the net activity in millicuries. Record the net activity.
- b. Steps c through e below must be completed within 6 minutes.
- c. Put the base and sleeve 1 in the dose calibrator with the vial. Record the sleeve number and indicated activity.
- d. Remove sleeve 1 and put in sleeve 2. Record the sleeve number and indicated activity.

- e. Continue for all sleeves.
 - f. On a sheet of semilog graph paper or on a copy of the sample form in Exhibit 8, label the logarithmic vertical axis in millicuries, and label the linear horizontal axis in hours elapsed. At the top of the graph, note the date and the model number and serial number of the dose calibrator.
 - g. Plot the data using the equivalent decay time associated with each sleeve.
 - h. Draw a "best fit" straight line through the data points. For the point farthest from the line, calculate its deviation from the value on the line. $(A\text{-observed} - A\text{-line})/A\text{-line} = \text{deviation}$.
 - i. If the worst deviation is more than +0.05, the dose calibrator should be repaired or adjusted. If this cannot be done, it will be necessary to make a correction table or graph that will allow you to convert from activity indicated by the dose calibrator to "true activity."
 - j. Put a sticker on the dose calibrator that says when the next linearity test is due.
6. Geometry independence means that the indicated activity does not change with volume or configuration. This test should be done using a syringe that is normally used for injections. Licensees who use generators and radiopharmaceutical kits should also do the test using a vial similar in size, shape, and construction to the radiopharmaceutical kit vials normally used. The following test assumes injections are done with 3-cc plastic syringes and that radiopharmaceutical kits are made in 30-cc glass vials. If you do not use these, change the procedure so that your syringes and vials are tested throughout the range of volumes commonly used.
- a. In a small beaker or vial, mix 2 cc of a solution of Tc-99m with an activity concentration between 1 and 10 mCi/ml. Set out a second small beaker or vial with nonradioactive saline. You may also use tap water.
 - b. Draw 0.5 cc of the Tc-99m solution into the syringe and assay it. Record the volume and millicuries indicated on the Dose Calibrator Geometry and Accuracy Form (see Exhibit 9).
 - c. Remove the syringe from the calibrator, draw an additional 0.5 cc of nonradioactive saline or tap water, and assay again. Record the volume and millicuries indicated.
 - d. Repeat the procedure until you have assayed a 2.0-cc volume.
 - e. Select as a standard the volume closest to that normally used for injections. For all the other volumes, divide the standard millicuries by the millicuries indicated for each volume. The quotient is a volume correction factor. Alternatively, you may graph the

data and draw horizontal 5 percent error lines above and below the chosen "standard volume."

- f. If any correction factors are greater than 1.05 or less than 0.95, or if any data points lie outside the 5 percent error lines, it will be necessary to make a correction table or graph that will allow you to convert from "indicated activity" to "true activity." If this is necessary, be sure to label the table or graph "syringe geometry dependence," and note the date of the test and the model number and serial number of the calibrator.
 - g. To test the geometry dependence for a 30-cc glass vial, draw 1.0 cc of the Tc-99m solution into a syringe and then inject it into the vial. Assay the vial. Record the volume and millicuries indicated.
 - h. Remove the vial from the calibrator and, using a clean syringe, inject 2.0 cc of nonradioactive saline or tap water, and assay again. Record the volume and millicuries indicated.
 - i. Repeat the process until you have assayed a 19.0-cc volume. The entire process must be completed within 10 minutes.
 - j. Select as a standard the volume closest to that normally used for mixing radiopharmaceutical kits. For all the other volumes, divide the standard millicuries by the millicuries indicated for each volume. The quotient is a volume correction factor. Alternatively, you may graph the data and draw horizontal 5 percent error lines above and below the chosen "standard volume."
 - k. If any correction factors are greater than 1.05 or less than 0.95 or if any data points lie outside the 5 percent error lines, it will be necessary to make a correction table or graph that will allow you to convert from "indicated activity" to "true activity." If this is necessary, be sure to label the table or graph "vial geometry dependence," and note the date of the test and the model number and serial number of the calibrator.
7. Accuracy means that, for a given calibrated reference source, the indicated millicurie value is equal to the millicurie value determined by the National Bureau of Standards (NBS) or by the supplier who has compared that source to a source that was calibrated by the NBS. Certified sources are available from the NBS and from many radioisotope suppliers. At least two sources with different principal photon energies (such as Co-57, Co-60, or Cs-137) should be used. The regulations require that one must have a principal photon energy between 100 keV and 500 keV. The regulations also require that, if a Ra-226 source is used, it must be at least 10 microcuries; other sources must be at least 50 microcuries. Consider using at least one reference source whose activity is within the range of activities normally assayed.
- a. Assay a calibrated reference source at the appropriate setting (i.e., use the Co-57 setting to assay Co-57), and then remove the source and measure background. Subtract background from the indicated activity to obtain the net activity. Record this measurement on the

Dose Calibrator Geometry and Accuracy Form (see Exhibit 9). Repeat for a total of three determinations.

- b. Average the three determinations. The average value should be within 5 percent of the certified activity of the reference source, mathematically corrected for decay.
 - c. Repeat the procedure for other calibrated reference sources.
 - d. If the average value does not agree, within 5 percent, with the certified value of the reference source, the dose calibrator may need to be repaired or adjusted. The regulation requires repair or replacement if the error exceeds 10 percent.
 - e. At the same time the accuracy test is done, assay the source that will be used for the daily constancy test (it need not be a certified reference source) on all commonly used radioisotope settings. Record the settings and indicated millicurie values with the accuracy data.
 - f. Put a sticker on the dose calibrator that says when the next accuracy test is due.
8. The RSO will review and sign the records of all geometry, linearity, and accuracy tests.

See Exhibits 8 and 9 for some forms you may want to use.

Appendix D

Model Spill Procedures

Item 16 in Application

APPENDIX

Model Spill Procedures (See § 35.21.)

You may use the following model spill procedures as they appear here, saying on your application, "We will establish and implement the model spill procedures published in Appendix J to Regulatory Guide 10.8, Revision 2."

If you prefer, you may develop your own spill procedures for review. If you do so, you should consider for inclusion all the items in the model procedures. Say on your application, "We have developed spill procedures for your review that are appended as ATT 10.5," and append your spill procedures.

MODEL PROCEDURES

Minor Spills of Liquids and Solids

1. Notify persons in the area that a spill has occurred.
2. Prevent the spread of contamination by covering the spill with absorbent paper.
3. Clean up the spill using disposable gloves and absorbent paper. Carefully fold the absorbent paper with the clean side out and place in a plastic bag for transfer to a radioactive waste container. Also put contaminated gloves and any other contaminated disposable material in the bag.
4. Survey the area with a low-range radiation detector survey meter. Check the area around the spill. Also check your hands, clothing, and shoes for contamination.
5. Report the incident to the Radiation Safety Officer (RSO).
6. The RSO will follow up on the cleanup of the spill and will complete the Radioactive Spill Report (see Exhibit 10) and the Radioactive Spill Contamination Survey (see Exhibit 11).

Major Spills of Liquids and Solids

1. Clear the area. Notify all persons not involved in the spill to vacate the room.
2. Prevent the spread of contamination by covering the spill with absorbent paper, but do not attempt to clean it up. To prevent the spread of contamination, limit the movement of all personnel who may be contaminated.
3. Shield the source if possible. This should be done only if it can be done without further contamination or a significant increase in radiation exposure.
4. Close the room and lock or otherwise secure the area to prevent entry.
5. Notify the RSO immediately.

6. Decontaminate personnel by removing contaminated clothing and flushing contaminated skin with lukewarm water and then washing with mild soap. If contamination remains, induce perspiration by covering the area with plastic. Then wash the affected area again to remove any contamination that was released by the perspiration.
7. The RSO will supervise the cleanup of the spill and will complete the Radioactive Spill Report (see Exhibit 10) and the Radioactive Spill Contamination Survey (see Exhibit 11).

The following is not part of the model spill procedure:

Major Spills and Minor Spills

The decision to implement a major spill procedure instead of a minor spill procedure depends on many incident-specific variables such as the number of individuals affected, other hazards present, likelihood of spread of contamination, and types of surfaces contaminated as well as the radiotoxicity of the spilled material. For some spills of short-lived radionuclides the best spill procedure may be restricted access pending complete decay.

Table J-1, which may be used as general guidance to determine whether a major spill procedure or a minor spill procedure should be implemented, was developed based on a comparison of information from the following sources:

1. "Standards for Protection Against Radiation," Proposed Rule, Part 20, published January 9, 1986, Appendix B, Table 1, Column 3 (Derived Air Concentration Values), 51 FR 1092.
2. "Gamma Radiation Levels for One Curie of Some Radionuclides," Radio-logical Health Handbook, January 1970 edition, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Washington, DC, p. 131.
3. National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements, "Safe Handling of Radioactive Materials," NCRP Report No. 30, paragraph 2.3 and Table 2, 1964.
4. "Upgraded Emergency Preparedness for Certain Fuel Cycle and Materials Licensees," Advance Notice of Proposed Rulemaking on Parts 30, 40, and 70, 46 FR 29712, Table 1, June 3, 1981.

Table J-1 may need to be modified before being used for guidance in a specific area of use.

TABLE J-1

Relative Hazards of Common Radionuclides

Estimate the amount of radioactivity spilled. Initiate a major or minor spill procedure based on the following dividing line. Spills above these millicurie amounts are considered major, below are considered minor.

Radionuclide	Millicuries	Radionuclide	Millicuries
P-32	10	Tc-99m	100
Cr-51	100	In-111	10
Co-57	100	I-123	10
Co-58	10	I-125	1
Fe-59	10	I-131	1
Co-60	1	Yb-169	10
Ga-67	100	Hg-197	100
Se-75	10	Au-198	10
Sr-85	10	Tl-201	100

Spill Kit

You may also want to consider assembling a spill kit that contains:

- 6 pairs disposable gloves, 1 pair housekeeping gloves
- 2 disposable lab coats
- 2 paper hats
- 2 pairs shoe covers
- 1 roll absorbent paper with plastic backing
- 6 plastic trash bags with twist ties
- "Radioactive Material" labeling tape
- 1 china pencil or marking pen
- 3 prestrung "Radioactive Material" labeling tags
- Supplies for 10 contamination wipe samples
- Instructions for "Emergency Procedures"
- Clipboard with one copy of Radioactive Spill Report Form
- Pencil

Forms

You may want to use Exhibit 10, Radioactive Spill Report, and Exhibit 11, Radioactive Spill Contamination Survey Forms.

Appendix E

Recommended Action Levels in dpm/100cm² for Surface Contamination by
Radiopharmaceuticals

Table NL, Regulatory Guide 10.8, Revision 2)

Recommended Action Levels in dpm/100 cm² for Surface
Contamination by Radiopharmaceuticals

P-32, Co-58, Fe-59, Co-60, Se-75, Sr-85, In-111, I-123, I-125, I-131, Yb-169, Au-198	Cr-51, Co-57, Ga-67, Tc-99m, Hg-197, Tl-201
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|---|-------|--------|
| 1. Unrestricted areas,
personal clothing | 200 | 2,000 |
| 2. Restricted areas,
protective clothing
used only in restricted
areas, skin | 2,000 | 20,000 |



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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

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Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital
ATTN: Mr. George A. Demeritt
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REFUND OF APPLICATION FEE

1. BACKGROUND:

Check Received July 9, 1988
Application Dated June 23, 1988
Check Number 077492
Check Amount \$700

2. REFUND:

Amount \$120

This refund is now being processed and will be sent as soon as possible.

3. REASON FOR REFUND:

Overpayment of renewal fee for application dated June 23, 1988 for License 20-20615-01 as specified in fee Category 7C (\$580) of \$170.31, 10 CFR 170.

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Glenda Jackson 7/14/88
License Fee Management Branch
Division of Accounting and Finance
Office of Administration and
Resources Management

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BETWEENS

LICENSE FEE MANAGEMENT BRANCH, ARM
AND
REGIONAL LICENSING SECTIONS

PROGRAM CODE: 02120
STATUS CODE: 2
FEE CATEGORY: 7C
EXP. DATE: 19880731
FEE COMMENTS:

LICENSE FEE TRANSMITTAL

A. REGION I

1. APPLICATION ATTACHED

APPLICANT/LICENSEE: SPAULDING REHABILITATION HOSPITAL
RECEIVED DATE: 880629
DOCKET NO: 3019986
CONTROL NO: 109152
LICENSE NO.: 20-20815-01
ACTION TYPE: RENEWAL

2. FEE ATTACHED

AMOUNT: 700.00
CHECK NO.: 017492

3. COMMENTS

SIGNED BP
DATE 7/15/88

B. LICENSE FEE MANAGEMENT BRANCH (CHECK WHEN MILESTONE 03 IS ENTERED 1-T)

1. FEE CATEGORY AND AMOUNT: 7C \$ 580

2. CORRECT FEE PAID. APPLICATION MAY BE PROCESSED FOR:

AMENDMENT _____
RENEWAL / _____
LICENSE _____

3. OTHER _____

SIGNED A. Kembarley
DATE 7/14/88