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Homer G. Phillips Hospital ATTN: Mrs. Ella Brown Chief Administrator 2601 North Whittier Street St. Louis, NO 63113

Licenses No. 24-00995-03 No. 24-00995-07

Gentlemen:

Thank you for your letter dated July 7, 1982, informing us of the steps you have taken to correct the noncompliance which we brought to your attention in our letter dated June 11, 1982.

This letter also refers to telephone conversation between Mr. W P. Reichhold of this office and Beauvoir H. Edmond, M.D., concerning your corrective actions mentioned above. It is our understanding that the following actions will be taken:

- Inventories of the cesium-137 and cobalt-60 implant sources will be performed quarterly.
- A wipe test for leakage of the cesium-137 and cobalt-60 implant sources will be performed at intervals not to exceed 6 months.

Your amendment request for an exemption from quarterly inventories and 6 month leak tests has been forwarded to the Regional Licensing Section for review.

Be advised you are required to perform quarterly inventories and 6 month leak tests of your implant sources until your request has been approved.

We will examine these matters during a future inspection.

Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

D. G. Wiedeman, Chief

Materials Radiation Protection

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cc: Beauvoir H. Edmond, M.D.

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