

MANCHESTER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Michael R. Gallacher
President

71 Haynes Street
Manchester, Connecticut 06040-4188
Telephone 203-646-1222

October 9, 1990

Mohamed M. Shanbaky, Chief
Nuclear Materials Safety Section A
Division of Radiation Safety & Safeguards
Region I
Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region I
475 Allendale Ave.
King of Prussia, PA 19406

REFERENCE: License no.: 06-03413-01;
Inspection No.: 030-01253/90-001
Your letters dated: June 14, 1990, and Sept 25, 1990
Our letter dated: July 12, 1990
Our license renewal application dated: July 24, 1990

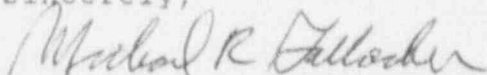
DEAR SIR:

I believe the following information will clarify our previous response:

- B.3. Removable contamination surveys will be performed prior to the release of a radiopharmaceutical therapy patient's room. Please see item 10.14 of our recent license renewal application.
- A. In regard to 10 half life storage period requirement, we have instituted a new policy to help insure compliance. In the future material may only be disposed as "decay in storage" trash after being approved by two nuclear medicine technologists. They will verify that the material was held for a minimum of 10 half lives.
- B.1. A tickler file has now been instituted in the Nuclear Medicine Department to insure scheduling of quarterly Radiation Safety Committee meetings.
- D. As stated, leak test records are now being recorded in units of microcuries.

Please let me know if you have any other questions. Thank you.

Sincerely,


Michael R. Gallacher
President & CEO

9012190143 901210
REG1 LIC30
06-03413-01 PDR

OCT 15 1990