

November 6, 1990

Docket # 03000304 License # 24-00752-03

A. Bert Davis, Regional Administrator U. S. N. R. C. Region III 799 Roosevelt Road Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137

Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed copy of a letter dated May 9, 1990, sent to us by Loren J. Hueter, Materials Licensing Section, U. S. N. R. C. This letter states:

> 'After review of your license, we have determined that the type, form, and quantity of material authorized does not warrant the development and submittal of a decommissioning funding plan, or certification of financial assurance as described in 10 CFR 30.35.

Please advise us if this interpretation of the N.R.C. rules by the materials licensing section is in error.

If there is additional information that you need at this time, please contact me at 314-768-3068.

Sincerely,

David J. Key David J. Keys, Ph. D. Radiation Safety Officer

DJK/sh Enc. U.S.N.R.C. letter dated 5/9/90

cc: Linda Vincent, V. P. Professional Services Deaconess Hospital

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Gentlemen:

Enclosed is Amendment No. O6 renewing your NRC License No. 24-00752-03 in accordance with your request.

In Paragraph IV. of your cobalt 60 teletherapy operating procedures you state that whole body badges used for personnel dosimetry will be processed by a commercial personnel dosimetry company, preferably one accredited by the National Voluntary Accreditation Program (NVLAP). Please note that 10 CFR 20.202 specifies that required personnel monitoring be processed by a NVLAP certified processor.

Please note that the regulations in Part 35.22 of Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations specify that the Radiation Safety Committee membership must consist of at least three individuals; an authorized user of each type of use, the Radiation Safety Officer, a representative of nursing and a representative of management. Further, to conduct business, at least half of the committee membership must be present, including the Radiation Safety Officer and management's representative. From information submitted with your renewal application, it is not clear that your committee membership meets the regulations, unless "invitees" are in fact members.

After review of your license we have determined that the type, form, and quantity of material authorized does not warrant the development and submittal of a decommissioning funding plan, or certification of financial assurance as described in 10 CFR 30.35 (enclosed). However, this does not relieve you of record keeping requirements relative to information which the Commission considers important to decommissioning. Therefore, we have added License Condition 15. requiring that you maintain such records as set forth in Section 30.35(g).

Please note that since in your renewal application you state that a major portion of your licensed program has not changed from information previously supplied to us, we have therefore referenced those former documents in Condition 16. of your renewed license, along with the current documents you submitted.

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Please review the enclosed document carefully and be sure that you understand all conditions. You must conduct your program involving radioactive materials in accordance with the conditions of your NRC license, representations made in your license application, and NRC regulations. In particular, note that you must:

- Operate in accordance with NRC regulations 10 CFR Part 19, "Notices, Instructions and Reports to Workers; Inspections," 10 CFR Part 20, "Standards for Protection Against Radiation," and other applicable regulations.
- Possess radioactive material only in the quantity and form indicated in your license.
- Use radioactive material only for the purpose(s) indicated in your license.
- 4. Notify NRC in writing of any change in mailing address.
- 5. Request and obtain appropriate amendment if you plan to change ownership of your organization, change locations of radioactive material, or make any other changes in your facility or program which are contrary to your license conditions or representations made in your license application and any supplemental correspondence with NRC. Any amendment request should be accompanied by the appropriate fee specified in 10 CFR Part 170.
- 6. Submit a complete renewal application wit; proper fee or termination request at least 30 days before the expiration date on your license. You will receive a reminder notice approximately 90 days before the expiration date. Possession of radioactive material after your license expires is a violation of NRC regulations.
- Request termination of your license if you plan to permanently discontinue activities involving radioactive material prior to your expiration date.

You will be periodically inspected by NRC. Failure to conduct your program in accordance with NRC regulations, license conditions, and representations in your license application will result in enforcement action against you in accordance with the General Policy and Procedures for NRC Enforcement Actions, 10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C.

If you have any questions or require clarification of any of the above stated information, contact us at (708) 790-5625.

Sincerely,

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Materials Licensing Section

1. Amendment No. 06