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Ms. B. J. Holt
Materials Licensing Section
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region III
799 Roosevelt Road
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

REF: 76535

Dear Ms. Holt:

Our response to your deficiency letter concerning our application for a radioactive materials license is as follows:

- 1.) Jim Gilmartin will be forwarding the necessary documentation to you directly to support his training and experience on the Lixiscope.
- 2.) Dr. Frank Gall graduated from the John Carroll University in 1964 and received his podiatric education at the Ohio College of Podiatric Medicine where he graduated in 1968. He has three credit hours in radiation physics and instrumentation and radiation biology.
- 3.) We will only have one Lixiscope in our possession. The only time we may have two Iodine 125 isotopes is during source exchange. The depleted isotope will be returned to the manufacturer, Lixi, Inc., in accordance with DOT regulations.
- 4.) No provisions have been made to obtain a survey meter as they are not required. However, we will perform a leak test at six month intervals using the Stan A. Huber leak test kit LT-2.
- 5.) The Radiation Safety Officer, Rustom Khouri, DPM, MD., will be responsible for documenting the receipt and return of radioactive material, an accountability record, leak testing, and will keep the records current. Dr. Khouri is very knowledgeable on the regulations and safe use of the Lixiscope and will be the one to train any new physicians to be included on the license.

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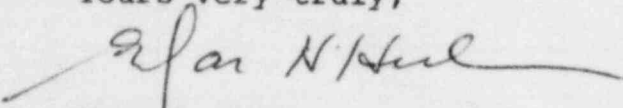
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I trust the above will allow you to process our license application quickly as we are anxiously awaiting receipt of our Lixiscope to begin minimizing the amount of radiation exposure to our patients. In the event any additional information is required, please direct your inquiry to my attention as Gary Ascher is no longer with our facility.

Yours very truly,



Edgar H. Huler
Chief Operations Officer