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Veterans Administration Hospital
ATTN: Hospital Director
1670 Clairmont Road
Decatur, GA 30033

Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find Amendment 08 to License No. 10-11161-01.

We have received a letter dated May 19, 1978, signed by Richard C. Palmer, providing additional information regarding the report (dated February 7, 1978) of a radiation survey of your cobalt-60 teletherapy facility. A review of the information contained in these documents indicates that the requirements of Condition 18 of your license have been fulfilled.

We remind you that Conditions 18 and 19 of your license require you to perform a radiation survey and to submit a survey report:

- a. Each time your teletherapy source is replaced.
- b. Whenever you make any changes in the shielding, location or use of your teletherapy installation that could affect radiation levels in surrounding areas.

Note also that Condition 20 requires that your teletherapy unit be inspected and serviced during source replacement or at intervals not to exceed five (5) years.

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Since your license is issued in the name of Veterans Administration Hospital, you should be sure that all future license applications and amendment requests are signed by the hospital director. This will assure us that the administration concurs with your requested activities.

Sincerely,

Francis A. St. Mary
Radioisotopes Licensing Branch
Division of Fuel Cycle and
Material Safety

Enclosures:

1. Amendment 08 to License No.
10-11161-01
2. Teletherapy Licensing Guide with
Appendix A (Survey Reports)

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