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MIDLAND, MICHIGAN 48640

September 22, 1982

B. Mallett, Chief Region III Licensing Section U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission 799 Roosevelt Road Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137

Dear Dr. Mallett:

CONTROL NUMBER 06582

In response to your telephone request of August 24, 1982, the following information is to be used in support of Dow's NRC License 21-00265-06 amendment request dated June 30, 1982.

#### Amendment 1

Replace R. C. Kolesar, M.D., with J. S. Moore, M.D., as the active physician on the Dow Radiation Safety Committee.

Dr. Moore has had previous training with various radionuclides, including on-the-job experience. Please refer to his curriculum vitae which was enclosed with the amendment request letter dated June 30, 1982. More specifically, at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School, Dr. Moore participated in a one-month rotation in a nuclear medicine department where experience was gained in diagnostic imaging, thyroid ablation therapy, brain and spleen scans and cardiac studies using radionuclides such as iodine, technetium, thallium and gallium. At the National Naval Medical Center in Bethesda, Maryland, Dr. Moore performed therapeutic radiology treatments using external radiation beams. Finally, Dr. Moore received training at the Naval Undersea Medical Institute in Groton, Connecticut, where the health effects of tritium contamination and exposure were studied as part of the class curricula.

Because of these activities and his academic background, Dr. Moore is qualified to be the medical representative on the Radiation Safety Committee.

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### Amendment 2

Increase the license possession limit from 3 to 6 curies for carbon-14.

No additional information was requested.

### Amendment 3

Amend the license to allow for human studies with carbon-14.

- 1. A check for \$150.00 to cover the amendment fee costs of reassignment to the human research category from the broad scope category has been sent to Ms. Glenda Jackson of the Licese Fee Management Branch.
- 2. The medical isotopes committee referred to in 10CFR35.11(b) is the Dow Radiation Safety Committee.
- 3. All studies involving the use of carbon-14 in humans would be contingent upon review and approval of the protocols by the Dow technical staff, the Dow Human Health Research Review Committee, the Dow Radiation Safety Committee, the University of Michigan Committee to Review Grants for Clinical Research and Investigation Involving Human Beings (IRB) and the University of Michigan RDRC No. 45.
- 4. You will find enclosed letters from R. C. Bishop, M.D., Chairman, RDRC No. 45, and W. W. Corn, M.D., Chairman, IRB, which authorize Dow to submit protocols to the RDRD No. 45 and to the IRB for review.
- 5. The Dow Radiation Safety Committee currently can meet and vote on all radiation issues provided a quorum is present. For committee actions regarding human studies, either J. S. Moore, M.D., or O. U. Anders, Ph.D., both Radiation Safety Committee members, will be present as a member of the voting quorum. Dr. Anders' curriculum vitae was forwarded to the NRC with the Dow license application dated June 14, 1978.
- 6. All studies involving carbon-14 and human volunteers will be conducted using the Dow Midland, Michigan, facilities. Dow possesses facilities for dose administration, sample collection and analysis, and clinical care of the human volunteers. Specific instructions regarding biological excreta collection, radiation safety precautions for the volunteers, diet, exercise, alcohol and pharmaceutical consumption will be presented to the human volunteers.

- 7. Employees, identified as the designated users of the radioactive material, will be selected based on the following qualification criteria.
- (a) Employee must have attended a Dow training class of at least Class II level.
- (b) Employee must have experience in the use, handling, and administration of nonradioactive or radioactive materials in human studies.
- (c) Employee must have supervised or conducted nonhuman studies involving the types and quantities of carbon-14 labeled compounds expected to be used in the human studies.

Please contact me if further information is required.

Sincerely,

L. W. Rampy, Chairman Radiation Safety Committee Industrial Hygiene Laboratory 1803 Building 517/636-6260

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cc: T. W. Parsons, Radiation Safety Officer

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN Ann Arbor

October 12, 1978

Maynard B. Chenoweth, M.D. Research Scientist Bio-Medical Research Dow Chemical U.S.A. 607 Building Midland, Michigan 48604

Dear Dr. Chenoweth:

This letter is in reply to your request to the University of Michigan Human Research Review Committee to consider the review of protocols generated by the Dow Rio-Medical Research Laboratory. I have discussed this with Dr. George DeMuth in the Dean's office and with the members of my committee. We would be happy to review your protocols provided that there is not an inordinate number at any one time and provided that there is no time deadline for completion of the review process.

Enclosed in the accompanying envelope is a dozen or so of our research forms which we ask to be completed and submitted with a copy of the research protocol and the written informed consent documents.

I would be happy to meet with you and Dr. Saunders to discuss any of the procedural details. Perhaps the best time would be sometime early in November. If you would call my secretary we could arrange a time at our mutual convenience.

With very cordial regards,

Sincerely yours,

William W. Coon, M.D., Chairman Committee to Review Grants for

Clinical Research and Investigation

Involving Human Beings Phone: (313) 764-6121

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June 15, 1982

Mr. Richard J. Nolan 1803 Building

Dow Chemical Company Midland, Michigan 48640

Dear Mr. Nolan:

Your request for review of research protocols in which radioisotopes are to be administered to human beings was discussed by this committee (Radioactive Drug Research Committee No. 45, University of Michigan) on May 28, 1982. We understand that the protocols will also be submitted to the University of Michigan Committee to Review Grants for Clinical Research and Investigation Involving Human Beings (IRB), Dr. William Coon, Chairman. We also understand that you will be sending us only one or two protocols per year.

We will be glad to help you with this matter. Please submit our copy of the protocols to:

Mr. Arthur Solari Radiation Control Service 1101 North University Building University of Michigan Ann Arbor, Michigan 48109

Sincerely yours,

Ronald C. Bishop, M.D. Chairman, RDRC #45

cc: Dr. C. Overberger Mr. A. Solari

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