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Dear Dr. Marcus:

In December 1990, you submitted a petition for rulemaking requesting that the Commission amend its regulations regarding the release of patients containing radiopharmaceuticals or permanent implants.

As a result of your petition, the Commission has considered and approved final amendments to 10 CFR Parts 20 and 35. These amendments have been published in the Federal Register (62 FR 4120; January 29, 1997) and will become effective on May 29, 1997.

A copy of the Federal Register notice is enclosed for your information.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By

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