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**26 March 2021**

To: Penny Lanzisera, Senior Health Physicist  
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Re: Response Communication Removing Cardiac Imaging Centers and Recent Program Inspection

1. Regarding the question asked regarding the current location of the dose calibrator QC sources used at the Retreat avenue and Hebron avenue locations:  
  
The Dose Calibrator QC sources from Retreat Avenue and Hebron Avenue were removed from the respective facilities, returned to Hartford Hospital, and appropriately disposed of (with records also disposed of after the 3 year retention period described in 10 CFR 30.51).
2. Confirmation the State of Connecticut terminated device registration for the above sites:  
The State of Connecticut has removed the Retreat Avenue cardiac center and Hebron Avenue cardiac center from the Hartford Hospital registry for radiation equipment in 2016.
3. As discussed during the recent Hartford Hospital radiation protection program inspection:  
Dr. Kenneth Leopold and Dr. Susan Kim have not been working on the Hartford campus for more than two years. Please remove Dr. Kenneth Leopold and Dr. Susan Kim as Authorized User-Physicians for the Hartford Hospital Radioactive Materials License

Please contact me with any questions.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bette W. Blankenship". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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