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DEPUTY HEALTH COMMISSIONER

March 30, 2021

Katharine Arzate  
Radiation Safety Office  
Varian Medical Systems  
501 Locust Avenue, Suite 1  
Charlottesville, Virginia 22902

Re: NRC License Number 45-30957-01

Dear Mrs. Arzate:

LaTira Simon of this office performed an inspection of activities associated with a HDR source exchange under Radioactive Materials License NCR-45-30957-01 on March 24, 2021. The inspection was performed at St. Vincent's Hospital in Birmingham, Alabama. The inspector's findings were discussed with Tam Phuong, Service Engineer at the conclusion of the inspection.

The inspector examined equipment possessed by the licensee's personnel, interviewed personnel, and observed licensed activities at this location. The inspector reviewed documents required at a service location. The inspector noted area posting and personnel's radiation safety practices.

The inspector found that your radioactive material program appears to be in compliance with Chapter 420-3-26, Radiation Control, Alabama Administrative Code. We wish to thank you for your effort to conduct a program to minimize radiation exposure using good radiological health and safety methods and practices.

Please contact the Agency at 1-800-582-1866 or 334-290-6244 if you have questions about your radiation safety program or need additional information. Agency personnel will be glad to discuss issues with you.

Sincerely,

Cason Coan, Director  
Radioactive Materials Compliance Branch  
Office of Radiation Control

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