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**SUBJECT: U. S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES CENTERS FOR
DISEASE CONTROL & PREVENTION, ACCEPTANCE OF FINANCIAL
ASSURANCE, MAIL CONTROL NO. 617658**

Dear Dr. Hatcher:

This is in reference to the letters dated December 21, 2019; May 4 and December 10, 2020; and April 6, 2021 providing a revised Decommissioning Funding Plan (DFP) and cost estimate for the financial assurance required for your license pursuant to 10 CFR 30.35(e)(2). In addition, we reviewed the following documents which provided a basis for a reduction in the cost estimate:

CDC 12 Labs Final Status Survey Report, dated August 6, 2018 [ML20127J016]
CDC 12 Labs Final Status Survey, Revision 1, dated December 10, 2020
[ML20356A229 and ML20357A030]

Please note that, as a license of broad scope, you are authorized to approve facilities for use and for release in accordance with commitments in your license application. However, the NRC must review the decommissioning surveys and results prior to releasing an entire building or site from the license, or agreeing to a reduction in the cost estimate for future decommissioning. We understand that additional surveys are planned (or ongoing) with the intention of releasing the Lawrenceville Campus, and several buildings on the Roybal and Chamblee campuses. If you wish to have the NRC approve an entire campus, or an entire building, for release for unrestricted use, you should provide the final status survey results to the NRC for review, and request that the NRC amend the license to approve the release of the entire campus or building for unrestricted use. In addition, if release criteria other than the NRC screening values are intended to be used, you must request that the NRC amend your license to approve the alternate criteria prior to performing the final status surveys.

The following documents currently provide your financial assurance:

Certification of Financial Assurance dated May 12, 2014 [ML14184B206]
Statement of Intent dated May 12, 2014 [ML14184B206]
Decommissioning Funding Plan dated December 19, 2020 [ML20023B891] with
additional information provided in the letters dated May 4, 2020 [ML20127J007],
December 10, 2020, with Attachments [ML20356A228 and ML20357A031], and
April 6, 2021 [ML210097A168]

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Your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

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