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Subject: Silver Valley Veterinary Clinic License 11-25625-01 Amendment Request

Mr. Torres,

This letter is in response to your August 19, 2021 email inquiry regarding Dr. Hass' completion of 3 cases under the direct in-person supervision of myself.

I attest that the first three cases completed by Dr. Hass on June 22-25, 2021 were conducted under my direct supervision and in my physical presence. I supervised Dr. Hass as she observed and performed licensed activities that included:

- Receipt of radioactive material packages
- Administration of radioactive material
- Use of survey equipment
- Proper contamination control techniques
- Proper decontamination practices
- Proper methods for disposal of radioactive material

Please contact Dr. Arno at arno@foxfirescientific.com or 817-995-6762 with any questions you may have regarding this amendment request.

Sincerely,

Matthew Arno, PhD, CHP, PE (TX)
RSO

From: [Matthew Arno](#)
To: [Torres, Roberto](#)
Subject: [External_Sender] RE: NRC request for additional information
Date: Tuesday, August 24, 2021 7:55:55 AM
Attachments: [2021-08-23 letter.pdf](#)

Roberto,

Attached is the requested attestation documenting that Dr. Hass completed the required on-the-job training.

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From: Torres, Roberto <RobertoJ.Torres@nrc.gov>
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To: Matthew Arno <arno@foxfirescientific.com>
Subject: NRC request for additional information

Dr. Arno:

The NRC has received your amendment request letter dated August 10, 2021. Following up on the commitments made by the licensee in letter dated March 24, 2021, please provide the following information regarding Jamie Hass, DVM.

1. Written documentation demonstrating that the initial receipt of material and the first three cases completed by Jamie Hass, DVM, on June 22-25, 2021, were conducted under the direct supervision and in the physical presence of the RSO, Dr. Arno.
2. Written documentation demonstrating that the on-the-job training completed by Jamie Hass, DVM, included:
 - A. Observing authorized personnel perform licensed activities, including receipt and administration of radioactive material to the animal, using survey equipment, proper contamination control techniques, and proper methods for disposal of radioactive material.
 - B. Performing licensed activities with animals under the supervision of, and in the physical presence of, an individual authorized to handle animals treated with licensed material or otherwise containing licensed material. Activities should include the administration of radioactive material to the animal, using survey equipment, proper contamination control techniques, and proper methods for

disposal of radioactive material.

Please provide a written response in a signed and dated letter within 30 days of receipt of this mail. Thank you for your cooperation.

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