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SUBJECT: WITHDRAWAL OF AMENDMENT REQUESTS UNDER CONTROL NO. 624316 FOR MERCY HOSPITAL SOUTH, NRC LICENSE NO. 24-01041-04

Dear Dr. Turco:

This letter concerns the request in a letter dated January 11, 2021 (ML21015A265 to amend your U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) License no. 24-01041-04.

This also refers to your subsequent requests in letters dated March 25, 2021 (ML21085A016); May 12, 2021 (ML21141A239); May 26, 2021 (ML21147A388); June 1, 2021 (ML21152A250); and October 13, 2021 (ML21288A121).

You requested a change in the Radiation Safety Officer for the license; addition of a new Associate Radiation Safety Officer; removal of authorization for materials in 10 CFR 35.400; additional authorized users and authorized medical physicists; the removal of some authorized users and authorized medical physicists and the addition of another vendor for your high dose rate remote afterloading brachytherapy source. These amendment requests are available electronically from the Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS).

As you also submitted your renewal application during the same time period when the above amendment requests were pending, and that renewal application was assigned to a different reviewer who incorporated all of the changes requested under control no. 624316, there is no longer any need to amend your license. Your license was renewed under control no. 627101 in Amendment No. 69 dated December 14, 2021. All of the requests in the documents under control no. 624316 were resolved in the renewal.

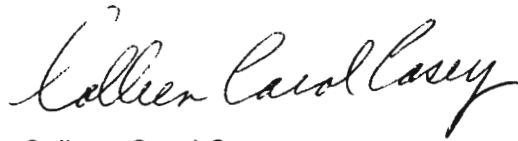
Therefore, we have administratively closed your license amendment requests under control no. 624316.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of NRC's "Rules of Practice and Procedure," a copy of this letter will be available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room (PDR) or from ADAMS, accessible from the NRC Web site at <https://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>.

R. Turco

If you have any questions, please contact me at 630-829-9841 or colleen.casey@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Colleen Carol Casey". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Colleen Carol Casey
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License No. 24-01041-04
Docket No. 030-10108
Control No. 624316