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Mr. John Rossi
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**SUBJECT: ST. VINCENT'S MEDICAL CENTER, REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL
INFORMATION, MAIL CONTROL NO. 630549**

Dear Mr. Rossi:

This is in reference to your letter dated March 14, 2022, requesting to amend NRC License No. 06-00843-03. In order to continue our review, we need the following additional information:

Section 8.7.1 Radiation Safety Officer (RSO) and Associate Radiation Safety Officers (ARSOs) of NUREG 1556, Vol. 9, Rev 3. Consolidated Guidance About Materials Licenses Program Specific Guidance About Medical Use Licenses, <https://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/nuregs/staff/sr1556/v9/index.html> provides licensees information to submit relative to their requests for RSOs. Please provide the following:

- a. Your request indicates that Mr. Hisel will have 16 hours per month to dedicate to the RSO responsibilities and your license includes authorizations for activities under 10 CFR 35.100, 200, 300, 400, 600 (HDR) and 1000(Y-90 microspheres). You have identified Curtis McCloggan as the primary on-site point of contact (POC) and Kelli Hannan as a back-up POC in his absence; however, you have not requested either be added as an ARSO. Given the extensive nature of your program, it is not likely that the radiation safety program will be successful with only 16 hours of on-site oversight. Please review the RSO responsibilities listed in Appendix I of the above referenced NUREG and provide a breakdown of what duties will be performed by your on-site POCs under Mr. Hisel's direction. You may also add to the list if you have identified other tasks that support the higher-level tasks listed in the Appendix.
- b. Please indicate how frequently these on-site representatives will meet with Mr. Hisel to report on the status of their activities.
- c. Please indicate whether the information provided for Mr. Hisel, email address, home phone and mobile phone is personal information or publicly available information.

We will continue our review upon receipt of this information. Your reply must be an originally signed and dated letter. The letter may be scanned and submitted as a pdf document attached to an email (preferred option); or it may be transmitted by facsimile to (610) 337-5269; or it may be sent by regular mail.

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In order to continue prompt review of your application, we request that you submit your response to this letter within 30 calendar days from the date of this letter.

An electronic version of the NRC's regulations is available on the NRC Web Site at: www.nrc.gov. Additional information regarding medical uses of radioactive materials may be obtained on the NRC Web Site at: <http://www.nrc.gov/materials/miau/med-use-toolkit.html>. This site also provides the updated Training and Experience NRC Form 313A series of forms and guidance, as well as information on the revised regulations for naturally-occurring and accelerator-produced radioactive materials (NARM).

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If you have any questions regarding this request for additional information, please contact me at (610) 337-5076 or via electronic mail at Robin.Elliott@nrc.gov.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

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Region I

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cc: Gregory Hisel
Associate Radiation Safety Officer

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