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DATE: September 21, 2022

To: Nuclear Materials Licensing Branch

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region IV

1600 E. Lamar Blvd., Arlington, TX 76011-4511

Re: License 11-27384-01

Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter is submitted in response to the NRC letter dated 09/20/22 regarding NRC's revised licensing guidance on Yttrium-90 microsphere Brachytherapry sources and Devices.

Portneuf Medical Center commits to follow the NRC guidance titled "Yttrium-90 Microsphere Brachytherapy Sources and Devices TheraSphere and SIR-Spheres Licensing Guidance, April 20, 2021, Revision 10.2, and applicable guidance updates

Please let me know if you require additional information.

Sincerely,

Tea Shi,

Radiation Safety Officer

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From: Tea Shi
To: Casey Alldredge

Subject: [External_Sender] RE: Portneuf Medical Center - Request for Additional Info

Date:Wednesday, September 21, 2022 10:46:33 AMAttachments:20220921 response to NRC final request.pdf

Good Morning Casey,

We have reviewed and implemented Y-90 microsphere program according to revised guideline since last NRC inspection.

As such, please find in attached a letter that provides the statement of PMC's commitment to follow the revised guideline.

Thank you and have a nice day,

--Tea

From: Casey Alldredge <Casey.Alldredge@nrc.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, September 20, 2022 3:18 PM

To: Tea Shi < Tea. Shi@portmed.org >

Subject: Portneuf Medical Center - Request for Additional Info

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Hi Tea.

Thanks for the info on the room. I don't have any additional questions on that. I do have one additional request for you.

Can you please commit to the following statement?

"Portneuf Medical Center commits to follow the NRC guidance titled "Yttrium-90 Microsphere Brachytherapy Sources and Devices TheraSphere and SIR-Spheres Licensing Guidance, April 20, 2021, Revision 10.2, and applicable guidance updates."

Your previous license references this guidance from 2016. However this is a new revision. Here is a website with the new guidance https://www.nrc.gov/docs/ML2108/ML21089A263.html.

Once I have this commitment in a signed/ dated letter, I can proceed with issuing the license.

Thanks,

Casey Alldredge Health Physicist Materials Licensing Branch Division of Radiological Safety & Security Region IV, USNRC

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