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SUBJECT: AMENDMENT NO. 4 TO RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS LICENSE FOR HEART CARE SPECIALISTS, LLC., MATERIALS LICENSE NO. 24-35232-01

Dear Dr. Craft:

This correspondence refers to your license amendment request dated May 9, 2024. Please find enclosed Amendment No. 4 to your U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Material License No. 24-35232-01 for Heart Care Specialists, LLC.

Please review the enclosed document carefully and be sure that you understand all conditions. If there are any errors or questions, please notify me at 630-829-9861 or via email at Nathan.Bryant@nrc.gov so that we may provide appropriate corrections and answers.

In your request dated May 9, 2024, you provided the history of use, close-out survey and wipe test results for your facility located at 1151 Hazel Lane Farmington, Missouri. You also confirmed that all licensed material used at this location had been removed – such that any remaining residual radioactivity is within the limits of Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (CFR) Part 20, Subpart E.

Based on your statements and review of close-out survey information, it has been concluded that all licensable radioactive material has been removed from the location of use and residual radioactive material attributable to licensed activities in this location of use does not exceed current NRC criteria. Your facility at 1151 Hazel Lane Farmington, Missouri is suitable for unrestricted use.

An environmental assessment for this action was not required because this action is categorically excluded under 10 CFR 51.22(c).

You will be periodically inspected by the NRC. Failure to conduct your program in accordance with NRC regulations, license conditions, and representations made in your license application and supplemental correspondence with NRC will result in enforcement action(s) against you. This could include issuance of a Notice of Violation, or Imposition of a Civil Penalty, or an Order Suspending, Modifying or Revoking your license as specified in the NRC Enforcement Policy. The NRC Enforcement Policy is available at: <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/enforcement/>.

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).

The NRC's Safety Culture Policy Statement became effective in June 2011. While a policy statement and not a regulation, it sets forth the agency's *expectations* for individuals and organizations to establish and maintain a positive safety culture. You can access the policy statement and supporting material that may benefit your organization on NRC's safety culture Web Site at: <http://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/safety-culture.html>. We strongly encourage you to review this material and adapt it to your needs in order to develop and maintain a positive safety culture as you engage in NRC-regulated activities.

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

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure: Amendment No. 4