



UNITED STATES
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Harry Palmer
Radiation Safety Officer
Kuakini Medical Center
347 N. Kuakini Street
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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Dear Harry Palmer:

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has completed the technical review of the renewal application dated March 12, 2024 for license number 53-17797-01, and additional information is needed. Please provide the response on a signed and dated letter, in company letterhead, within 7 days from receipt of this letter, and make reference to mail control number 639969.

1. You included your point, calibration, flood and rod sources in your renewal. These sources are covered under 35.65 check, calibration, transmission and reference use. Did you intend to list these sources on the license?
2. Commit to the following statement:
We have developed and will implement and maintain written procedures for safe use of unsealed byproduct material that meet the requirements of 10 CFR 20.1101 and 10 CFR 20.1201.
3. You mentioned that you are a contract RSO. Please provided the following:
 - a. Identify other commitments of the consultant-RSO for other NRC or Agreement State licensed facilities, along with a description of how the consultant-RSO will allocate time to permit the performance of the duties of the RSO as described in the regulations. State the consultant-RSO's minimum amount onsite time (hours per week or days per quarter, as appropriate for the program).
 - b. Identify an in-house representative who will serve as the point of contact during the RSO's absence.
 - c. Describe the overall availability of the consultant-RSO to respond to questions or operational issues that arise during the conduct of the radiation safety program and related regulatory requirements.
 - d. Specify the maximum amount of time it will take the consultant-RSO to arrive at the facility in the event of an emergency that requires his presence.
4. Kuakini Medical Center is a two story building. What is above or below the nuclear medicine department?

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In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter will be available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management 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,

Samantha Everett, Health Physicist
Materials Licensing Branch

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