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| CONVERSATION RECORD         |                | ITIME<br>9:22 am                   | IDATE<br>January 6, 2012 |
|-----------------------------|----------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| NAME OF PERSON(S) CONTACTED | TELEPHONE NO.  | ORGANIZATION                       |                          |
| John J. Chorzel             | (314) 809-7511 | Barnes-Jewish West County Hospital |                          |
| Radiation Safety Officer    |                |                                    |                          |
| SUBJECT                     |                |                                    |                          |
| License No.: 24-26243-01    |                | Control No.:                       | 576389                   |

## SUMMARY

Left a detailed voice mail message informing Mr. Chorzel that we needed clarification on their request in letter dated November 1, 2011, that Jonathan McConathy, M.D. be designated as an Authorized User (AU) for 10 CFR 35.100 and 35.200 materials/uses on the license. Specifically, the supporting information for Dr. McConathy is not clear, in that he is (1) listed as a "co-authorized user" under Barry A. Siegel, M.D.'s permit issued by Washington University in St. Louis, a broad scope license, and (2) that "co-authorization" does not appear to specify the specific materials and uses authorized for Dr. McConathy. The licensee was requested to call back in order to discuss this further and determine what, if any, additional information is needed in order to demonstrate that the requirements of 35.190 have been met for the proposed new AU.

Mr. Chorzel was also made aware that there was difficulty contacting him, as the telephone number provided in the requesting letter (313-653-5810) did not appear to be accurate, as the individual who answered did not appear to know who Mr. Chorzel was, nor his association with the hospital. The correct telephone number was ascertained by performing a search in ADAMS. The most recent document listing Mr. Chorzel was a letter dated May 11, 2011, from Advanced Medical Testing in Flousissant, Missouri, which referenced the telephone number used, as listed above.

## **RESPONSE/ACTION REQUIRED**

On 02/02/12, in a telephone conversation with Mr. Chorzel, we discussed the issues and need for additional documentation as described above. Mr. Chorzel agreed and committed to providing the necessary information by 2/6/12.

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), accessible from the NRC Web site at <a href="http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html">http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html</a>.

| NAME OF PERSON DOCUMENTING CONVERSATION | Wernis F.O. Con |                 |
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| Dennis P. O'Dowd                        | SIGNATURE       | DATE 01/27/2012 |