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SUBJECT: TRAINING SESSION ON THE BEST-CORDIS
INTRAVASCULAR BRACHYTHERAPY DEVICE

Dear Ms. Giacin:

This letter is to thank you for your very interesting and informative presentation on intravascular brachytherapy that you presented at our Region I office on March 12, 2001. Your talk on cardiovascular radiation therapy using the Best-Cordis device was greatly appreciated by my staff and others in the Region who attended. We especially appreciated the opportunity to view a videotaped case and to discuss the "hands on" operation of the device and the technical and safety issues related to its use.

Thank you again for your time and effort in providing us this presentation.

Sincerely,

Original signed by Francis M. Costello

George Pangburn, Director
Division of Nuclear Materials Safety

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