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Luc Desgagne
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**RE: Reciprocity Certificate Number: 66-0021
Inspection Number: 0021-03**

Dear Mr. Desgagne:

On March 15, 2001, Tony Carpenito of the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, Radiation Control Program, conducted a reciprocity inspection of the source replenishment your staff performed at the Medical Center of Central Massachusetts, Worcester, MA. The inspection was an examination of your licensed activities as they relate to radiation safety and to compliance with the Agency's regulations and the license conditions. The inspection consisted of observations by the inspector, interviews with personnel, and a selective examination of representative records. The findings of the inspection were discussed with Ed Kato and Richard Somers at the conclusion of the inspection.

There were no items of noncompliance found as a result of this inspection.

Thank you for your continued cooperation with our office.

Sincerely,

Robert M. Hallisey, Director
Radiation Control Program

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