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Mr. Amir Kouhestani
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Two White Flint North Building
11545 Rockville Pike
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Re: Mallinckrodt Inc., License STB-401

Dear Mr. Kouhestani:


This is to inform you that Mallinckrodt Inc. has recently made a Radiation Safety Officer (RSO) change to NRC license # STB-401. Mr. Tim Woodford is no longer employed by Mallinckrodt and the duty of RSO has been assumed by Ms. Karen M. Burke. This change is effective immediately.

Ms. Burke has been an employee of Mallinckrodt for the past seven years where she has served as the Remediation Coordinator for the site with Tim Woodford as her direct report. During the past 7 years, Ms. Burke has been involved and responsible for all the day to day operations involved with NRC license #STB 401 and the CT Phase II Decommissioning project. Since July 6, 2006 when Mr. Woodford left the company, Ms. Burke has assumed 100% responsibility for oversight and management of the radiation protection program at the St. Louis plant.

Ms. Burke has been trained as a Radiation Safety Officer through the CSI – Radiation Safety Academy and has been involved with radiation protection at the St. Louis site for 7 years under the direction of previous RSO's. Karen has been directly involved with the CT Decommissioning activities and the FUSRAP oversight at the St. Louis site.

A full amendment outlining her qualifications and the management structure for the Phase II Decommissioning plan will be revised and submitted. If you have any additional questions or comments please feel free to contact me at (314) 654-6314.

Sincerely,



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