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License No. 29-13141-06

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SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT NO. 030-30808/2011-001, U. S. DEPARTMENT
OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Dear Dr. Hallowell:

This letter refers to your November 22, 2011, and February 7, 2012, correspondence, in response to our November 2 and December 16, 2011, letters. Thank you for informing us of the corrective and preventive actions documented in your letters. These actions will be examined during a future inspection of your licensed program.

As stated in our letter dated November 2, 2011, during the exit meeting on October 18, 2011, you agreed that you would request an amendment to 1) name additional authorized users, and 2) list two trailers (the TECS Laboratory and the HME Laboratory) as permanent locations of use. We understand from your letters that the amendment request is still under internal review and you plan to submit it no later than April 30, 2012. These changes are important because the current license lists only one authorized user, who is present at your facility but no longer directly supervises the persons who are handling radioactive materials. In addition, if this individual leaves or retires, all work with licensed materials will have to cease until a new authorized user is approved by the NRC and named on your NRC license. The two trailers, although associated with buildings listed on the license, are separate facilities and must be listed on the license if you intend to use specifically-licensed materials in them. At the time of the inspection, the radioactive sources used in the trailers were in devices that were under a general license or were exempt from licensing. If the request for amendment will not be submitted by April 30 as described in your letters, please notify Betsy Ullrich at (610) 337-5040.

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Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original signed by Judith A. Joustra

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