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**NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**  
REGION I  
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SUBJECT: COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, LICENSE AMENDMENT, CONTROL NO. 577355

Dear Dr. Purdy:

This refers to your license amendment request. Enclosed with this letter is the amended license.

We also receive your letter dated June 27, 2012 which proposes a different Radiation Safety Officer starting September 4, 2012. Please submit an amendment request in August to support that change. Your license has been updated with the latest nomenclature. Please review the enclosed document carefully and be sure that you understand and fully implement all the conditions incorporated into the amended license. If there are any errors or questions, please notify the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region I Office, Licensing Assistance Team, (610) 337-5239, so that we can provide appropriate corrections and answers.

An environmental assessment for this action is not required, since this action is categorically excluded under 10 CFR 51.22(c)(14).

Current NRC regulations and guidance are included on the NRC's website at [www.nrc.gov](http://www.nrc.gov); select **Nuclear Materials; Med, Ind, & Academic Uses**; then **Licensee Toolkits**, see our **toolkit index page**. You may also obtain these documents by contacting the Government Printing Office (GPO) toll-free at 1-866-512-1800. The GPO is open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. EST, Monday through Friday (except Federal holidays).

Please note that the Region I Division of Nuclear Materials Safety has moved effective May 9, 2012. Our new address is:

USNRC – Region I  
2100 Renaissance Blvd, Suite 100  
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G. Purdy

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Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

***Original signed by Dennis R. Lawyer***

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Enclosure:  
Amendment No. 4

cc:  
Thomas L. Morgan, Ph.D., Radiation Safety Officer

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