



May 1, 2013

United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Attn: Radioactive Materials Licensing
Region IV
1600 E. Lamar Blvd.
Arlington, TX 76011-4511

Re: License 25-19824-01

Dear Sir or Madam

I am writing to request an amendment to radioactive materials license (License) 25-19824-01, issued to Sidney Health Center, Sidney, MT. As follows:

1. Please remove License authorization 6.D and 9.D authorizing sodium iodide (Iodine-131) as permitted by 10 CFR 35.300. We have not used this authorization in several years and do not intend to do so in the foreseeable future. In the future should conditions arise that warrant this capability we will request a License amendment.
2. In accordance with current regulatory guidance, please remove the requirement to conduct documented weekly use area wipe surveys. Note that we will continue to conduct and document end of day or end of use direct measurement surveys. We have two Ludlum 14C survey instruments with 44-9 and 44-38 GM detectors that we utilize for contamination and exposure rate surveys. Our surveys will continue to cover our Hot Lab with pharmaceutical preparation and storage area and other areas where radiopharmaceuticals are utilized. We will continue to document these surveys in our NMIS.

We believe there is a **typographical error in our license**. As follows:

1. License condition 6.C. authorizes any byproduct material permitted by **10 CFR 31.1** as prepackaged kits. We believe this correct reference is **10 CFR 31.11**. Please let us know if this regulatory citation is incorrect.

Please contact me with any questions. I can be reached at 406-488-2167, Thank you for your continued assistance.

Sincerely,

Gregory B. Faul, M.D.
Radiation Safety Officer

PUBLIC

- ☐ Immediate Release
☒ Normal Release

NON-PUBLIC

- ☐ A.3 Sensitive-Security Related
☐ A.7 Sensitive Internal
☐ Other: _____

Reviewer: fnl Date: 05/14/13

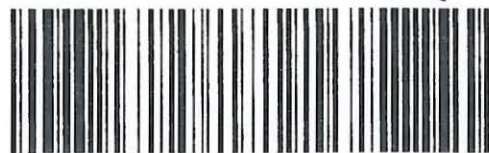


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BETWEEN:

Accounts Receivable/Payable
and
Regional Licensing Branches

[FOR ARPB USE]
INFORMATION FROM WBL

Program Code: 02120
Status Code: Pending Amendment
Fee Category: 7C
Exp. Date: 12/31/2018
Fee Comments: CODE 23
Decom Fin Assur Req: N

License Fee Worksheet - License Fee Transmittal

A. REGION

1. APPLICATION ATTACHED

Applicant/Licensee: SIDNEY HEALTH CENTER
Received Date: 05/06/2013
Docket Number: 3019288
Mail Control Number: 580644
License Number: 25-19824-01
Action Type: Amendment

2. FEE ATTACHED

Amount: _____
Check No.: _____

3. COMMENTS

Signed: _____

Date: _____

B. LICENSE FEE MANAGEMENT BRANCH (Check when milestone 03 is entered / /)

1. Fee Category and Amount: _____

2. Correct Fee Paid. Application may be processed for:

Amendment: _____

Renewal: _____

License: _____

3. OTHER _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____



DATE

05/13/2013

NAME AND ADDRESS OF APPLICANT AND/OR LICENSEE

Sidney Health Center
ATTN: Gregory Faul
Radiation Safety Officer
216 14th Avenue Southwest
Sidney, MT 59270-1690

LICENSE NUMBER

25-19824-01

MAIL CONTROL NUMBER

580644

LICENSING AND/OR TECHNICAL REVIEWER

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This is to acknowledge the receipt of your:

☒ LETTER and/or ☐ APPLICATION

DATED: 05/01/2013

The initial processing, which included an administrative review, has been performed.

☒ AMENDMENT ☐ TERMINATION ☐ NEW LICENSE ☐ RENEWAL

- ☒ There were no administrative omissions identified during our initial review.
- ☐ This is to acknowledge receipt of your application for renewal of the material(s) license identified above. Your application is deemed timely filed, and accordingly, the license will not expire until final action has been taken by this office.
- ☐ Your application for a new NRC license did not include your taxpayer identification number. Please fill out NRC Form 531, located at the following link:

<http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/forms/nrc531.pdf>

Send the completed NRC Form 531, by facsimile, to the following number: (301) 415-5387

A copy of your action has been emailed to our License Fee and Accounts Receivable Branch, in our Headquarters office in Rockville, MD. You will be contacted separately if there is a fee issue involved.

Your application has been assigned the above listed **MAIL CONTROL NUMBER**. When calling to inquire about this action, please refer to this control number. Your application has been forwarded to a technical reviewer. Please note that the technical review, which is normally completed within 180 days for a renewal application (90 days for all other requests), may identify additional omissions or require additional information. If you have any questions concerning the processing of your application, our contact information is listed below:

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*emailed to licensee
5/13/13*