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**NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**  
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Docket Nos. 030-03790  
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Control Nos. 581610  
581611

License Nos. 06-05869-01  
06-05869-03

Eric Watters  
Manager, Environmental Health and Safety  
Pfizer, Inc.  
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SUBJECT: PFIZER, INC., REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONCERNING  
DECOMMISSIONING FUNDING PLAN FOR LICENSES, CONTROL NOS.  
581610 AND 581611

Dear Mr. Watters:

During our 2013 audit of financial assurance instruments for Region I licensees, staff identified that the most recent Decommissioning Funding Plan (DFP) submitted by Pfizer, Inc. for our review is dated October 12, 2009. Effective December 17, 2012, 10 CFR 30.35(e) requires that the DFP be submitted at intervals not to exceed 3 years. Therefore, we have administratively opened licensing actions for Nuclear Regulatory Commission License Nos. 06-05869-01 and 06-05869-03 in order to request and review your revised DFP. In order to continue our review, we need the following additional information:

Please submit a revised DFP as required by 10 CFR 30.35(e). Be sure to review the regulation, which was revised June 17, 2011, and became effective December 17, 2012. The revisions include additional information to be included in the DFP, and specify items to be addressed in the updated DFP submitted for review. Be sure to provide all required information.

We understand that you have reduced the number of laboratories in which licensed materials are used over the past several years, and that you will be decommissioning the cyclotron facility. Your revised DFP should take into account the current status of your facilities, rather than be based on planned changes or changes that have not yet been approved by the NRC.

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).

We will continue our review upon receipt of this information. Please reply to my attention at the Region I Office and refer to Mail Control Nos. 581610, and 581611. If you have any technical questions regarding this deficiency letter, please call me at (610) 337-5040 or send e-mail to [Elizabeth.ullrich@nrc.gov](mailto:Elizabeth.ullrich@nrc.gov).

Please respond within 60 calendar days from the date of this letter. If a revised DFP is not ready at that time, please contact me to discuss your progress and a schedule for submission..

Sincerely,

***Original signed by Elizabeth Ullrich***

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David Durkee, Radiation Safety Officer

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