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SUBJECT: ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF 10 CFR 35.14(b)(2) NOTIFICATION LETTER

By letter dated July 6, 2015, and in accordance with 10 CFR 35.14(b)(2), you provided notification to this office that Blaine T. Ikeda has been designated as temporary radiation safety officer (RSO) for NRC license numbers 53-16533-02, 53-16533-04MD, and 53-29377-03. Please note that licensee's management may permit a qualified individual to function as temporary RSO for up to 60 days each year in accordance with 10 CFR 35.24(c). This regulatory requirement provides licensees with the flexibility to continue the oversight of their radiation safety program in the event of a sudden departure of the RSO named on a license, and provides the licensee with sufficient time to submit to the NRC a license amendment request using NRC Form 313A(RSO) naming a permanent RSO.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter will be available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the NRC's document system (ADAMS). ADAMS is accessible from the NRC Web site at: <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>.

Sincerely,

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Dockets: 030-38265, 030-38244, 030-14522
Licenses: 53-16533-04MD, 53-29377-03, 53-16533-02
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