

**Veterans
Administration**

July 1, 1985

In Reply Refer To:

Ms. Dianne Heim
Nuclear Regulatory Commission
101 Marietta Street, N.E.
Atlanta, GA 30323

Dear Ms. Heim:

This letter constitutes an urgent request for amendment of our NRC License #09-04233-03, to change Item 8. B. from a current 2 Curie possession limit to a new 8 Curie possession limit.

This change is necessitated by the discontinuance of our contractual relationship with a commercial radiopharmacy and the recent hiring of our own radiopharmacist. Thus we need our own Mo99-Tc99m generator.

Please call me at FTS 826-4426 as soon as this amendment is granted so that we can order an appropriate generator.

Sincerely,

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Chief, Nuclear Medicine Service (115)

cc: O. Michael Lilien
Chief of Staff (11)

Dr. James J. Smith
VA Central Office (115)

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Approved by the Coordinator
See telephone note dated 7/15/85
P/G - Ray H