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July 25, 1985

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Regional Licensing Section  
799 Roosevelt Road  
Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137

Att: Miss Evelyn Matson

Re: Control No. 78832

Dear Miss Matson:

Heartland Hospital West recently asked that its license be amended to allow transferring material from Heartland West to Heartland East. After reviewing the two facilities it has been decided that the East facility has a more appropriate laboratory for the preparation and transfer of material. We wish to have our Radio-active Materials License amended to allow receipt of material from Heartland West. We request that we be exempt from the requirements of 35.14 B-3. We wish to be allowed to obtain radio-active materials from individuals with a distributor license or Heartland East.

We will receive Groups II and III from Heartland East. In addition various long-lived material such as Xenon 133, Ytterbium, Gallium, Thallium etc. will also be transferred from the Heartland East facility. No Groups IV, V or VI material will be accepted from Heartland East. Groups IV, V, and VI material will only be obtained from outside suppliers.

The procedure for initiating the transfer has been described in our previous letter. The only change needed in this is that the transfers will be initiated from the Heartland East facility. The material transfers will be a one-way procedure. No material will be returned to the Heartland East Hospital. All waste material generated at our facility will remain here for decay and ultimate disposal.

The procedure for receiving material from Heartland East is for the Nuclear Medicine technologist from Heartland East to deliver the material to the Security Desk. The Security Officer will then be responsible for carrying the material to the Nuclear Medicine Department. When the material is delivered to the Nuclear Medicine Department it will be checked in accordance with the procedures specified in Red Guide 10.8. Since the material is delivered to us from the Heartland East facility on a demand basis, the technologist will always be available to receive the material and perform the surveys.

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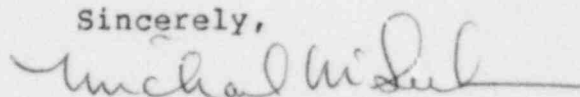
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If you have any questions concerning this change in our amendment request, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Michael McGeehan". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Michael McGeehan  
Director of Radiology Services