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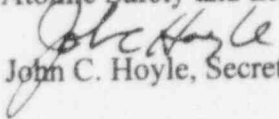
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MEMORANDUM TO: B. Paul Cotter, Jr.  
Chief Administrative Judge  
Atomic Safety and Licensing Board Panel

FROM:   
John C. Hoyle, Secretary

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR HEARING SUBMITTED  
BY THE UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI

Attached is a request for hearing submitted by the University of Cincinnati (Docket No. 30-02764) dated December 30, 1996. The hearing request was submitted in response to a denial by the NRC staff of a request by the University for a license amendment that would allow specified visitors of radiation therapy patients at the University's Medical Center to receive a radiation dose of up to 500 mrem total effective dose equivalent (TEDE) instead of the current public dose limit of 100 mrem per year. The amendment request was denied by a letter from the Regional Administrator for Region III dated December 12, 1996. Copy attached.

The request for hearing is being referred to you for appropriate action in accordance with 10 C.F.R. Sec. 2.1261

cc: Commission Legal Assistants

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