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John Kinneman, Chief  
Nuclear Materials Safety Section A  
Division of Radiation Safety & Safeguards  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Region I  
631 Park Avenue  
King of Prussia, PA. 19406

Dear Mr. Kinneman:

With reference to your letter of July 3, 1985, and inspection report No. 30-17757/85-01, we submit the following response:

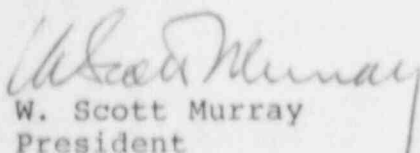
Firstly, our letter to Dr. Glenn dated August 20, 1984, states that receipt of radiopharmaceuticals will only be during operating hours. Our department of Radiology (of which Nuclear Medicine is a unit) is open 24 hours. Our hospital's operating hours are 24 hours daily. We apologize if our representations were unclear; however, the amendment request was approved as written. Since this is our understanding, we do not feel a further amendment is in order.

Secondly, we admit that we did not have formal quarterly Radiation Safety Committee meetings in 1983. We did however, have informal undocumented discussions with Nuclear Medicine physicians, administrative representatives, and nursing personnel.

Administration has been informed as to the importance of this committee, and it's required quarterly meetings. To improve the formality and impress the importance of these quarterly meetings, we will have them on dates that our consultant radiation physicists come (they come monthly). They will remind the Radiology Administrative Assistant to schedule the meeting with all necessary members notified and required by administration to attend. In lieu of informal meetings in the Radiologist's office, the meeting will be held in a hospital conference room.

Full compliance will be achieved following our next scheduled Radiation Safety Committee meeting in August, 1985.

Sincerely,

  
W. Scott Murray  
President

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