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Department of the Army
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Gentlemen:

This is in reference to a request dated September 26, 1984 to amend License No. 53-00458-05 to add LTC Aida P. Ronquillo, M.D. as an authorized user of your teletherapy unit.

As you may know, NRC's Advisory Committee on the Medical Uses of Isotopes (ACMUI) has advised us that certification by the American Board of Radiology (ABR) in Radiology or Therapeutic Radiology is evidence of adequate training and experience. Dr. Ronquillo is not so certified; thus, we will need additional documentation of her training and experience. Specifically, we need the following:

- a. Please submit a completed Supplement A, Form NRC-313T, documenting Dr. Ronquillo's training in basic radioisotope handling techniques and experience handling radioactive materials. Note in Item 5 that the maximum amount of an isotope for any single application should be specified and that type of use should be more specific than "human".
- b. Please submit a completed, Supplement B, Form NRC-313T, documenting at least 3 years of full-time experience in therapeutic radiology. Separate Supplement B forms should be submitted to document training and/or experience received at different institutions or under the supervision of different preceptor-physicians. Be sure to document training and experience with all types of teletherapy treatment and with brachytherapy treatment as well.
- c. Please submit letters of reference from each physician under whom Dr. Ronquillo received training and/or experience. Each letter should describe the scope and extent of Dr. Ronquillo's training

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and experience (as known by the preceptor-physician) and should provide the preceptor-physician's evaluation of Dr. Ronquillo's competency to use, independently, brachytherapy and/or teletherapy sources for treatment of patients.

- d. Please specify the date by which Dr. Ronquillo expects to complete the oral examination with the American Board of Radiology.

We will continue review of your amendment request, with the assistance of our Advisory Committee (ACMUI), upon receipt of this information. Please reply in duplicate and refer to Control No. 18283.

Sincerely,

Francis A. St. Mary
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Enclosures:

1. Draft Teltherapy Guide
2. NRC Form 313T

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