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RE: License No. 37-01317-02  
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Dear Dr. Glenn:

As per our October 1, 1984, telephone correspondence I'm writing to report on the status of our Co-60 telecalibration Accredited Dosimetry Calibration Laboratory (A.D.C.L.) sealed source.

In our attempts to finalize the licensing of this source we have encountered numerous obstacles which have left licensing unfinished. Currently we are in the position of designing a shielding structure which will conform to weight stress limits of the supporting floor, which is usable by A.D.C.L. personnel, which makes possible source exchanges, which is financially affordable, and which will adequately shield all adjoining areas to safe/ALARA levels.

We are currently active in attempting to resolve these problems and in doing so we ask that the NRC extend the time period for finalizing this licensing amendment request.

If any questions should arise, please feel free to contact me at 412-359-3485.

Sincerely,

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