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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20555

Attention: Docketing and Service Branch

Dear Sirs:

Regarding your proposed regulation to require medical licensees to report administrations of radioactive material, this is clearly an undue intrusion of the federal government into the physician-patient relationship and is of great concern.

It also has significant medical legal implications which are potentially disruptive to an already tenuous malpractice insurance crisis.

Over and above this, because of these very significant implications to this proposed regulation, I would like to register a strong objection to the proposal.

If I can be of any assistance in further defining the deleterious effects of this proposal, I would be happy to make additional comments.

Thank you very much for your attention in this matter.

Sincerely,

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Director  
Division of Nuclear Medicine

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