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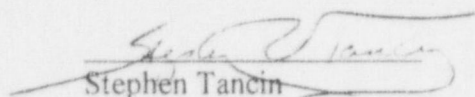
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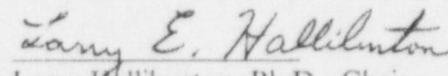
Dear Mr. Wright:

At its meeting on August 7, 1996, the Human Use of Radiation and Radionuclides Committee voted 6-0 to approve the enclosed changes to its Nuclear Medicine Quality Management Program, to become effective upon notification of the US Nuclear Regulatory Commission. These changes bring the actions required by an unintended deviation from the written directive into agreement with the definition of a recordable event in paragraph IV.B(iii). These changes were affirmed by a 7-0 vote of the Radiological Safety Committee on September 4, 1996.

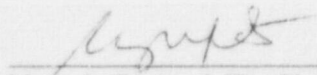
The Human Use of Radiation and Radionuclides Committee voted 6-0 on November 7, 1996 to approve the enclosed change to the Radiation Oncology Quality Management Program. This change clarifies the wording of the paragraph to assure that the sources used in brachytherapy are in accordance with the written directive. This revision was also approved by the Radiological Safety Committee on November 19, 1996.

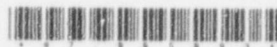
We are notifying you of these changes in accordance with the requirement in 10 CFR 35.32 (e).


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No Amendment req'd per D. Collins
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