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SUBJECT: LICENSE AMENDMENT

Dear Dr. Harmon:

Please find enclosed Amendment No. 79 adding and removing authorized users and adding you as an AMP for the HDR unit, as requested. An environmental assessment for this action was not required, since this action is categorically excluded under 10 CFR 51.22, as applicable. You should review this license carefully and be sure that you understand all conditions. You can contact me at [Latischa.Hanson@nrc.gov](mailto:Latischa.Hanson@nrc.gov) if you have any questions about this license.

The NRC's Safety Culture Policy Statement became effective in June 2011. While a policy statement is not a regulation, it sets forth the agency's expectations for individuals and organizations to establish and maintain a positive safety culture. You can access the policy statement and supporting material that may benefit your organization on NRC's safety culture Web site at [www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/regulatory/enforcement/safety-culture.html](http://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/regulatory/enforcement/safety-culture.html). We strongly encourage you to review this material and adapt it to your particular needs in order to develop and maintain a positive safety culture as you engage in NRC-regulated activities.

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Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Latischa M. Hanson

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