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Theresa V. Clark, Deputy Director
Division of Materials Safety, Security
and Tribal Programs
Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555-0001

Re: 2021 Alabama Rules Revisions

Dear Ms. Clark:

The Agency has finalized Rule 420-3-26-.02, Licensing, 420-3-26-.07, Use of Radionuclides in the Healing Arts and 420-3-25-.15, Physical Protection of Category 1 and 2 Quantities of Radioactive Material. There were no public comments received for these rules. In their meeting on September 15, 2021, the State Committee on Public Health approved the final version of these rules. They will be published with an effective date of November 14, 2021. Copies of the final rules will be sent electronically.

The Agency reviewed the comments in your letter dated June 4, 2021 and accepted all comments into the final rule. These final rule packets address the following RATS ID numbers.

<u>Rats ID</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>State Section</u>
2006-1	Minor Amendments Parts 20, 30, 32, 35, 40 and 70	420-3-26-.02, Licensing, and 420-3-26-.07, Use of Radionuclides In the Healing Arts
2006-2	National Source Tracking System – Serialization Requirements (Part 32 with reference to Part 20 Appendix E)	420-3-26-.15, Physical Protection of Category 1 and 2 Quantities of Radioactive Material
2007-3,	Requirements for Expanded Definition of Byproduct Material (Reference Correction)	420-3-26-.07, Use of Radionuclides in the Healing Arts

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2018-1,	Medical Use of Byproduct Material	420-3-26-.02, Licensing, and 420-3-26-.07, Use of Radionuclides In the Healing Arts
2018-2,	Miscellaneous Corrections - Parts 37 40, 70 and 71	420-3-26-.15, Physical Protection of Category 1 and 2 Quantities of Radioactive Material
2018-3,	Miscellaneous Corrections to Parts 1, 2, 34, 37, 50, 71, 73 and 140	420-3-26-.15, Physical Protection of Category 1 and 2 Quantities of Radioactive Material
2019-1	Miscellaneous Corrections to Parts 2, 21, 37, 50, 52, 73 and 110	420-3-26-.15, Physical Protection of Category 1 and 2 Quantities of Radioactive Material
2020-2	Social Security Number Fraud Prevention to Parts 9 and 35	420-3-26-.07, Use of Radionuclides in the Healing Arts
2020-3	Miscellaneous Corrections to Parts 1, 2, 19, 20, 21, 30, 34, 35, 40, 50, 51, 52, 60, 61, 62, 63, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 110 and 140	420-3-26-.07, Use of Radionuclides in the Healing Arts

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 334-290-6244 or
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Sincerely,



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Enclosures