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**SUBJECT: NOTICE OF RECIPROCAL RECOGNITION OF LICENSE IN NEW MEXICO FOR 2008**

License Number: 2105-30 Amd#42

Issuing Agency: California

License Expiration Date: Friday, November 18, 2011

Thank you for your request for reciprocity. In accordance with your request and pursuant to New Mexico Radiation Protection Regulation (NMRPR) Section 324., you are hereby authorized to possess and utilize radioactive sources at temporary job sites within the State of New Mexico. Reciprocity is granted on a year to year basis. This authorization is void after December 31, 2008, or when activities have reached 180 days in the calendar year, whichever occurs first.

You are required to notify the Department in writing at least three (3) days prior to each use of radioactive material in New Mexico. Further, you must notify the Department within one (1) hour after arrival at the actual work location within the State, and notify the Department within one (1) hour after any change in work location within the State. Please note that you may be subject to a routine field inspection at anytime.

Special Conditions: The following must be in the possession of the users at the work site: (1) A copy of this letter; (2) a complete copy of the New Mexico Radiation Protection Regulations or the applicable sections, which can be downloaded from the State website at [www.nmenv.state.nm.us/nmrcb/home.html](http://www.nmenv.state.nm.us/nmrcb/home.html); (3) a copy of the Radioactive Materials License; (4) a complete inventory of sources brought into the State; (5) pertinent U.S. DOT documents; (6) records of current leak tests for sealed sources brought into the State; (7) records of current instrument calibration(s); and (8) personnel training records.

If I can be of assistance, you may contact me at (505) 476-3081 or fax (505) 476-3232.

For the New Mexico Environment Department --

*Santiago M. Rodriguez*

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## 324. RECIPROCAL RECOGNITION OF LICENSES.

A. Subject to these regulations, any person who holds a specific license from the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission or an Agreement State, and issued by the regulatory authority having jurisdiction where the licensee maintains an office for directing the licensed activity and at which radiation safety records are normally maintained, is hereby granted a general license to conduct the activities authorized in such licensing document within this State for a period not in excess of 180 days in any calendar year provided that:

1. the licensing document does not limit the activity authorized by such document to specified installations or locations;
2. the out-of-state licensee notifies the Department in writing at least three working days prior to engaging in such activity. Such notification shall indicate the location, period, and type of proposed possession and use within the State, and shall be accompanied by a copy of the pertinent licensing document. If, for a specific case, the three-day period would impose an undue hardship on the out-of-state licensee, he may, upon application to the Department, obtain permission to proceed sooner. The Department may waive the requirements for filing additional written notifications during the calendar year following the receipt of the initial notification from a person engaging in activities under the general license provided in Paragraph 324;
3. the out-of-state licensee complies with all applicable provisions of these regulations and with all the terms and conditions of his licensing document, except any such terms and conditions which may be inconsistent with these applicable regulations;
4. the out-of-state licensee supplies such other information as the Department may request; and
5. the out-of-state licensee shall not transfer or dispose of radioactive material possessed or used under the general license provided in this section except by transfer to a person:
  - a. specifically licensed by the Department or by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission to receive such material; or
  - b. exempt from the requirements for a license for such material under Paragraph 302 A.

B. Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph 324 A, any person who holds a specific license issued by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission or an Agreement State authorizing the holder to manufacture, transfer, install, or service a device described in Paragraph 305 B 1 within areas subject to the jurisdiction of the licensing body is hereby granted a general license to install, transfer, demonstrate or service such a device in this state provided that:

1. such person shall file a report with the Department within 30 days after the end of each calendar quarter in which any device is transferred to or installed in this state. Each such report shall identify each general license to whom such device is transferred by name and address, the type of device transferred, and the quantity and type of radioactive material contained in the device;

2. the device has been manufactured, labeled, installed, and serviced in accordance with applicable provisions of the specific license issued to such person by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission or an Agreement State;

3. such person shall assure that any labels required to be affixed in the device under regulations of the authority which licensed manufacture of the device bear a statement that "Removal of this label is prohibited"; and

4. the holder of the specific license shall furnish to each general licensee to whom he transfers such device or on whose premises he installs such device a copy of the general license contained in Paragraph 305 B.

C. The Department may withdraw, limit, or qualify its acceptance of any specific license or equivalent licensing document issued by another Department, or any product distributed pursuant to such licensing document, upon determining that such action is necessary in order to prevent undue hazard to public health and safety or property

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