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TO: New York State Medical Use Radioactive Materials Licensees

**RE: Nuclear Medicine Technologist Licensure – Proposed New Part 89
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Dear Licensee:

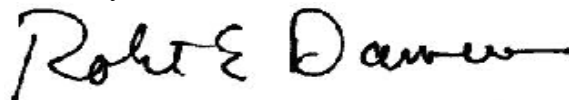
The purpose of this notice is to inform you that the Department of Health is now accepting license applications for Nuclear Medicine Technology. An individual wishing to practice as a Nuclear Medicine Technologist after December 31, 2008, must possess a valid license from the State of New York. An application form is included with this correspondence. Please distribute this letter and copies of the application form to all staff in your facility that wish to apply for a license to practice as a nuclear medicine technology.

Individuals who are certified by the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists (ARRT) or the Nuclear Medicine Technology Certification Board (NMTCB) should include a copy of their certificate or a current wallet card with their completed application and fee. Individuals who are applying under the grand-fathering provision must submit attestations from current and/or previous employers demonstrating 5 years of satisfactory full time employment as a nuclear medicine technologist and demonstrate that they meet the educational requirements to qualify as board eligible.

If you have any questions, you can contact us at 518/402-7590, e-mail us at berp@health.state.ny.us or write to:

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Sincerely,



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