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Dr. Rulon W. Rawson
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Dear Doctor Rawson:

Thank you for your letter of February 21st.

As I indicated on the telephone, as Chairman of the Committee on Human Allocation, I approve of the use of radioactive thallium for tracer studies in the case of osteogenic sarcoma to which you make reference. Since there is obviously very little time for the Committee to review this, you may consider this letter as authorization to proceed with your studies.

In order to satisfy the regulations of the Radioisotope Division of the Atomic Energy Commission, I would recommend that you submit the usual forms required for the use of this material in humans.

I hope this is helpful to you.

Very sincerely yours,

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Professor of Radiology

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