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Dear Sir/Madame:

RE: Draft REGDOC-1.4.1 Class II Nuclear Facilities and Prescribed Equipment Licence Application Guide

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on Draft REGDOC-1.4.1.

My comments and concern pertain to only one line of the draft guide.

Page 34, Section D.1.4 Radiation safety committee; 3rd paragraph, 5th bullet, 1st sub-bullet:

The RSC terms of reference should include:

- The responsibilities of the RSC with respect to:
 - reviewing and approving a budget for radiation safety and related training.

In my opinion it **is not** the function of a Radiation Safety Committee (RSC) to review and approve budgets. It is the RSC's role to advise Senior Management and/or the Applicant Authority what additional resources are required for Radiation Safety (e.g. funds for training, equipment and instruments, refresher training, etc).

I would be surprised if any RSCs in Canadian healthcare institutions review and approve budgets for radiation safety and training.

Sincerely,

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