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Best Theratronics is aware of the situation that has developed in Mexico and is monitoring the situation closely. We are pleased to hear that the Mexican authorities have found the Co60 material, have secured the area, and are securing the radioactive material for proper disposition.

Best Theratronics wishes to make clear that neither we nor our authorized agent in Mexico had any involvement in the decommissioning and shipment of this therapy unit and source. This project was carried out through a company not authorized by or associated with Best Theratronics.

Even though Best Theratronics was not involved in this incident, we are working with the authorities to provide any information or technical services that may assist them. It is our understanding that our authorized agent within the region is currently providing assistance to the authorities with securing the source.

Best Theratronics is committed to the security and safety of sealed sources for medical use. Co60 has been used for many decades, and continues to be used, as an effective means to treat cancer. It is estimated that thousands of cancer patients a day are treated with Co60 teletherapy. When undertaken properly, the transport of radioactive sealed sources is safe and secure. Best Theratronics, and its authorized agents, operate in full compliance with the strict security regulations surrounding the storage and transport of sealed sources.

Best Theratronics is committed to using the experiences from this incident to further strengthen our own safety and security programs.

Sincerely,



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