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**PHILIPPINE NUCLEAR RESEARCH
 INSTITUTE**

DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
 COMMONWEALTH AVENUE, DILIMAN
 QUEZON CITY 1101

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER No. 2
 SERIES OF 2002**

**REGULATORY FEES AND CHARGES RELATIVE TO
 THE LICENSING OF A PARTICLE
 ACCELERATOR FACILITY FOR THE
 PRODUCTION OF RADIOISOTOPES**

WHEREAS, Pursuant to Republic Act No. 5207, as amended by P.D. 1484, the Philippine Nuclear Research Institute, hereinafter referred to as PNRI, is the government agency responsible for the licensing and regulation of atomic energy facilities and materials;

WHEREAS, PNRI has determined that a particle accelerator facility for the production of radioisotopes is an atomic energy facility capable of producing atomic energy material in such manner or quantity as to be significant to the health and safety of the public;

WHEREAS, A private medical institution, represented herein by **St. Luke's Medical Center**, located at 279 E. Rodriguez Sr. Blvd., Quezon City, Metro Manila, has applied for a license to operate a particle accelerator (MINItrace, Compact PET-Tracer Production Solution 9.6 MeV proton) for the purpose of producing radioisotopes for medical application;

WHEREAS, PNRI is authorized in the Act to charge and collect reasonable fees in connection with its licensing and regulatory functions;

WHEREFORE, By its powers and authority under Section 4(k) of the Act, PNRI hereby promulgates the following fees and charges in connection with the licensing and regulation of the particle accelerator facility owned and operated by St. Luke's Medical Center.

SECTION 1. Schedule of Fees.

LICENSE APPLICATION FEE ¹	— PhP 4,000.00
FACILITY LICENSE FEE ²	— PhP 120,000.00
LICENSE AMENDMENT FEE ³	— (Minimum) PhP 5,000.00 per amended area (Maximum PhP 10,000.00 per amended area
INSPECTION AND AUDIT FEE ⁴	— PhP 8,000.00 per annum for 5 years.

SEC. 2. Validity of License.—The period of validity of the facility license shall be five (5) years. An application for renewal of the license must be filed not less than twelve (12) months before the expiration date determined in the license. The basic Facility License fee shall be charged and collected upon the approval of an application for renewal of the license.

SEC. 3. Amendment of License—An application for an amendment of the license may be filed within the period of validity of the license.

SEC. 4. Effectivity of Order.—This Administrative Order shall take effect fifteen (15) days following its publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of national circulation.

Quezon City, Metro Manila.

APPROVED:

(Sgd.) ALUMANDA M. DELA ROSA Ph.D
Director

Date: April 24, 2002.

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¹ To be paid upon acceptance of application for a license to construct and operate the facility.

² To be paid upon the issuance of operating license.

³ To be paid upon approval of requested amendment.

⁴ To be charged and collected after each annual inspection visit.