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Public Health Service

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Sent electronically

RE: Demand for Correction under the Information Quality Act: CT Scan Dose Reduction
Evaluation Information

Dear Mr. Ruch,

The agency has been working diligently to respond to your above referenced Request for
Correction dated August 7, 2025, submitted under the Information Quality Act.

The response, however, is still under review. We anticipate providing a response by May 19,
2026.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "L. Lenkel", is written over a faint, larger version of the same signature.

Laurie Lenkel
FDA Ombudsman

cc:Ellen Flannery, J.D.