

INFORMATION REPORT

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Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR)
Items of Interest
Week Ending September 10, 2010

Issuance of the Safety Evaluation Report (SER) Related to the License Renewal of Cooper Nuclear Station

By letter dated September 1, 2010, the staff issued the SER related to the license renewal of Cooper Nuclear Station. The SER addressed the license renewal application submitted by Nebraska Public Power District by letter dated September 24, 2008. The staff performed its review in accordance with Title 10, Part 54, of the *Code of Federal Regulations*, "Requirements for Renewal of Operating Licenses for Nuclear Power Plants." The current license expires at midnight on January 18, 2014. The staff is scheduled to meet with the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards in a public meeting to be held in October 2010 to discuss the SER.

Public Teleconference on the Draft Aging Management Program for Buried and Underground Piping and Tanks

On September 1, 2010, the staff conducted a public teleconference meeting to discuss revisions made to the draft Generic Aging Lessons-Learned Report aging management program (AMP) XI.M41, "Buried and Underground Piping and Tanks." During the teleconference, industry stakeholders and members of the public discussed with the NRC staff their written comments on the draft AMP. The NRC staff held this teleconference to allow for continued discussion of stakeholder comments following a teleconference on August 24, 2010.

Issuance of the Safety Evaluation Report Related to the License Renewal of Duane Arnold Energy Center

By letter dated September 3, 2010, the staff issued the SER related to the license renewal of Duane Arnold Energy Center. The SER addressed the license renewal application submitted by Florida Power and Light Energy Duane Arnold, LLC., by letter dated September 30, 2008. The staff performed its review in accordance with Title 10, Part 54, of the *Code of Federal Regulations*, "Requirements for Renewal of Operating Licenses for Nuclear Power Plants." The current license expires at midnight on February 21, 2014. The staff is scheduled to meet with the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards in a public meeting to be held in October 2010 to discuss the SER.

Source Term License Amendments for LaSalle County Station

On September 7, 2010, the staff issued a full-scope alternate source term amendment to the licenses for LaSalle County Station, Units 1 and 2. The amendments revise the Technical Specifications to support the application of alternative source term methodology with respect to the loss-of-coolant accident and the fuel handling accident at each unit.

Office of Administration (ADM)
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Acquisition Support for the Office of Administration

On September 2, 2010, as a result of an 8(a) non-competitive solicitation, a firm fixed price contract (NRC-10-10-425) was awarded to Suntiva, LLC in Falls Church, Virginia for acquisition support services for the Office of Administration. The period of performance is September 2, 2010, through March 1, 2011, with two 6-month option periods. The total estimated ceiling cost is \$982,451.00, inclusive of all options.

Office of Small Business and Civil Rights (SBCR) Renovation Project

On September 2, 2010, as a result of an 8(a) noncompetitive acquisition, a firm fixed price contract (NRC-10-10-419) was awarded to Kaleo Construction, Inc. in Sterling, Virginia. This contract will provide all necessary construction services required to complete the refurbishment of the SBCR office. All work shall be completed no later than 90 days after the NRC provides the contractor with a notice to proceed for construction, with no option periods. The total cost is \$280,059.53.

Revised Replacement Energy Costs for Nuclear Power Plants

On September 3, 2010, as a result of a competitive negotiated acquisition, a firm fixed-price type delivery order (NRC-DR-03-10-074) was awarded to IHS Global Insight, Inc. in Lexington, Massachusetts for a report titled "Revised Replacement Energy Costs for Nuclear Power Plants." The period of performance is September 2, 2010, through August 31, 2011, with no option periods. The total value of the delivery order is \$134,148.00.

Office of Information Services (OIS)
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Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) and Privacy Act (PA) Requests Received During the Period of September 3, 2010, through September 9, 2010:

Humboldt Bay Nuclear Power Plant, number of annual Atomic Energy Commission compliance inspections from 01-01-64 to 12-31-75, copies of inspections, results of each inspection	FOIA/PA-2010-0325
Complete investigative file on named individual as stated in letter dated August 26, 2010	FOIA/PA-2010-0326
All FOIA requests including internal and external communications, investigative records, and any other resulting records	FOIA/PA-2010-0327
Atomic Energy Commission's program investigating unidentified flying objects (UFOs); documents and materials regarding James Ramey's involvement in investigating UFOs	FOIA/PA-2010-0328

Office of Human Resources (HR)
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Arrivals		
Alvarado, Rossnyev	ELECTRONICS ENGINEER (DIGITAL I&C)	NRR
Bensi, Michelle	RELIABILITY AND RISK ENGINEER/ANALYST	RES
Cain, Hillary	LAW CLERK	ASLBP
Eichenholz, Harold	PROGRAM OFFICER	OIP
Eser, Jonathan	LAW CLERK	ASLBP
Jennerich, Matthew	PROJECT ENGINEER (RESIDENT INSPECTION PROGRAM)	RI
Leitch, Rosalyn	SECURITY SPECIALIST (CO-OP)	NSIR
Madison, Menique	HR CLERK	RIV
Pun, Chi Ming	MANAGEMENT ANALYST	NRR
Silberfeld, Dafna	HUMAN RESOURCES SPECIALIST	HR
Stoddard, Kirsten	LAW CLERK	ASLBP
Walston, Christopher	MANAGEMENT ANALYST	RES
Retirements		
Carsley, Leonard	SPECIAL ASSISTANT	HR
Jordan, Mary	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	RII
Departures		
Berryman, Robert	SENIOR REACTOR INSPECTOR	RII
Brewton, Kimberley	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	RIV
Conley, Ethan	STUDENT ENGINEER (SUMMER)	RII
Cudzilo, Ethan	STUDENT IT ASSISTANT	CSO
Faucher, James	STUDENT IT SPECIALIST	RIV
Furstenau, Diane	STUDENT MANAGEMENT ANALYST	OIG
Kromer, Matthew	STUDENT ENGINEER	NRR
Pietrykowski, Michael	STUDENT ENGINEER (SUMMER)	RII
Rotman, Matthew	LAW CLERK	ASLBP
Samaddar, Sujit	BRANCH CHIEF	NRO
Somir, Avinash	PROGRAM ASSISTANT	SBCR
Ziegler, Eloise	REGULATORY GUIDE SPECIALIST	RES

Office of Public Affairs (OPA)
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OPA Received Significant Media Inquiries on the Following:

Honeywell Nuclear Facility's (Illinois) resumption of full production as the labor lockout continues.

A manual shutdown at Indian Point nuclear power plant (New York) due to a non-radioactive water leak.

The NRC's review of possible increased seismic risks at nuclear power plants in the Central and Eastern U.S.

Improprieties regarding the usage/storage of weapons at the Susquehanna nuclear power plant (Pennsylvania).

Other Public Affairs Items

OPA supported an NRC-sponsored seismic education workshop in California with a focus on the Diablo Canyon nuclear power plant (California) and did interviews with KEYT-TV and KSBY-TV about the workshop.

OPA facilitated an interview between a Platts reporter and NRC technical staff on the Honeywell fuel conversion facility (Illinois).

Press Releases Issued	
Headquarters:	
10-156	NRC Seeks Public Input on Draft Environmental Impact Statement for Vogtle New Reactors; Meeting Scheduled October 7, 2010 (9/7/10)
10-157	NRC Issues Final Safety Evaluation Report for Cooper Nuclear Power Plant License Renewal (9/8/10)
10-158	NRC Shares Ongoing Seismic Research on Eastern and Central U.S. Nuclear Power Plant (9/8/10)
10-159	NRC Issues Final Safety Evaluation Report for Duane Arnold Nuclear Power Plant License Renewal (9/8/10)
10-160	ASLB to Hold Sept. 17 Prehearing Conference in Rockville, Maryland, on Vogtle New Reactor Application (9/8/10)
Regions:	
I-10-041	NRC Assigns New Resident Inspector to Susquehanna Nuclear Power Plant (9/8/10)

Office of the Secretary (SECY)
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Documents Released to Public	Date	Subject
Decision Documents		
1. SRM-SECY-10-0078	9/7/10	Centralized Emergency Operations Facilities and Combined License Applications
Commission Voting Record on SECY-10-0078	9/7/10	(same)
2. Chairman Jaczko's vote and comments on SECY-10-0056	8/26/10	Final Rule: 10 CFR Part 72 License and Certificate of Compliance Terms (RIN 3150-AI09)
3. Chairman Jaczko vote and comments on SECY-10-0095	9/7/10	Proposed Rule: Advance Notification to Native American Tribes of Transport of Certain Types of Nuclear Waste (RIN 3150-AG41)
Information Papers		
1. SECY-10-0118	9/3/10	Weekly Information Report – Week Ending August 27, 2010

Federal Register Notices Issued

1. Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS), Meeting of the ACRS Subcommittee on Planning and Procedures, notice of meeting (10/06/2010).
2. ACRS, Meeting of the ACRS Subcommittee on Plant Operations and Fire Protection, notice of meeting (10/06/2010).
3. ACRS, Meeting of the ACRS Joint Subcommittee, notice of meeting (10/04/2010).
4. Advisory Committee on the Medical Uses of Isotopes: Call for Nominations.