

## INFORMATION REPORT

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**Office of Administration (ADM)  
Items of Interest  
Week Ending July 25, 2014**

**Spent Fuel Cask Certificate of Compliance Format and Content: Petition for Rulemaking (PRM); Consideration in the Rulemaking Process; 10 CFR Part 72 (NRC-2012-0266; NRC-2014-0067)**

On July 18, 2014, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) published a document in the *Federal Register* ([79 FR 41935](#)) stating that the NRC will consider in its rulemaking process six issues raised in a petition for rulemaking (PRM-72-7), submitted by Anthony Pietrangelo on behalf of the Nuclear Energy Institute. The petitioner requests that the NRC amend its regulations to improve the efficiency of the licensing and oversight of spent fuel dry cask storage.

**Medical Use of Byproduct Material-Medical Event Definitions and Training and Experience: Draft Guidance, Request for Comment; 10 CFR Parts 30, 32 and 35 Regulation Identifier Number (RIN) 3150-A-I63; NRC-2014-0030)**

On July 21, 2014, the NRC issued for public comment in the *Federal Register* ([79 FR 42224](#)) a draft guidance document entitled, "Draft Guidance for the Proposed Rule 'Medical Use of Byproduct Material-Medical Events Definitions, Training and Experience, and Clarifying Amendments.'" This draft guidance document addresses implementation of the NRC's proposed rule amending its medical use of byproduct material regulations. Comments are due by November 18, 2014.

**Medical Use of Byproduct Material-Medical Event Definitions, Training and Experience, and Clarifying Amendments: Proposed Rule; 10 CFR Parts 30, 32, and 35 (RIN 3150-AI63; NRC-2008-0175)**

On July 21, 2014, the NRC published a proposed rule in the *Federal Register* ([79 FR 42410](#)) to amend its regulations related to the medical use of byproduct material. In this action, the NRC addresses three ongoing rulemaking projects and several other related topics. Comments are due by November 18, 2014. Comments specific to the information collections aspects of this proposed rule are due by August 20, 2014.

**Revision of Fee Schedules; Fee Recovery for Fiscal Year 2014; Correction: Final Rule; Correction; 10 CFR Parts 170 and 171 (RIN 3150-AJ32; NRC-2013-0276)**

On July 22, 2014, the NRC published a document in the *Federal Register* ([79 FR 42452](#)) correcting a final rule that appeared in the *Federal Register* on June 30, 2014 ([79 FR 37124](#)), that amends the licensing, inspection, and annual fees charged to the NRC's applicants and licensees. The final rule inadvertently included the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) accession number for the fiscal year (FY) 2014 proposed fee rule work papers. This document corrects the final rule to provide the ADAMS accession number for the FY 2014 final fee rule work papers. This correction is effective on August 29, 2014.

**Enhanced Security at Fuel Cycle Facilities; Special Nuclear Material (SNM) Transportation 10 CFR Parts 26 and 73: Draft Regulatory Basis; Extension of Comment Period; (RIN 3150-AJ41; NRC-2014-0118)**

On July 22, 2014, the NRC published a document in the *Federal Register* ([79 FR 42474](#)) regarding a document published in the *Federal Register* on June 18, 2014, ([79 FR 34641](#)), requesting public comment on a draft regulatory basis to support the potential amendments to revise a number of existing security related regulations relating to physical protection of SNM at NRC-licensed facilities, and in transit, as well as the fitness-for-duty programs for security officers at certain fuel cycle facilities. The public comment period originally was scheduled to close on August 4, 2014. The NRC has decided to extend the public comment period on this document to allow more time for members of the public to develop and submit their comments. The due date for comments requested in the document published on June 18, 2014, is extended. Comments must be filed no later than October 17, 2014.

**Environmental Impacts of Spent Fuel Storage During Reactor Operation: Supplemental Petition for Rulemaking; Notice of Receipt; 10 CFR Part 51 (NRC-2014-0055)**

On July 24, 2014, the NRC published a document in the *Federal Register* ([79 FR 42989](#)) acknowledging receipt of a supplement to a petition for rulemaking filed with the NRC by Diane Curran and Mindy Goldstein on behalf of 34 Environmental Organizations (the petitioner). The NRC docketed the original petition, dated February 18, 2014, as PRM-51-31. The supplement adds information to the record and is noticed for information only. The NRC is not requesting public comment.

**Document Intake and Review Platforms (DIRP)**

On July 21, 2014, as a result of a competitive task order under Maintenance, Operation, and Modernization Support FA2 Indefinite-Delivery-Indefinite-Quantity, Task Order contract (NRC-HQ-11-C-33-0059 NRC-HQ-10-14-T-0003) was awarded to the Small Business CGI Federal Inc., in Fairfax, VA. This task order will provide support for the operation and maintenance of the DIRP. The period of performance is August 1, 2014 to September 25, 2015 with six 1-year option periods. The total price of the award is \$2,574,651.00, inclusive of all option periods.

**Office of the Chief Human Capital Officer (OCHCO)**  
**Items of Interest**  
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<b>Arrivals</b>		
BEACON, DANIEL	GENERAL ENGINEER NSPDP	NRR
BOGEMA, HARRISON	GENERAL ENGINEER NSPDP	NRO
DE LEON, ALAN	PROJECT MANAGER - ENG & DESIGN	ADM
DUDLEY, RICHARD	SENIOR PROJECT MANAGER	NRR
DYER, JAMES	CONSULTANT	OCFO
OESTERLE, ERIC	PROJECT MANAGER	NRR
PATTERSON, YETTA	HUMAN RESOURCES SPECIALIST	OCHCO
ROLON, MARCOS	STRUCTURAL ENGINEER	RES
SMITH, MICHAEL	HEALTH PHYSICIST NSPDP	NRR
WALTER, TODD	CRIMINAL INVESTIGATOR	OIG
WYLIE, MAUREEN	CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER	CFO
<b>Retirements</b>		
None		
<b>Departures</b>		
BAER, DEREK	CRIMINAL INVESTIGATOR	OIG
ESMOND, DANIEL	CRIMINAL INVESTIGATOR	OIG
GUNTER, CHELSEA	STUDENT LAW CLERK	OGC
JESSUP, WILLIAM	TECHNICAL ASSISTANT	NRR

**Office of Information Services (OIS)  
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**Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) and Privacy Act (PA) Requests and Appeals Received  
During the Period of July 11, 2014 – July 24, 2014:**

Records associated with Office of the Inspector General (OIG) Case 12-080 as specified	FOIA/PA-2014-0321
Records associated with OIG Allegation 12-07080 as specified	FOIA/PA-2014-0322
Records associated with OIG Allegation 12-07095 as specified	FOIA/PA-2014-0323
Records associated with OIG Allegation 11-06735 as specified	FOIA/PA-2014-0324
Records associated with OIG Allegation 11-06702 as specified	FOIA/PA-2014-0325
Records associated with OIG Allegation 12-07014 as specified	FOIA/PA-2014-0326
All records pertaining to named individual contained in NRC's Privacy Act System of Records NRC-18	FOIA/PA-2014-0327
APPEAL: Lack of Response (FOIA/PA-2014-0170)	FOIA/PA-2014-0029A
Complete Office of Investigations (OI) case file of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) investigator of referenced case	FOIA/PA-2014-0328
Documents associated with the listed OIG closed investigations as specified	FOIA/PA-2014-0329
Records associated with OIG case #A13-07231	FOIA/PA-2014-0330
APPEAL: Denial of Information (FOIA/PA-2014-0247)	FOIA/PA-2014-0030A
Records associated w/NRC-OIG Allegation Case #A13-07296	FOIA/PA-2014-0331
Records associated with OIG Allegation Case #13-07105	FOIA/PA-2014-0332
All emails in the possession of Daniel Cardenas sent or received on September 18,19 or 20, 2012	FOIA/PA-2014-0333
All emails in the possession of Joseph McMillan that were sent or received on Sept. 18, 19 or 20, 2012	FOIA/PA-2014-0334
All emails in the possession of Chairman Macfarlane that were sent or received on Sept. 18, 19 or 20, 2012	FOIA/PA-2014-0335
Records associated with OIG Allegation #A13-07209	FOIA/PA-2014-0336
Records associated with OIG Allegation #A14-07312	FOIA/PA-2014-0337
Records associated with OIG Allegation #A13-07267	FOIA/PA-2014-0338
Results of an investigation on the completeness and accuracy of information regarding steam generator degradation at the San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station	FOIA/PA-2014-0339
Request for listed documents pertaining to Rulemaking	FOIA/PA-2014-0340
Request records associated with OIG Allegation #A13-07258 and Case #13-045	FOIA/PA-2014-0341
Records associated with the explosion at Medina Base on November 13, 1963	FOIA/PA-2014-0342
Documents related to construction of the Oyster Creek Nuclear Power Plant, up until 1980	FOIA/PA-2014-0343
Records associated with OIG Case #A10-06606	FOIA/PA-2014-0344
Records associated with OIG Case #A11-06710	FOIA/PA-2014-0345
Records associated with OIG Case #A11-06811	FOIA/PA-2014-0346
Records associated with OIG Case #A11-06828	FOIA/PA-2014-0347

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All correspondence by or addressed to NRC staffer concerning the Jocassee Dam and/or the flooding hazard at the Oconee nuclear power plant	FOIA/PA-2014-0348
Copies of information regarding cleanup and shutdown of the nuclear waste dump known as the Shallow Land Disposal Area (SLDA) in Parks Township, PA	FOIA/PA-2014-0349
Records associated with OIG Case #A13-07295	FOIA/PA-2014-0350
Records associated with OIG Case #A13-07251	FOIA/PA-2014-0351
Records associated with OIG Case #A12-06876	FOIA/PA-2014-0352
Records associated with OIG Case #A13-07114	FOIA/PA-2014-0353
All emails in the possession of Susan Vrahoretis sent or received on September 18,19 or 20, 2012	FOIA/PA-2014-0354
All emails in the possession of Marian Zobler sent or received on September 18,19 or 20, 2012	FOIA/PA-2014-0355
All records concerning client who suffered radiation exposure at Farley Nuclear Power Plant	FOIA/PA-2014-0356
Sites in possession/use of radioactive materials regulated by NRC	FOIA/PA-2014-0357
Resubmittal of FOIA/PA-2014-0218	FOIA/PA-2014-0358
Complete "A" files for Roberto Martinez Bonilla	FOIA/PA-2014-0359
Request documents related to original construction for Hope Creek Generating Station	FOIA/PA-2014-0360
No Fear Act Annual Reports to Congress in accord. With section 203 of Pub. L. 107-174	FOIA/PA-2014-0361
Request a FOIA release for USW Local 5-550, for document Security Incident Report No. 14-007	FOIA/PA-2014-0362

**Office of Nuclear Regulatory Research (RES)**  
**Items of Interest**  
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**The American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME)/ American Nuclear Society (ANS) Probabilistic Risk Assessment (PRA) Standard-based Peer Review of Level 3PRA (L3PRA) Project Reactor**

During the week of July 21-25, 2014, RES staff hosted and supported a week-long ASME/ANS PRA Standard-based peer review of the Level 3 PRA (L3PRA) project reactor, at-power, Level-1 internal event and internal flood models for Vogtle Electric Generating Plant, Units 1 and 2. The peer review was led by the PWR Owners Group, and the review team included members from Westinghouse, several utilities, an SRA from Region III, and a staff member from the Office of New Reactors, Division of Safety Systems & Risk Assessment. This peer review is one level of review that all L3PRA models undergo, as specified in the L3PRA Quality Assurance Plan (Section 18 of the L3PRA Technical Analysis Approach Plan [ADAMS Accession No. ML13296A064]). Since the L3PRA Level-1 internal event and internal flood models were adapted from the licensee's PRA models for Vogtle, which were previously peer reviewed, a focused-scope peer review was performed for the NRC models. While the primary focus of the peer review was on those areas of the models that were modified by the NRC, the review covered all of the supporting requirements in the ASME/ANS Level-1 PRA Standard. Subsequent to the peer review, a formal peer review report will be provided to the staff, which will then be used to improve the quality of the L3PRA models.

**Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR)**  
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**Staff Presentation for the San Onofre Citizens Engagement Panel Workshop**

On July 17, 2014, staff presented on the NRC reactor decommissioning process for the San Onofre Citizens Engagement Panel Workshop in San Clemente, CA. The presentation focused on the NRC's review of the Post Shutdown Decommissioning Activities Report and the License Termination Plan. The workshop was attended by approximately 65 members of the community and was intended as an information session to describe the upcoming decommissioning activities at San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station.

**Public Meeting Regarding GSI-191 Simplified Risk Informed Approach**

On July 22, 2014, staff met with industry in a public meeting at NRC Headquarters to propose a simplified approach to the South Texas Project (STP) pilot process currently under staff review. Discussions included lessons learned from the ongoing pilot application and how they could be applied, on a plant specific basis, to limit the time and resources required to both submit and review applications. The simplified approach, as described in this high level presentation, was well received. After further development of the approach by industry, follow on meetings will be scheduled.

**Office of the Secretary (SECY)  
Items of Interest  
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<b>Document Released to Public</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Subject</b>
<b>Decision Documents</b>		
<a href="#">Commissioner Magwood Vote and Comments on COMSECY-14-0014</a>	05/13/14	Cumulative Effects of Regulation and Risk Prioritization Initiative: Update on Recent Activities and Recommendations for Path Forward
<a href="#">Commissioner Ostendorff Vote and Comments on COMSECY-14-0014</a>	05/27/14	Cumulative Effects of Regulation and Risk Prioritization Initiative: Update on Recent Activities and Recommendations for Path Forward
<a href="#">Chairman Macfarlane Vote and Comments on COMSECY-14-0014</a>	05/29/14	Cumulative Effects of Regulation and Risk Prioritization Initiative: Update on Recent Activities and Recommendations for Path Forward
4. <a href="#">SECY-14-0072</a>	07/21/14	Final Rule: Continued Storage of Spent Nuclear Fuel (RIN 3150-AJ20)
<b>Information Papers</b>		
<a href="#">SECY-14-0073</a>	07/22/14	Weekly Information Report – Week Ending July 11, 2014

Commission Correspondence

1. Letter to Senator Dianne Feinstein, dated July 16, 2014, responds to her letter on NRC's evaluation of the safety of a potential geologic repository for high-level waste at Yucca Mountain, Nevada.
2. Letter to Senator Thomas Carper, et al., dated July 18, 2014, provides statement of action taken and planned by the NRC in response to GAO report, "Federal Software Licenses: Better Management Needed to Achieve Significant Savings Government-Wide."

Federal Register Notices Issued

1. Applications and Amendments to Facility Operating Licenses and Combined Licenses involving Proposed no Significant Hazards Considerations and Containing Sensitive Unclassified Non-Safeguards Information (SUNSI) and Order imposing Procedures for Access to SUNSI. [NRC-2014-0168]