

INFORMATION REPORT

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For: The Commissioners

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**Office of Administration (ADM)
Items of Interest
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Radioactive Effluent Database

On September 4, 2014, Interagency Agreement Number NRC-HQ-20-14-I-0010 was awarded to Oak Ridge National Laboratory, of Oak Ridge, Tennessee. The laboratory will provide NRC staff with assistance in producing the annual radiological effluent reports for calendar years 2010 through 2017 in accordance with SRM-SECY-06-0212, "Preparation of Annual Reports on Radioactive Materials Released in Gaseous and Liquid Effluents and in Solid Wastes Shipped for Disposal by Commercial Nuclear Power Plants." The period of performance is from September 4, 2014, through July 31, 2019. The agreement ceiling amount is \$773,889.00.

Consolidation of Post- Fukushima Near Term Task Force (NTTF) Recommendations Rulemaking

On September 4, 2014, as a result of a non-competitive solicitation, Order Number NRC-HQ-20-14-O-0002 was issued against Blanket Purchase Agreement Number NRC-HQ-11-A-42-0028, to ICF Incorporated, LLC of Fairfax, Virginia. The contractor will provide assistance in the development of regulatory products needed to support the consolidated rulemaking activities related to Near Term Task Force Recommendations. The period of performance is September 4, 2014, through October 31, 2017. The order ceiling amount is \$599,930.

Cisco Networking Equipment and Related Support

On September 5, 2014, as a result of a competitive solicitation, firm-fixed-price Task Order Number NRC-HQ-40-14-T-0001 was awarded under National Aeronautics and Space Administration Scientific and Engineering Workstation Procurement IV Contract Number NNG07DA22B to Blue Tech, Incorporated, of San Diego, California. The contractor will provide CISCO video-teleconferencing Codecs, CISCO ISDN Link units and 3 years of CISCO SmartNet Services. The period of performance is September 30, 2014, through November 30, 2017. The task order price is \$340,170.36.

Secure Fax Machines for Office of Nuclear Security and Incident Response (NSIR)

On September 8, 2014, as a result of a sole source solicitation, firm-fixed-price Order Number NRC-HQ-11-14-T-0001 was awarded under Contract Number GS35F0512J to Gateway Fax Systems, Inc., located in Chesterfield, Virginia. The contractor shall procure 70 Brother Model 390 secure fax machines for NSIR to replace its legacy secure fax machines. The period of performance is September 19, 2014, through September 18, 2015. The total price is \$170,608.20.

Headquarters Video-conferencing Equipment Replacement and Related Support

On September 8, 2014, as a result of a competitive solicitation firm-fixed-price Order Number NRC-HQ-40-14-T-0001 was awarded under Contract Number GS35FF0511T to Presidio Networked Solutions, located in Greenbelt, Maryland. The contractor shall procure 20 CISCO SX80 CODECs Kits and provide 1 year of related SmartNet Service. This equipment purchase is part of a lifecycle replacement for the NRC headquarters video teleconferencing infrastructure. The period of performance is September 22, 2014, through September 22, 2015. The total price is \$229,675.00.

Technical Assistance for Indefinite License Terms for Non-Power Production and Utilization Facilities Rulemaking

On September 9, 2014, as a result of a non-competitive solicitation, Order Number NRC-HQ-20-14-O-0001 was issued against Blanket Purchase Agreement Number NRC-HQ-11-A-42-0028, to ICF Incorporated, LLC of Fairfax, Virginia. The contractor will provide technical assistance in development of rulemaking to establish indefinite license terms for non-power production and utilization facilities. The period of performance is September 9, 2014, through December 31, 2017. The order ceiling amount is \$1,111,425.

Technical Training Center (TTC) Simulator Maintenance

On September 9, 2014, as a result of a competitive small-business set-aside solicitation, firm fixed-price Contract Number NRC-HQ-84-14-C-0006 was awarded to Engineering Support Personnel, Inc., of Orlando, Florida. The contractor will provide simulator hardware maintenance support for simulators located at NRC's TTC in Chattanooga, Tennessee. The period of performance is September 30, 2014, through September 29, 2015, with four 1-year option periods. The total price is \$2,343,544.00, inclusive of all options.

TTC Simulator Rehost and Related Support

On September 9, 2014, as a result of a full and open competitive solicitation, firm-fixed-price Contract Number NRC-HQ-84-14-C-0008 was awarded to GSE Power Systems, Inc., of Sykesville, Maryland. The contractor will provide and install new simulator system hardware and software and related training for the Combustion Engineering and Babcock and Wilcox simulators located at the TTC in Chattanooga, Tennessee. The period of performance is September 30, 2014, through September 29, 2015, with four 1-year option periods. The total price is \$2,215,742.51, inclusive of all options.

Headquarters Video-conferencing Equipment Replacement and Related Support

On September 9, 2014, as a result of a competitive solicitation firm-fixed-price Order Number NRC-HQ-40-14-T-0001 was awarded under Contract Number GS35F0791N to New Tech Solutions, located in Fremont, California. The contractor shall procure video-conferencing bridge equipment upgrades and provide 3 years of related SmartNet Service. This equipment purchase is part of a lifecycle replacement for the NRC HQ VTC infrastructure. The period of performance is October 1, 2014, through September 30, 2017. The total price is \$328,397.63.

List of Approved Spent Fuel Storage Casks: Holtec International HI-STORM Underground Maximum Capacity (UMAX) Canister Storage System, Certificate of Compliance (CoC) No. 1040; Direct Final Rule; 10 CFR Part 72 (RIN 3150-AJ42; NRC-2014-0120)

On September 9, 2014, NRC published a document in the *Federal Register* ([79 FR 53281](#)) amending its spent fuel storage regulations by adding the Holtec International HI-STORM UMAX Canister Storage System, CoC No. 1040, to the “List of approved spent fuel storage casks.” A companion proposed rule was published in the same issue of the *Federal Register* ([79 FR 53352](#)). The final rule is effective November 24, 2014.

Office of the Chief Human Capital Officer (OCHCO)
Items of Interest
Week Ending September 12, 2014

Arrivals		
NONE		
Retirements		
NONE		
Departures		
BOYLE, ANNA	STUDENT MANAGEMENT ANALYST	OIG
WINGBACH, JACOB	RESIDENT INSPECTOR (OWR)	R-IV

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Office of the Executive Director for Operations (OEDO)
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The Office of the Executive Director for Operations (EDO) Decision on Differing Professional Opinion (DPO) 2013-002 Appeal: Diablo Canyon Seismic Issues (DPO 2013-002)

On September 9, 2014, the EDO issued a decision on the appeal of DPO 2013-002, concerning seismic issues at the Diablo Canyon Nuclear Power Plant (DCNPP). The EDO's decision on the appeal supported both the DPO panel's independent technical conclusions and subsequent Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation Director's decision that there was not a significant or immediate concern with seismic safety at DCP, and that the licensee and staff had followed appropriate processes for technical specification operability of plant equipment and Title 10 Code of Federal Regulations 50.59 evaluations with a reasonable technical and safety rationale. The EDO noted that the DPO raised awareness of the complexity of the DCNPP seismic licensing basis, but also illustrated the need for the agency to ensure there are clear guidelines for staff and licensees regarding how changes in natural hazards should be evaluated for all licensees. The public records for this DPO are available in the DPO case file package in the Agencywide Document Access and Management System, Accession No. ML14252A743.

**Office of Information Services (OIS)
Items of Interest
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Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) and Privacy Act (PA) Requests and Appeals Received
During the Period of September 5 – September 11, 2014:

Copy of full Material Licensing Tracking System (MLTS) list	FOIA/PA-2014-0468
Most recent copy of the MLTS Database (active and retired facilities)	FOIA/PA-2014-0469
Access to and complete copies of the 12 listed reports from the Office of the Inspector General, closed during calendar year 2013	FOIA/PA-2014-0470
Office of Investigations Report No. 2-2013-0404	FOIA/PA-2014-0471
All emergency planning records received after October 1, 2004, by licensee for the Vogtle nuclear plant	FOIA/PA-2014-0472
Office of Investigations investigation Case No. 2-2012-031	FOIA/PA-2014-0473
Copy of Regulatory Guide 1.214 entitled "Response Strategies for Potential Aircraft Threats"	FOIA/PA-2014-0474
Copies of all remediation plans, radiology surveys, test results, and inspections reports pertaining to the Attleboro facility, between 1981 and 1997	FOIA/PA-2014-0475
Copy of initial FOIA request #2011-0033 and all released records	FOIA/PA-2014-0476
Records of all nuclear reactors (active and non-active) in Washington State, 2000-current	FOIA/PA-2014-0477
All requests for qualifications and proposals that relate to firearms, 2013-current	FOIA/PA-2014-0478
Index of all press/media releases, 2005-current	FOIA/PA-2014-0479
All emergency planning records received after October 1, 2004, from licensee for the Quad Cities nuclear plant	FOIA/PA-2014-0480
Copy of Senior Reactor Operator License	FOIA/PA-2014-0481

**Office of the Secretary (SECY)
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Document Released to Public	Date	Subject
Decision Documents		
1. SECY-14-0089	09/09/2014	Fresh Assessment of Foreign Ownership, Control, or Domination of Utilization Facilities (<i>Encl. 7, 9, 10 were not released to public – non-public</i>)
2. Staff Requirements Memorandum - SECY-14-0078	09/09/2014	Analysis and Recommendation on Consideration of New Agency Position to Direct Public Concerns
3. Commission Voting Record - SECY-14-0078	09/09/2014	Analysis and Recommendation on Consideration of New Agency Position to Direct Public Concerns
Information Papers		
1. SECY-14-0096	09/09/2014	Weekly Information Report – Week Ending August 29, 2014
2. SECY-14-0093	09/11/2014	Annual Report of The Committee to Review Generic Requirements Review Activities
3. SECY-14-0098	09/12/2014	Weekly Information Report – Week Ending September 5, 2014

Commission Correspondence

1. Letter to the President and Congress dated 09/05/14, provides the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's Strategic Plan for fiscal years 2014 - 2018

Federal Register Notices Issued

1. Atomic Safety and Licensing Board Notice of Hearing and Initial Scheduling Order - James Chaisson (IA-14-025-EA)
2. Final Rule on Continued Storage of Spent Nuclear Fuel 10 CFR Part 51