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NOTIFICATION OF THE OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT ON SA-112 EMERGENCY  
SUSPENSION (STC-20-080):

**Purpose:** This communication serves to inform the National Materials Program (NMP) community that the Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards (NMSS) State Agreements (SA) procedure SA-112, *Emergency Suspension of 274b. Agreement*, has been revised and to solicit comments from the NMP community prior to SA-112 being issued.

**Background:** SA-112, *Emergency Suspension of 274b Agreement*, describes the process the NRC will use to temporarily suspend an Agreement State's 274b. agreement. This action will take place in the unlikely event an emergency affects an Agreement State program and requires immediate action to protect public health, safety, and security. SA-112, *Emergency Suspension of 274b. Agreement*, is subject to routine update and was previously revised in March 2014. This procedure is not part of the Integrated Materials Performance Evaluation Program (IMPEP) nor has it ever been implemented.

**Discussion:** This letter notifies the NMP community that SA-112 has been revised and issued for comment. Comments are due by 60 days from date of letter. Once the comments have been resolved, the procedure will be finalized and issued. SA-112 is not part of IMPEP and as a result will not be an 'interim' procedure. The revised procedure is being issued to the NMP community to solicit comments before finalizing SA-112<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> This information request has been approved by OMB 3150-0029 expiration February 28, 2022. The estimated burden per response to comply with this voluntary collection is approximately 4 hours. Send comments regarding the burden estimate to the Information Services Branch, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, or by e-mail to [infocollects.resource@nrc.gov](mailto:infocollects.resource@nrc.gov), and to OMB Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs (3150-0029), Attn: Desk Officer for the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, 725 17th Street, NW Washington, DC 20503; e-mail: [oir\\_submission@omb.eop.gov](mailto:oir_submission@omb.eop.gov). An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and that a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Please provide comments to Joe O'Hara at ([Joe.OHara@nrc.gov](mailto:Joe.OHara@nrc.gov)).

The draft procedure can be found in NRC's Agencywide Document Access Management System (ADAMS) at [ML20090A370](#) or on the State Communications Portal.

If you have any questions regarding this correspondence, please contact me at (301) 415-9967 or Joe O'Hara at ([Joe.OHara@nrc.gov](mailto:Joe.OHara@nrc.gov)) or (240) 808-0546.

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