

**Exhibit 9**

**NRC SPECIAL SALARY SCHEDULE 2018**

**Resident Inspector**

**Locations: Nationwide**

**Effective January 7, 2018**

**Annual Rates by Grade and Step**

<b>Grade</b>	<b>Step 1</b>	<b>Step 2</b>	<b>Step 3</b>	<b>Step 4</b>	<b>Step 5</b>	<b>Step 6</b>	<b>Step 7</b>	<b>Step 8</b>	<b>Step 9</b>	<b>Step 10</b>	<b>Step Interval</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>67,214</b>	<b>68,983</b>	<b>70,752</b>	<b>72,521</b>	<b>74,290</b>	<b>76,059</b>	<b>77,828</b>	<b>79,597</b>	<b>81,366</b>	<b>83,135</b>	<b>1,769</b>
<b>12</b>	<b>76,322</b>	<b>78,440</b>	<b>80,558</b>	<b>82,676</b>	<b>84,794</b>	<b>86,912</b>	<b>89,030</b>	<b>91,148</b>	<b>93,266</b>	<b>95,384</b>	<b>2,118</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>83,191</b>	<b>85,712</b>	<b>88,233</b>	<b>90,754</b>	<b>93,275</b>	<b>95,796</b>	<b>98,317</b>	<b>100,838</b>	<b>103,359</b>	<b>105,880</b>	<b>2,521</b>
<b>14</b>	<b>98,307</b>	<b>101,286</b>	<b>104,265</b>	<b>107,244</b>	<b>110,223</b>	<b>113,202</b>	<b>116,181</b>	<b>119,160</b>	<b>122,139</b>	<b>125,118</b>	<b>2,979</b>

Establishes the special salary schedule for NRC Resident Inspector Program personnel in scientific and technical positions who are duty stationed at a reactor or nuclear facility site, and includes Construction Resident Inspectors who are duty stationed at a licensee site.

Grade 11 is based on the OPM Special Salary Rate Table 0422 for Engineers (Electrical/Electronic/Nuclear) Worldwide. Grade 12 is based on a 1.4% across the board adjustment to the 2017 rate. Grades 13 and 14 are extrapolated from the General Grade Salary Table (Exhibit 1).

Employees paid from this schedule receive full locality adjustments for the appropriate locality pay area (refer to Exhibits A through F).