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NRC TO HOLD WORKSHOP SEPTEMBER 29 IN MARYLAND ON ACCEPTABLE RADIATION LEVELS AFTER SHUTDOWN

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission will hold a workshop September 29 in Rockville, Maryland, to discuss a proposed regulation on acceptable radiation levels when a nuclear facility permanently shuts down and is released for other uses.

The workshop will be held from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in the NRC Auditorium, Two White Flint North, 11545 Rockville Pike. It will provide information and training on methods for implementing the rule and demonstrating that a particular site does not exceed the acceptable radiation levels for license termination. Members of the public will be given information on use of the World Wide Web computerized system to interact with the NRC staff on development of this implementation guidance.

The NRC staff will also discuss major issues identified in public comments on the proposed rule, which was published in the Federal Register on August 24, 1994.