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**Subject:** Review of Final "As Published" New Mexico Radiation Protection Regulations

Cardelia,

As you requested, this is our request for a final review of our amendments to 20 NMAC 3.1 (New Mexico Radiation Protection Regulations) which became final on July 30 1999.

Revisions to our regulations included Subpart 1, Section 106-Definitions; Subpart 3, Sections: 311-Financial Assurance and Record Keeping For Decommissioning, 315-Special Requirements for a Specific License to Manufacture, Assemble, Repair, or Distribute Commodities, Products or Devices Which Contain Radioactive Material, 318-Expiration and Termination of Licenses and Decommissioning of Sites and Separate Buildings or Outdoor Areas, and 325-Preparation of Radioactive Material for Transport; Subpart 4, Sections: 413-Dose Limits for Individual Members of the Public, 423-Use of Individual Respiratory Protection Equipment, 438-Transfer for Disposal and Manifests, 440- Records/General Provisions, 457-Notifications and Reports to Individuals, 466-Appendix G, Requirements for Transfers of Low-Level Radioactive Waste Intended for Disposal at Licensed Land Disposal Facilities and Manifests; Subpart 7, Medical Use of Radionuclides, Sections: 700-General Regulatory Requirements, 701-Definitions, 702-General Administrative Requirements, 703-General Technical Requirements, 704-Unsealed Radioactive Material for Uptake, Dilution, and Excretion Studies, 705-Unsealed Radioactive Material For Imaging and Localization Studies, 708-Use of Unsealed Radioactive Material For Therapeutic Administration, 709-Sources for Brachytherapy, 710-Teletherapy, and 712-Training and Experience Requirements; Subpart 10, Section 1002-Instructions to Workers; Subpart 13, Sections 1305-Specific Technical Information, and 1334-Maintenance of Records, Reports, and Transfers.

These regulations were revised in response to the 11 amendments identified in the Regulation Assessment Tracking System Data Sheet. These regulations are to be equivalent to NRC regulations in 10 CFR Sections 19, 20, 30, 32, 35, 40, 61, 70, and 71. The New Mexico Radiation Protection Regulations can be accessed on our web site, [www.nmenv.state.nm.us](http://www.nmenv.state.nm.us). Table of contents is on left side of screen, click on "Regulations & Permitting" then click on Environmental Protection Regulations, page down to and click on "20.3 Radiation Protection", click on "Radiation Licensing--20 NMAC 3.1, page down to table of contents and regulations.

Any questions, contact Bill Floyd (505-827-1862) as I will be out of the office till the end of June 2000.

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