

November 14, 2000

Lt. Tommy Parra
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Dear Lt. Parra:

This is in response to your letter dated September 28, 2000 requesting information on NRC's training program under the Federal Domestic Catalog. NRC no longer funds training for States under this program.

However, we continue to make training available to personnel of State and local governments, although, funding for training and attendance is handled in a different manner. State and local personnel may attend training courses on: (1) a priority basis paying the tuition and travel expenses to attend the course or; (2) a space available basis by paying only the travel expense. State staff of Agreement State regulatory programs also have first priority. Other State and local staff (e.g non-Agreement State staff or non-regulatory staff in Agreement States) are accepted only after all Agreement State staff have been accommodated and after their attendance can be related to an NRC statutory responsibility..

We are enclosing our 2001 training schedule and our training application. If you have questions regarding our training and the qualifications to attend the training, please contact Brenda Usilton at 301-415-2348.

Sincerely,

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Paul H. Lohaus, Director
Office of State and Tribal Programs

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