

From: Gwendolyn Davis
To: INET: STP-ANNOUNCEMENTS@NRC.GOV
Date: Wed, Apr 4, 2001 6:03 PM
Subject: STP-01-031

RE: DRAFT RULE -- 100 PERCENT FEE RECOVERY FOR FISCAL YEAR 2001

ALL AGREEMENT STATES LETTER STP-01-031 IS CONTAINED IN THE ATTACHED ELECTRONIC FILE.

NOTE: THE OFFICE OF STATE AND TRIBAL PROGRAMS ALL AGREEMENT STATES LETTERS WILL

BE POSTED AT THE STP WEB SITE (<http://www.hsr.d.ornl.gov/nrc/home.html>) AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

PROBLEMS SHOULD BE REPORTED TO JIM MYERS, jhm@nrc.gov.

CC: Glenda Jackson; James Turdici; Robert Carlson; Spiros Droggitis

April 4, 2001

**ALL AGREEMENT STATES
MINNESOTA, PENNSYLVANIA, WISCONSIN**

**PROGRAM INFORMATION: DRAFT RULE -- 100 PERCENT FEE RECOVERY FOR
FISCAL YEAR 2001 (STP-01-031)**

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) would like to inform the Agreement States of a proposed rulemaking to 10 CFR Parts 170 and 171 regarding the licensing, inspection, and annual fees to recover approximately 100 percent of its fiscal year (FY) 2001 budget authority. The amendments are necessary in order to implement the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1990 (OBRA-90), which mandates that NRC recover approximately 100 percent of its budget authority, less the amount appropriated from the Department of Energy administered Nuclear Waste Fund. The final rule will assess fees to those Agreement States licensees who perform work in Non-Agreement States under the reciprocity provisions of 10 CFR 150.20. The proposed rule was published in the *Federal Register* on March 28, 2001 (66 FR 16982) and a copy was sent to each State under separate cover. The Federal Register (FR) notice requests comments by April 27, 2001.

The proposed rule has modified the fee for reciprocity. The discussion of the change can be found on page 7 of the mailing and page 16984 in the FR. You may wish to inform your licensees of this change.

Please inform your licensees of the final fee rule and how they can access it. If you have any questions regarding this notice, please contact the individual listed below.

POINT OF CONTACT:	Glenda Jackson	INTERNET:	gcj@nrc.gov
TELEPHONE:	(301)415-6057	FAX:	(301)415-5387

**/RA by Dennis Sollenberger for/
Frederick C. Combs, Deputy Director
Office of State and Tribal Programs**

STP-01-031

Distribution:

DIR RF DCD (SP03) PDR (YES)
 SDroggitis
 JTurdici, OCFO
 RCarlson, OCFO
 GJackson, OCFO
 Agreement State File

DOCUMENT NAME: G:\DMS\STP-01-031.wpd

To receive a copy of this document, indicate in the box: "C" = Copy without attachment/enclosure "E" = Copy with attachment/enclosure "N" = No copy

OFFICE	STP	STP:DD						
NAME	DSollenberger:gd	FCombs						
DATE	04/04/01	04/04/01						

STP-A-4