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**PERSONNEL CHANGES IN THE OFFICE OF STATE AND TRIBAL PROGRAMS
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Effective September 16, 2002, Spiros Droggitis has accepted a position as a Special Assistant for Commissioner Jeffrey Merrifield. Mr. Droggitis joined the NRC in 1979 as a Congressional Affairs Officer in the Office of Congressional Affairs. He subsequently served on the staff of Commissioner James K. Asselstine as his Special Assistant from 1982 until 1987. In 1987, Mr. Droggitis joined State, Local and Indian Tribe Programs in the Office of Governmental and Public Affairs. His most recent position has been Senior Intergovernmental Programs Analyst in the Office of State and Tribal Programs where he has been responsible for NRC's liaison with State, local and Tribal Governments. Please join me in congratulating Mr. Droggitis on his new appointment.

Ms. Shawn Smith has joined the Office of State and Tribal Programs staff as a health physicist, effective June 24, 2002. Ms. Smith comes to her new position from Alabama Agricultural and Mechanical University where she earned her B.S. in Physics in 2002. Her work experience includes work as an engineering associate at the NASA Marshall Space Flight Center. Ms. Smith can be reached at 301-415-2620. Her Internet address is SRS3@NRC.GOV.

Mr. Andrew Mauer has joined the Office of State and Tribal Programs staff as a health physicist, effective August 19, 2002. Mr. Mauer comes to his new position from Georgia Institute of Technology where he earned his M.S. in Nuclear Engineering in 2002. His work experience includes work as a nuclear engineering intern with Veridian Corporation. Mr. Mauer can be reached at 301-415-3384. His Internet address is ANM@NRC.GOV.

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