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NRC ADMINISTRATIVE LETTER 94-13, REVISION 2: ACCESS TO NUCLEAR REGULATORY
COMMISSION BULLETIN BOARD
SYSTEMS

Addressees

All NRC licensees.

Purpose

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is issuing this administrative letter revision to give addressees updated information about the availability of NRC bulletin board systems (BBSs) and list server systems. This administrative letter does not transmit or imply any new or changed requirements or staff positions. No specific action or written response is required.

Background

The NRC issued Administrative Letter 94-13 and 94-13 Revision 1, "Access to Nuclear Regulatory Commission Bulletin Board Systems," dated September 13, 1994 and June 29, 1995 respectively, to inform addressees of the availability of NRC BBSs containing the Standard Technical Specifications, NRC generic communications, and files on several other subjects. Recently, the NRC initiated list server systems which may deliver electronic information directly to interested recipients.

Discussion

The NRC operates several subsystems on the Federal Government Fedworld BBS, which is operated by the National Technical Information Service (NTIS). The names of the NRC subsystems on Fedworld, the information they contain, and their associated NRC contacts are presented in Attachment 1. The NRC also operates some stand-alone systems (i.e., not on, but accessible from, Fedworld). The names of these systems, the information they contain, and their associated NRC contacts are in a table on Attachment 2. Information on accessing the various BBSs is given in Attachment 3. Except for the Bibliographic Retrieval System, new users to each system establish their own password when they first log on to the system. Information on obtaining a password for the Bibliographic Retrieval System is given in a footnote to Attachment 3.

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Users who access any of these systems through a modem should set their communications parameters as follows:

- bits/character 8
- parity N
- number of stop bits 1
- full duplex

Users should know (1) the protocol their telecommunications software will use for downloading files, e.g., zmodem, and (2) the command(s) necessary to initiate a file transfer using their software.

Although every effort is made to ensure that the information on each BBS is accurate, documents obtained from them are not official documents. Every user explicitly acknowledges that all information obtained from the BBSs is provided "as is" without warranty of any kind, either expressed or implied, including, but not limited to, the implied warranties of merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose and that the entire risk of acting on information obtained from the BBSs, including the entire cost of all necessary remedies, is with those who choose to act on such information and not with the operators of the BBSs.

In addition to the BBSs, NRC maintains a list server system with a number of lists that the public may subscribe to via electronic mail transmitted over the internet. There is no charge for subscribing to any of the lists. Some of the lists are moderated and only accept messages from the list managers. Other lists are unmoderated and accept messages from all subscribers. Both types distribute messages sent to the list to all list subscribers.

NRC-moderated lists include (1) a daily report consisting of the plant status report, event notifications, and the NRC morning report; (2) NRC generic communications; and (3) NRC press releases. These lists are named DR-NRR, GC-NRR, and PR-OPA, respectively.

An unmoderated list, TS-NRR, is used to exchange information on technical specifications (TS) between the NRC, licensees, and the public. This list serves as a forum for the discussion of suggested changes to NRC standard TS (STS), including the format of STS as WordPerfect documents and nonproprietary formats such as the standard generalized markup language (SGML). The NRC Technical Specifications Branch is examining the feasibility of using SGML for TS documents. The list is also a discussion forum for issues on converting plant TS to the guidance provided by the STS. The names of all of the lists, their contents and an NRC contact are shown in a table on Attachment 2.

To subscribe to any of these lists, send an e-mail message to

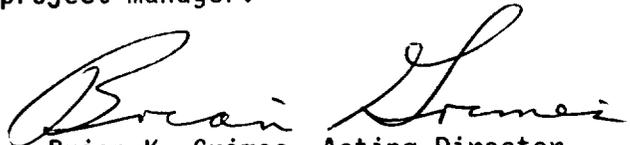
listproc@nrc.gov, no subject, with the following message:

subscribe <list-name> <your first and last name>

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Attachments:

1. NRC Bulletin Board Subsystems on Fedworld
2. NRC Stand-Alone Bulletin Board Systems and List Server Systems
3. Access to the Bulletin Board Systems
4. List of Recently Issued NRC Administrative Letters

NRC SUBSYSTEMS (BULLETIN BOARDS) ON FEDWORLD

SUBSYSTEM	CONTENTS	CONTACT/PHONE/ INTERNET ADDRESS
Enhanced Participatory Rulemaking	NRC rulemakings in progress plus draft NUREG-series documents and regulatory guides and the opportunity to provide comments	Christine Daily (301) 415-6026 cxd@nrc.gov, or Carol Gallagher (301) 415-5905 cag@nrc.gov
Public Petitions	Status of pending petitions under 10 CFR 2.206	Thomas Dunning (301) 415-1189 tgd@nrc.gov
Enforcement Program	Information on the NRC enforcement program and the opportunity to provide comments	Thomas Dunning (301) 415-1189 tgd@nrc.gov
Health Physics	NRC staff positions on regulatory requirements and guidance for radiation protection	Jim Wigginton (301) 415-1059 jlw@nrc.gov, or Roger Pedersen (301) 415-3162 rlpl@nrc.gov
Generic Communications	NRC bulletins, generic letters, information notices, administrative letters, and circulars from 1971 to the present	Jim Shapaker (301) 415-1151 jws@nrc.gov
Public Document Room Bulletin Board	Selected types of publicly released documents related to NRC licensing and rulemaking activities such as SECYs, SRMs, Commission meeting transcripts, preliminary notifications, advisory committee meetings, daily reports, and <u>Federal Register</u> notices. Posted for 30 days.	M. Kim Basile (202) 634-3381 pdr@nrc.gov
Press Releases, Speeches, and Special Announcements	NRC press releases, speeches, and other items of interest for the last two weeks	Gladys Ordaz (301) 415-8200 opa@nrc.gov

NRC STAND-ALONE SYSTEMS (BULLETIN BOARDS)
 (Accessible from Fedworld)

SYSTEM	CONTENTS	CONTACT/PHONE/ INTERNET ADDRESS
Tech Specs Plus	Improved standard technical specifications for each of the power reactor vendors, NRC Inspection Manual, and other information	Thomas Dunning (301) 415-1189 tgd@nrc.gov
Public Meeting Notice System	Upcoming staff meetings open to the public, Commission meetings, advisory committee meetings, or licensing board hearings (see the Public Document Room Bulletin Board for full texts)	Jona Souder (301) 415-7170 jls3@nrc.gov
Bibliographic Retrieval System	Searchable records of documents available through the NRC Public Document Room with full text of selected documents and comprehensive descriptive citations. Includes full text documents initially posted on the PDR Bulletin Board	M. Kim Basile (202) 634-3381 pdr@nrc.gov

NRC LIST SERVER SYSTEMS

LIST NAME	CONTENTS	CONTACT/PHONE/ INTERNET ADDRESS
DR-NRR	A daily report of plant status, event notifications, and NRC morning reports	Eric Benner (301) 415-1171 ejb@nrc.gov John Tappert (301) 415-1167 jrt@nrc.gov
GC-NRR	New NRC generic communications	Jim Shapaker (301) 415-1151 jws@nrc.gov
PR-OPA	NRC press releases, speeches, and other items of interest	Gladys Ordaz (301) 415-1151 opa@nrc.gov
TS-NRR	Exchange of information on technical specifications (TS) between NRC, licensees, and the public also a discussion forum on suggested changes to NRC standard TS	Thomas Dunning (301) 415-1189 tgd@nrc.gov

ACCESS TO THE BULLETIN BOARD SYSTEMS

Bulletin Board System	Access Method(s)
Fedworld	1. Modem (703) 321-3339 for all parts of Fedworld 2. Modem (800) 303-9672 ¹ for NRC systems <u>only</u> 3. Telnet access via Internet - fedworld.gov 4. File transfer protocol (FTP) site access via Internet - ftp.fedworld.gov 5. World Wide Web (home page) - www.fedworld.gov
Fedworld Help Desk	1. Voice (703) 487-4608 2. E-mail through Internet - helpdesk@fedworld.gov
Enhanced Participatory Rulemaking	From the NRC Main Menu on Fedworld, select (C)
Public Petitions	From the NRC Main Menu on Fedworld, select (O) to reach the NRC Subsystems Menu, then select (A)
Enforcement Program	From the NRC Main Menu on Fedworld, select (O) to reach the NRC Subsystems Menu, then select (B)
Health Physics	From the NRC Main Menu on Fedworld, select (O) to reach the NRC Subsystems Menu, then select (C)
Generic Communications	From the NRC Main Menu on Fedworld, select (O) to reach the NRC Subsystems Menu, then select (D), then (F)
Public Document Room Bulletin Board	1. From the NRC Main Menu on Fedworld, select (O) to reach the NRC Subsystems Menu, then select (E) 2. NRC-PDR Library List direct ftp access - ftp://ftp.fedworld.gov/pub/nrc-pdr/nrc-pdr.htm
Press Releases, Speeches and Special Announcements	From the NRC Main Menu on Fedworld, select (N)
Tech Specs Plus	1. From the NRC Main Menu on Fedworld, select (D) to reach the Gateway Menu, then select (A) 2. Direct access (not Fedworld) by modem (800) 679-5784 ¹ 3. Direct access (not Fedworld) by modem (301) 415-1178
Public Meeting Notice System	1. From the NRC Main Menu on Fedworld, select (D) to reach the Gateway Menu, then select (B) 2. Direct access (not Fedworld) by modem (800) 952-9676 ¹ 3. Direct access (not Fedworld) by modem (301) 415-5088
Bibliographic Retrieval System ²	1. From the NRC Main Menu on Fedworld, select (D) to reach the Gateway Menu, then select (C) 2. Direct access (not Fedworld) by modem (800) 270-2787 ¹ 3. Direct access (not Fedworld) by modem (202) 634-1421

¹ 800 numbers will only work within the U.S.

² A password is required for this system. Please contact the Public Document Room at (800) 397-4209 (inside the U.S. only), (202) 634-3273, or e-mail through Internet at pdr@nrc.gov to obtain a password.

LIST OF RECENTLY ISSUED
 NRC ADMINISTRATIVE LETTERS

Administrative Letter No.	Subject	Date of Issuance	Issued to
96-01	Operator Licensing National Examination Schedule	01/09/96	All holders of OLs or CPs for nuclear power reactors.
95-06	Relocation of Technical Specification Administrative Controls Related to Quality Assurance	12/12/95	All holders of OLs or CPs for nuclear power reactors.
95-05	Revisions to Staff Guidance for Implementing NRC Policy on Notices of Enforcement Discretion	11/07/95	All holders of OLs or CPs for nuclear power reactors.
95-04	NRC Program Office responsibilities for Decommissioning Activities and Planning for Dry Cask Storage of Spent Fuel	11/07/95	All holders of OLs & CPs for nuclear power reactors.
95-03	Availability of Reactor Vessel Integrity Database	08/04/95	All holders of OLs or CPs for nuclear power reactors.
94-13, Rev. 1	Access to Nuclear Regulatory Commission Bulletin Board Systems	06/29/95	All NRC licensees.
95-02	Cost Beneficial Licensing Actions	02/23/95	All holders of OLs or CPs for nuclear power reactors.
95-01, Supp. 1	Change in Commercial Telephone and Facsimile Numbers at Nuclear Regulatory Commission Headquarters	02/02/95	All NRC licensees.
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94-17	Addressing Correspondence to the NRC	12/15/94	All holders of OLs or CPs for nuclear power reactors.

OL = Operating License
 CP = Construction Permit

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