September 25, 2003

MEMORANDUM TO: Michael T. Lesar, Chief

Rules and Directives Branch
Division of Administrative Services

Office of Administration

FROM: Charlotte Abrams, Acting Chief /RA/

Rulemaking and Guidance Branch

Division of Industrial and

Medical Nuclear Safety, NMSS

SUBJECT: DIRECT FINAL RULE: LIST OF APPROVED SPENT FUEL

STORAGE CASKS: STANDARDIZED NUHOMS®-24P. -52B.

-61BT, AND -24PHB, REVISION

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## Attachments:

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