

FY 2003 SIGNIFICANT BURDEN CHANGES

Reductions:

Changing Regulations

OMB #: 3150-0171

Title: 10 CFR Part 35, Quality Management Program and Misadministrations

Purpose of the Collection:

The NRC required licensees to implement a quality management program to provide high confidence that byproduct material or radiation from byproduct material is administered as directed by an authorized user physician. Records and reports to NRC were required for certain errors in the administration of limited diagnostic and therapeutic quantities of byproduct material by medical use licensees. Collection of this information enabled the NRC to ascertain whether misadministrations were identified and investigated by the licensee and that corrective action was taken.

How Reduction Achieved:

The complete revision to 10 CFR Part 35, "Medical Use of Byproduct Material," (3150-0010) incorporated certain requirements under OMB clearance 3150-0171 into OMB clearance 3150-0010. The complete revision to Part 35 eliminated prescriptive requirements, including substantial components of the quality management rule requirements and eliminated requirements for quality management programs. Modified requirements for written directives have been retained in the revised Part 35.

Change in Burden: -34,743 hours

Cutting Redundancy

None.

Changing Forms

None.

Using Information Technology

None.

Statutory Reductions

None.

Other

None.

Increases:

Statutory Increases

None.

Other

OMB #: 3150-0003

Title: NRC Forms 741 and 741A, Nuclear Material Transaction Report, Continuation Sheet, and Instructions for Completing the Forms

Purpose of the Collection:

NRC and Agreement State licensees are required to make inventory and accounting reports on DOE/NRC Form 741 for certain source or special nuclear material inventory changes, for transfers or receipts of special nuclear material, or for transfer or receipt of 1 kilogram or more of source material. Use of DOE/NRC Form 741 enables NRC to collect, retrieve, analyze as necessary, and submit the data to IAEA to fulfill its reporting responsibilities.

Why Increase Occurred:

The estimated burden has increased because the form was revised to incorporate new fields and to incorporate an increase in time for licensees to review the revised instructions contained in NUREG/BR-0006. The form was revised in response to a directive from the State Department to capture all information needed in accordance with the international agreements with the IAEA.

Change in Burden: 18,438 hours

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OMB #: 3150-0011

Title: 10 CFR 50, Domestic Licensing of Production and Utilization Facilities

Purpose of the Collection:

10 CFR Part 50 specifies technical information and data to be provided to the NRC or maintained by applicants and licensees of nuclear power plants, research, and test reactors so that the NRC may make determinations necessary to promote the health and safety of the public in accordance with the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended.

How Reduction Achieved:

The clearance renewal for 10 CFR Part 50 incorporates the burden reduction for a final rule to update Section 50.55a to endorse more recent ASME Addendas and Editions that are less burdensome and completion of one-time requirements (-13,511 hours), and licensees' continuing conversion to the use of Standard Technical Specifications which standardize requirements and reduce the number of reports required to be submitted to NRC (-114,933 hours).

Change in Burden: -128,444 hours

OMB #: 3150-0008

Title: 10 CFR Part 71, Packaging and Transportation of Radioactive Material

Purpose of the Collection:

10 CFR Part 71 establishes requirements for packaging, preparation for shipment, and transportation of licensed material, and prescribes procedures, standards, and requirements for NRC approval of packaging and shipping procedures for fissile material and for quantities of licensed material in excess of Type A quantities.

How Reduction Achieved:

Previously the respondents included non-licensee, non-certificate holder fabricators and radiographers that are currently not considered to be respondents under the quality assurance program approvals for Part 71. Additionally, the requirement for each package to be uniquely identified

has been met, and circumstances no longer exist which require the package markings under Section 71.13 to be performed.

Change in Burden: -17,226 hours

OMB #: 3150-0104

Title: NRC Forms 366 and 366A, "Licensee Event Report and Continuation Pages"

Purpose of the Collection:

NRC collects reports of reactor events and problems that are significant on NRC Form 366 to identify and resolve threats to public safety. The reports provide information necessary for engineering studies of operational anomalies and trends and patterns analysis of operational occurrences and can also be used for other analytical procedures to aid in identifying accident precursors.

How Reduction Achieved:

A final rule, 10 CFR 50, "Modification to Event Reporting Requirements for Power Reactors," that became effective in FY2001, eliminated reporting for non-significant events and initially reduced the number of reports submitted from 1600 to 1400 and the burden by an estimated 13,500 hours. The rule change is expected to continue to reduce the number of Licensee Event Reports required to be submitted by an additional 270 annually, resulting in an additional 36,500 hour reduction.

Change in Burden: -36,500 hours

Cutting Redundancy

None.

Changing Forms

None.

Using Information Technology

None.

Statutory Reductions

None.

Other

None.

Increases:

Statutory Increases

None.

Other

OMB #: 3150-0011

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Why Increase Occurred:

The 10 CFR Part 50 clearance renewal increases the burden for Orders issued to licensees, because of the events of 9/11, that require the update of safeguards and security plans and procedures to ensure the safety of nuclear power plants (84,000 hours), and for new team inspections that would request information be provided prior to an inspection (11,382 hours).

Change in Burden: 95,382 hours

OMB #: 3150-0011

Title: 10 CFR 50, Domestic Licensing of Production and Utilization Facilities

Purpose of the Collection:

The final rule, 10 CFR Part 50.48, "Voluntary Fire Protection Requirements for Light Water Reactors, Adoption of NFPA 805 as a Risk-Informed, Performance-Based Alternative," allows licensees to adopt risk-informed, performance-based National Fire Protection Association Standard 805 as a voluntary alternative to deterministic fire protection requirements, reducing the need to submit exemption and deviation requests.

Why Increase Occurred:

Licensees choosing to adopt the standard must complete a one-time plant-wide evaluation and analyses of all plant systems to ensure that the safety basis is maintained, after which, the burden is expected to decrease.

Change in Burden: 48,556 hours