

May 13, 2005

MEMORANDUM TO: Michael T. Lesar, Chief
Rules and Directives Branch
Division of Administrative Services
Office of Administration

FROM: Scott W. Moore, Chief **/RA/**
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Division of Industrial and
Medical Nuclear Safety, NMSS

SUBJECT: DIRECT FINAL RULE: "LIST OF APPROVED SPENT FUEL
STORAGE CASKS: NUHOMS® -24P, -52B, -61BT, -32PT, -
24PHB, AND -24PTH) REVISION" (AMENDMENT NO. 8)

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Please note that the Office of the Federal Register (OFR) needs to add the effective date to pages 2, 6, and 15, and comments due date to pages 2 and 6 of the direct final rule. Also, the OFR needs to add the effective date to pages 4 and 7 and the comments due date to pages 2 and 4 of the proposed rule.

Attachments:

1. Federal Register Notice of Direct Final Rule + 11 Copies and Diskette
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4. SBREFA forms

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