

Office of Public Affairs  
Items of Interest  
Week Ending July 16, 2004

Media Interest

The Office of Public Affairs (OPA) received significant media inquiries on the following:

The U.S. Court of Appeals ruling on Yucca Mountain, and the NRC's License Support Network for Yucca-related documentation.

The rediscovery of previously "missing" spent fuel fragments at the Vermont Yankee plant.

The threatened strike at the Pilgrim plant, which was averted.

Other Public Affairs Items:

OPA staff assisted at public meetings regarding the Palo Verde, Davis-Besse and Indian Point power plants.

Press Releases	
Headquarters:	
04-085	NRC Advisory Committee on Nuclear Waste to Meet July 20-22 in Rockville, Maryland (7/14)
04-086	NRC Names Allen G. Croff to Advisory Committee on Nuclear Waste (7/15)
04-087	NRC Approves Power Uprate for Palisades (7/15)
Regions:	
I-04-037	NRC Updates Public on Indian Point Spent Fuel Storage Plans (7/15)
III-04-042	NRC to Hold Public Meeting July 21 on Decommissioning Plans for Thorium-Contaminated Sites near Bay City, Michigan (7/13)
III-04-043	NRC Special Inspection into Causes of Reactor Shutdown and Associated Equipment Problems at Clinton (7/16)

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