

Date: April 06, 2006

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION COLLECTION REQUEST

Title: 10 CFR Part 110, Export and Import of Nuclear Equipment and Material

Current Burden/Responses: 754 hours/1204 responses

Proposed Burden/Responses: 857 hours/1298 responses

Frequency of Response: On occasion

Number of Respondents: 62

Reasons for Changes in Burden/Responses:

The overall burden increased by 103 from 754 hours to 857 hours, and the number of responses by 94 from 1,204 to 1,298.

Burden Increase:

Recordkeeping Burden - Increased by 206 from 173 hours to 379 hours.

- The burden for recordkeeping increased as a result of the final rule, "Export and Import of Radioactive Materials: Security Policies," published on July 1, 2005 and effective December 28, 2005 (70 FR 37985). This rule revised 10 CFR Part 110 to require specific licenses for certain export and import shipments of radioactive materials. Under § 110.53(b), licensees must maintain records of imports and exports. The number of recordkeepers increased by 172 from 144 to 316 with a corresponding increase in burden of 1.3 hours per recordkeeper.

Total annual burden Increase: 206 hours

Burden Decrease:

Reporting Burden - Decreased by 103 from 581 hours to 478 hours.

- This decrease reflects the transfer of 78 responses and 103 burden hours from 10 CFR Part 110 (3150-0036) to NRC Form 7 (3150-0027). This transfer represents applications formerly filed by letter for import licenses, production and utilization facility export licenses, and import/export license amendments and renewals that will now be filed using NRC Form 7. This results in a decrease in responses of 78 from 1,060 to 982 and a decrease in burden of .5 hours per response.

Total annual burden decrease: 103 hours

Net Burden Change: 103 hours (206 recordkeeping hours -103 reporting hours)

Net change in responses: 94(172 - 78)

The change in cost reflects an increase in the annual labor cost for reactor and materials licensees from \$154 to \$201 per hour.

Level of Concurrence: Deputy Director
Office of International Programs Division Director

Recordkeeping Requirements in Accordance with the Retention Periods for Records/Rule: NA

Search of the Information Requirements Control Automated System (IRCAS):

There is no duplication of requirements. NRC has in place an ongoing program to examine all information collections with the goal of eliminating all duplication and/or unnecessary information collections.

Abstract: 10 CFR 110 provides application, reporting, and recordkeeping requirements for export and imports of nuclear material and equipment subject to the requirements of a specific license or a general license and exports of incidental radioactive material. The information collected and maintained pursuant to 10 CFR Part 110 enables the NRC to authorize only imports and exports which are not inimical to U.S. common defense and security and which meet applicable statutory, regulatory, and policy requirements.

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