Date: March 10, 2006

## SUMMARY OF INFORMATION COLLECTION REQUEST

<u>Title</u>: 10 CFR Part 140, Financial Protection Requirements and Indemnity Agreements (Draft OCP)

<u>Current Burden/Responses</u>: 1,382 hours/ 156 responses

<u>Proposed Burden/Responses</u>: 1,307 hours/ 151 responses

Frequency of Response: As necessary

Number of Respondents: 91

## Reasons for Changes in Burden/Responses:

The burden for this information collection has been reduced by 75 hours (5 responses @ 15 hours per response) from 1,382 hours to 1,307 hours because the Commission anticipates no reports of bodily injury or property damage arising out of or in connection with NRC-licensed activities under Section 140.6(a). The hourly cost increased from \$156 to \$201 per hour for reactor licensees.

Level of Concurrence: Director

Division of Regulatory Improvement Programs

Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulations

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

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

The collection of the information required is not a duplication of other information because the information requested is strictly related to observation or participation in NRC inspection activities. There is no source for the required information other than licensees and the nuclear insurance pools and there is no duplication of requirements. NRC has in place an on-going program to examine all information collections with the goal of eliminating all duplication and/or unnecessary information collections.

## Abstract:

10 CFR Part 140 of the NRC's regulations specifies information required to be submitted by licensees to enable the NRC to assess (a) the financial protection required of licensees and for the indemnification and limitation of liability of certain licensees and other persons pursuant to Section 170 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, and (b) the liability insurance required or uranium enrichment facility licensees pursuant to Section 193 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended.

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