MEMORANDUM TO: Luis A. Reyes

Executive Director for Operations

FROM: Stephen D. Dingbaum /RA/

Assistant Inspector General for Audits

SUBJECT: REVIEW OF NRC'S DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE PLAN

(OIG-04-A-15)

AUDIT OF NRC'S DRUG TESTING PROGRAM

(OIG-05-A-05)

REFERENCE: DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATION,

CORRESPONDENCE TO DIRECTOR, DIVISION OF WORKPLACE PROGRAMS AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION, DEPARHTEMT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

DATED APRIL 26, 2007

Attached is the Office of the Inspector General (OIG) analysis and status of the recommendations contained in the subject audit reports, as discussed in NRC correspondence to the Department of Health and Human Services dated April 26, 2007 pertaining to approval of the NRC's Drug-Free Workplace Plan. Based on this correspondence, recommendations 4, 5, and 12 contained in OIG-05-A-05 and recommendations 1, 2, and 3 contained in OIG-04- A-15 remain resolved. Please provide an updated status of these recommendations by October 25, 2007.

If you have questions or concerns, please call me at 415-5915 or Beth Serepca at 415-5911.

Attachments: As stated

cc: V. Ordaz. OEDO

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Audit Report

REVIEW OF NRC'S DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE PLAN (OIG-04-A-15)

Status of Recommendations

Recommendation 1: Revise the NRC Drug-Free Workplace Plan (Plan) to include

the deferral of testing clause from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) Model Plan for a Comprehensive Drug-Free Workplace Program.

Correspondence Dated

April 26, 2007: Enclosed is a revised copy of the NRC's Drug-Free

Workplace Pan for your [HHS'] review and approval. The Plan incorporates minor comments received from the HHS

representatives on April 23, 2007.

OIG Analysis: The proposed action addresses the issue discussed in the

report and the intent of the recommendation. This

recommendation will be closed when OIG verifies that the final updated Plan contains the deferral of testing clause.

Audit Report

REVIEW OF NRC'S DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE PLAN (OIG-04-A-15)

Status of Recommendations

Recommendation 2: Include in the NRC Drug-Free Workplace Plan (Plan)

instruction that revisions must receive approval from the U.S.

Department of Health and Human Services prior to

implementation.

Correspondence Dated

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Workplace Pan for your [HHS'] review and approval. The Plan incorporates minor comments received from the HHS

representatives on April 23, 2007.

OIG Analysis:

The proposed action addresses the issue discussed in the

report and the intent of the recommendation. This

recommendation will be closed when OIG verifies that the final updated Plan contains the provision for HHS approval

prior to revision.

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REVIEW OF NRC'S DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE PLAN (OIG-04-A-15)

Status of Recommendations

Recommendation 3: Obtain U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

approval of the NRC Drug-Free Workplace Plan (Plan) prior

to implementation.

Correspondence Dated

April 26, 2007: Enclosed is a revised copy of the NRC's Drug-Free

Workplace Pan for your [HHS'] review and approval. The Plan incorporates minor comments received from the HHS

representatives on April 23, 2007.

OIG Analysis: The proposed action addresses the issue discussed in the

report and the intent of the recommendation. This

recommendation will be closed when OIG reviews HHS's

approval of the final updated Plan.

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Status of Recommendations

Recommendation 4: Revise the categories of testing-designated positions to

include computer system administrators and individuals engaged in law enforcement activities who are authorized to

carry weapons.

Correspondence Dated

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Workplace Pan for your [HHS'] review and approval. The Plan incorporates minor comments received from the HHS

representatives on April 23, 2007.

OIG Analysis: The corrective action addresses the intent of this

recommendation. This recommendation will be closed when OIG receives verification that ADM has implemented the revised NRC Drug-Free Workplace Plan as described

above.

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Status of Recommendations

Recommendation 5: Re-evaluate categories of testing designated positions and

continue to do so biennially.

Correspondence Dated

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Workplace Pan for your [HHS'] review and approval. The Plan incorporates minor comments received from the HHS

representatives on April 23, 2007.

OIG Analysis: The corrective action addresses the intent of this

recommendation. This recommendation will be closed when OIG receives verification that ADM has implemented the revised NRC Drug-Free Workplace Plan as described

above.

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Status of Recommendations

Recommendation 12: Update the Management Directive System to include the

drug testing policy and procedures that employees are

expected to follow.

Correspondence Dated

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Workplace Pan for your [HHS'] review and approval. The Plan incorporates minor comments received from the HHS

representatives on April 23, 2007.

OIG Analysis: The corrective action addresses the intent of this

recommendation. This recommendation will be closed when OIG evaluates the revised Management Directive containing the drug testing policy and procedures that employees are

expected to follow.