

April 21, 2008

FINAL SUMMARY OF INFORMATION COLLECTION REQUEST

Title: 10 CFR PART 81, "STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE GRANTING OF PATENT LICENSES"

Current Burden/Responses: 1 hour/1 response

Proposed Burden/Responses: 1 hour/1 response

Burden Attributable to Third Party Collections: None

Frequency of Response: Occasional

Number of Respondents: 1

Reasons for Changes in Burden/Responses: This renewal represents no increase in the burden on potential respondents. Since no submittals were made nor are anticipated, the actual burden is anticipated to be zero.

Level of Concurrence: Assistant General Counsel for Legal Counsel
Legislation and Special Projects
Office of the General Counsel

Recordkeeping Requirements:
There are no recordkeeping requirements for this information collection.

Effort to Identify Duplication and Use Similar Information:
No sources of similar information are available. 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:
As specified in 10 CFR Part 81, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) may grant non-exclusive licenses or limited exclusive licenses to its patented inventions to responsible applicants. Applicants for licenses to NRC inventions are required to provide information which may provide the basis for granting the requested license. In addition, all license holders must submit periodic reports on efforts to bring the invention to a point of practical application and the extent to which they are making the benefits of the invention reasonably accessible to the public. Exclusive license holders must submit additional information if they seek to extend their licenses, issue sublicenses, or transfer the licenses. In addition, if requested, exclusive license holders must promptly supply to the Government of the United States copies of all pleadings and other papers filed in any patent infringement lawsuit, as well as evidence from proceedings relating to the licensed patent.

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