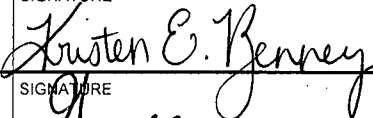



**ASSESSMENT OF PROPOSED INFORMATION COLLECTION**

<b>TO: INFORMATION MANAGEMENT COORDINATOR</b> Melissa Ralph	<b>TITLE OF INFORMATION COLLECTION REQUIREMENT</b> 10 CFR 73, Physical Protection of Plants and Materials
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THE COLLECTION OF INFORMATION ENCOMPASSED BY THIS REQUEST COMPLIES WITH 5 CFR 1320.9 AND THE RELATED PROVISIONS OF 5 CFR 1320.8(b)(3).		
THE FOLLOWING FACTORS WERE CONSIDERED IN EVALUATING THE PROPOSED INFORMATION COLLECTION REQUIREMENT. (If the response is not so, check "NO" and explain under "Remarks.")	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
1. The requirement is necessary for the proper performance of agency functions. (See SS Item 1.)	✓	
2. The requirement avoids unnecessary duplication. (See Supporting Statement Item 4.)	✓	
3. The requirement reduces burden on small entities. (See Supporting Statement Item 5.)	✓	
4. The requirement uses plain, coherent, and unambiguous language that is understandable to respondents.	✓	
5. The requirement's implementation will be consistent and compatible with current reporting and recordkeeping practices.	✓	
6. The requirement indicates the retention periods for recordkeeping requirements. (See Supporting Statement Item 1.)	✓	
7. The requirement informs respondents of the information called for under 5 CFR 1320.8(b)(3) about: (1) Why the information is being collected; (2) Use of the information; (3) Burden estimate; (4) Nature of response (voluntary, required for a benefit, or mandatory); (5) Nature and extent of confidentiality; and (6) Need to display currently valid OMB control number. (See Supporting Statement Items 1, 12, & 18.)	✓	
8. The requirement was developed by an office that has planned and allocated resources for the efficient and effective management and use of the information to be collected.	✓	
9. The requirement uses effective and efficient statistical survey methodology (if applicable). (See Supporting Statement Section B.)	n/a	
10. The requirement makes appropriate use of information technology. (See Supporting Statement Item 3.)	✓	

REMARKS

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