

Rulemaking Comments

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To Whom It May Concern:

I reviewed the above-mentioned proposed rule which directly affects the products my company has designed, manufactured and shipped to end users for more than 40 years. Should this proposed rule pass, it will most certainly have a financial impact on my company as well as the users of such equipment (General Licensees).

While I understand and agree with the need to enforce accountability of Generally Licensed Devices (GLD), I do not believe imposing high fees and specific licensing requirements is the solution. I suspect that many General Licensees will opt to dispose of the GLDs instead of pursuing the Specific Licensing strictly based on the fees.

Customers purchase our equipment due to the high reliability and energy-efficiency of gamma units. Imposing fees of this nature would certainly make any potential client reconsider their decision to purchase such equipment. My company's customer base spans from general packaging to large beverage suppliers, all of whom rely on our equipment as part of their quality inspection process.

As the proud owner of an American business, I urge you to reconsider this matter and come to a more reasonable fee schedule, one that would allow my business and current and potential General Licensees to be able to keep their businesses operating efficiently.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,
Steve M. Calhoun
President & CEO

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