



NRC UPDATE

**National Radiological Emergency Preparedness
Conference
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Overview

- Proposed EP Rulemaking and Guidance
- Revision to NUREG-0654, Supplement 3
“Guidance for Protective Action
Recommendations for General
Emergencies”
- Future Initiatives

EP Rulemaking & Guidance

#	RULEMAKING TOPIC	ONSITE GUIDANCE
1	On-Shift Multiple Responsibilities	Interim Staff Guidance
2	Emergency Action Levels for Hostile Action Events	Reg. Guide 1.101
3	Emergency Response Organization Augmentation at Alternative Facility	Interim Staff Guidance
4	Licensee Coordination with Offsite Response Organizations	Interim Staff Guidance
5	Protective Actions for Onsite Personnel	Interim Staff Guidance
6	Challenging Drills and Exercises	Interim Staff Guidance

EP Rulemaking & Guidance

#	RULEMAKING TOPIC	ONSITE GUIDANCE
7	Alert and Notification System Backup Means	Interim Staff Guidance
8	Emergency Declaration Timeliness	Interim Staff Guidance
9	Emergency Operations Facility – Performance-Based Approach	Interim Staff Guidance
10	Evacuation Time Estimate Updating	NUREG/CR-7002
11	Emergency Plan Change Process	Draft Reg. Guide 1237

Proposed EP Rulemaking and Guidance

Current Status:

- NRC Staff has received 94 submissions with 687 individual comments
- December 8, 2009 Commission briefing
- Notable issues occupying our attention

Proposed EP Rulemaking and Guidance

Remaining Milestones:

- Complete Draft Final Rule & NRC Guidance
- Coordination with FEMA
- ACRS Review
- Submit Final Rule to Commission
- Publish Final Rule & Guidance

Revision to Supplement 3 of NUREG-0654 / FEMA-REP-1

- Draft Supp 3 has been coordinated with FEMA
- Published in the Federal Register for public comment
 - 75 day comment period
- Expect to resolve comments and issue with final EP rule

Comments on Revision to Supplement 3 of NUREG-0654 / FEMA-REP-1

- Comments can be submitted at regulations.gov
 - Docket ID: **NRC-2010-0080**
- The deadline for submitting comments is **05/24/2010**

Future Initiatives

- Revision to NUREG-0654/ FEMA-REP-1
- Conducting EP Related Research
 - Performance-Based/Risk-Informed Technical Basis for EP Oversight
- National Level Exercise 2011

Summary

- Proposed EP Rulemaking and Guidance
- Revision to NUREG-0654, Supplement 3
- Open Forum