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It has come to our attention that NRC is proposing to change the requirements for fingerprinting the staff and users of research reactor facilities. The Rhode Island Nuclear Science Center stands with the rest of the National Organization of Test, Research, and Training Reactors (TRTR) community in questioning the rationale for these changes. To date, we are unaware of any events that have occurred at any of these facilities, that suggest that additional requirements are necessary, or would be of any particular value. We believe that this additional burden would further limit the interest that students and faculty will have in utilizing our facility without any significant benefit. We support the comments submitted by TRTR (NRC-2008-0619-0019) and ask that we be joined to those specific comments for resolution.

We appreciate the opportunity to provide comment on this important proposal.

Please feel free to contact me with questions.

Sincerely,

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