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General Comment

I write to support the American Physical Society's petition (Docket ID NRC-2010-0372) to change the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's rules to require Nuclear Proliferation Assessments as part of the NRC licensing process.

I support an amendment to regulations at subpart D of 10 CFR part 70, "Domestic Licensing of Special Nuclear Material," Sec. 70.22, to include the following language to be made part of an applicant's license application: Nuclear Proliferation Assessment. Each applicant for the license of an enrichment or reprocessing facility shall include an assessment of the proliferation risks that construction and operation of the proposed facility might pose. Such an assessment must be prepared in draft form and be required to be reviewed by NRC staff, recognized external experts and members of the public and that public comments be solicited and incorporated into a final version of the assessment.

With the ever present threat of terrorism, it makes the utmost sense that the NRC must exercise the maximum consideration to whether a technology change would expose this country and our people to an unnecessary security threat.

Please accept the American Physical Society's petition for a proliferation assessment be required as part of these nuclear facilities.

Thank you.

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Van,

Attached for docketing is a comment letter from Joyce Harant on the above noted PRM (75 FR 80730) that I received via the regulations.gov website on 3/01/11.

Thanks,
Carol

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