

WEEKLY REPORT TO THE COMMISSION
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Letter to Be Signed by Executive Director for Operations

On July 28, 2011, the Executive Director for Operations signed a letter to Ms. Cheri Swensson of the American Academy of Health Care Providers in the Addictive Disorders.

Ms. Swensson had requested that the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) amend its regulations at Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR), Section 26.187(b) to include the American Academy of Health Care Providers in the Addictive Disorders in Section 26.187(b)(5). The Executive Director informed Ms. Swensson that her request did not meet the acceptance criteria for a petition for rulemaking.

Ms. Swensson's request does not meet the NRC's acceptance criteria for a petition for rulemaking as outlined in 10 CFR 2.802, "Petition for Rulemaking," because it lacks the following: (1) grounds for the request; (2) a description of her interest in the requested action; and (3) supporting documentation and other pertinent information with respect to relevant technical, scientific, or other data involved which is reasonably available, and other pertinent information necessary to support the actions sought.

Ms. Swensson has been advised that she must meet the criteria in 10 CFR 2.802 within 90 days from the date of the letter. The letter to Ms. Swensson can be found in the Agencywide Documents Access and Management System at Accession No. ML111580355.