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**OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT ON INTERIM STAFF GUIDANCE REGARDING THE ENVIRONMENTAL REPORT FOR APPLICATIONS TO CONSTRUCT AND/OR OPERATE MEDICAL ISOTOPE PRODUCTION FACILITIES (NPR-ISG-2011-001) (FSME-11-070)**

**Purpose:** To provide the recipients with an opportunity to comment<sup>1, 2, 3</sup> on the proposed draft Interim Staff Guidance (ISG), NPR-ISG-2011-001, “Staff Guidance Regarding the Environmental Report for Applications to Construct and/or Operate Medical Isotope Production Facilities.”

**Background:** This Interim Staff Guidance provides guidance to the Environmental Review and Guidance Update Branch (RERB) of the Division of License Renewal (DLR), Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation on the information that should be included in the Environmental Report, which is part of an application to construct and operate a medical isotope production facility.

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<sup>1</sup> This information request has been approved by OMB 3150-0029 expiration 11/30/2013. The estimated burden per response to comply with this voluntary collection is approximately 8 hours. Send comments regarding the burden estimate to the Records and FOIA/Privacy Services Branch (T-5F52), U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, or by Internet e-mail to [infocollects@nrc.gov](mailto:infocollects@nrc.gov), and to the Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, NEOB-10202 (3150-0029), Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503. If a means used to impose an information collection does not display a currently valid OMB control number, the NRC may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, the information collection.

<sup>2</sup>This information request has been approved by OMB 3150-0163, expiration 01/31/2013. The estimated burden per response to comply with this voluntary collection is approximately 8 hours. Send comments regarding the burden estimate to the Records and FOIA/Privacy Services Branch (T-5F52), U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, or by Internet e-mail to [infocollects@nrc.gov](mailto:infocollects@nrc.gov), and to the Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, NEOB-10202 (3150-0163), Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503. If a means used to impose an information collection does not display a currently valid OMB control number, the NRC may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, the information collection.

<sup>3</sup>This information request has been approved by OMB 3150-0200, expiration 08/03/2011. The estimated burden per response to comply with this voluntary collection is approximately 8 hours. Send comments regarding the burden estimate to the Records and FOIA/Privacy Services Branch (T-5F52), U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, or by Internet e-mail to [infocollects@nrc.gov](mailto:infocollects@nrc.gov), and to the Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, NEOB-10202 (3150-0200), Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503. If a means used to impose an information collection does not display a currently valid OMB control number, the NRC may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, the information collection.

**Discussion:** The draft proposed Interim Staff Guidance document may be accessed in the Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) at <http://wba.nrc.gov:8080/ves/> with the accession number ML11116A166.

Comments may be submitted by August 4, 2011 via the *Federal Rulemaking Website* (<http://www.regulations.gov>) under Docket ID NRC–2011–0135, by mail to Cindy K. Bladey, Chief, Rules, Announcements, and Directives Branch (RADB), Division of Administrative Services, Office of Administration, Mail Stop: TWB-05-B01M, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, or by fax to RADB at (301) 492- 3446.

You may also reference the *Federal Register Notice* (<http://www.gpoaccess.gov/fr/>) issued on June 20, 2011 (FRN 2011-15227) for additional information.

If you have any questions regarding this communication, please contact me at 301-415-8722 or the individual named below.

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