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General Comment

EXTENSION REQUEST for NRC 2012-0270

NIRS requests a 30 day extension on the comment period for Draft Regulatory Guide 2012-XX Content Specifications and Shielding Evaluations for Type B Transportation Packages. The issue is technical and we are engaging one or more technical experts to assist in the evaluation of the importance of these changes overall and specifically for their impact on the potential shipment of steam generators through the Great Lakes, the impact of international shipments and the impact on containerization requirements in the US and internationally.

The Federal Register did not expressly report how the US DOT, which has joint authority over international radioactive shipments, is addressing these potential changes.

We believe that an extension to the end of January would be sufficient for us to get these evaluations and submit helpful comments.

Thank you for your consideration of this modest request.

Sincerely,

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