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SUBJECT: DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY, REQUEST FOR ALTERNATE  
DECOMMISSIONING SCHEDULE, CONTROL NO. 580151

Dear Admiral Slates:

We have completed our review of your letter dated February 21, 2013, requesting an alternate decommissioning schedule for the Naval Postgraduate School (NPS) in Monterey, CA. As discussed with CAPT Davis-Urgo of your staff during a teleconference on May 1, 2013, we have determined that additional information is required to adequately evaluate your request. Therefore we are requesting that you resubmit your request for an alternate schedule in accordance with 10 CFR 30.36. This action is taken without prejudice to the resubmission of your request and serves to close Mail Control No. 580151.

For this and any future requests for an alternate decommissioning schedule, please refer to Section 2.6 of NUREG 1757, Volume 3, Revision 1, "Consolidated NMSS Decommissioning Guidance, Financial Assurance, Recordkeeping, and Timeliness." This provides guidance for submitting sufficient information and justification for an alternative decommissioning schedule.

Current NRC regulations and guidance are included on the NRC's website at [www.nrc.gov](http://www.nrc.gov); select **Nuclear Materials; Med, Ind, & Academic Uses**; then **Licensee Toolkits**, see our **toolkit index page**. You may also obtain these documents by contacting the Government Printing Office (GPO) toll-free at 1-866-512-1800. The GPO is open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. EST, Monday through Friday (except Federal holidays).

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If you have any questions please contact Shawn Seeley at (610) 337-5102.

Sincerely,

***Original signed by Kathy Modes***

Marc S. Ferdas, Chief  
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cc:  
CAPT D. Davis-Urgo, Executive Secretary

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