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Attached is the OAS Board comments regarding the revisions to the petition for rulemaking process.

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From Vince Lombardi: "The achievements of an organization are the results of the combined effort of each individual"

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Subject: NRC-2009-0044 (10 CFR Part 2, Revision to the Petition for Rulemaking Process)

Dear Mr. McDermott;

The Organization of Agreement States (OAS) Executive Board (Board) has reviewed the above document and offers the following comments for consideration by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC).

The Board agrees with the proposed changes to 10 CFR Part 2 as published in the Federal Register. The Board recommends that the NRC publish a list of Petitions For Rulemaking (PRM) activities and make it available on the "Public Meeting & Involvement" webpage and on the FSME website. Proposed paragraphs 2.803(j)(1) and (3) explain the proposed locations where the public may view the status. These locations appear to be very "deep" on the NRC's webpage and may cause confusion to the public. By having a list similar to the "What's Due" webpage that FSME maintains would be much easier and more transparent.

We appreciate the chance to comment on this subject, and stand ready to answer any questions you may have.

Sincerely,

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