

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Summary—2nd Public Meeting
Proposed Rule to Amend Material Control and Accounting (MC&A) Regulations and the
Proposed Guidance for Fuel Cycle Facility MC&A Plans and Completing NRC Form 327,
February 5, 2014, 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM, Building 3WFN, Room 01C05

The project manager, Thomas Young (FSME), conducted the meeting. The purpose of the meeting was to continue the discussions from the meeting held on Thursday, January 9, 2014, and provide an opportunity for interested parties to ask questions about the NRC's proposed rule to revise and consolidate the NRC regulations for material control and accounting of special nuclear material and the associated proposed guidance. Thirty-four individuals attended the meeting. The meeting was not transcribed or recorded to obtain comments from the public.

The attending NRC managers and staff included FSME (Deborah Jackson, Jim Danna, Greg Trussell), NMSS (Marissa Bailey, Peter Habighorst, Tom Pham, Glenn Tuttle, Suzanne Ani), NRR (Beth Read), NSIR (Larry Harris), OGC (John Hull), and Region IV (Louis Carson).

The Nuclear Energy Institute was represented by three individuals who attended the meeting; Janet Schlueter, Andrew Mauer, and Jonathan Rund.

Individuals from industry and the public included eight individuals who attended in person; Global Nuclear Fuel (Rose Martyn), B&W (Barry Cole), Westinghouse (Wayne Sepitko, Rod Likes, Jason Zorn), AREVA (Don Parker), GE-Hitachi (James Ross), Duke Energy (Franklin Verbos), and the public (Gary Clark). Six individuals joined the meeting via webinar and teleconference; SHINE Medical Technologies (William Hennessey), Exelon (Sonja Patrick-Matthews), Duke-Energy (Tamara Reavis), First Energy Corporation (Kim Medved), Curtis Wright (Jana Bergman), and Price Waterhouse Coopers (Brooke Traynham) .

Three individuals from the Agreement States joined the meeting via webinar and teleconference; Illinois (Sandi Kessinger), Florida (Mike Stephens), and Virginia (Mike Welling).

The meeting materials included the NRC slide presentation that was posted on www.regulations.gov (Docket Nos. NRC-2009-0096 and NRC-2013-0195) and the *Federal Register* notice (FRN) that contained the proposed rule (79 FR 4825, January 30, 2014). The five, revised draft guidance documents (NUREGs) were also available during the meeting.

The NRC presented the schedule of activities to provide the final rule to the Commission in November 2014. The milestones included an additional public meeting to be held in April 2014 to discuss resolution of the comments submitted by the public. The NRC reminded the attenders to provide input to specific questions during the period ending March 10, 2014. The NRC staff opened the meeting for questions and comments from the participants.

Following the discussion of the items raised by the individuals from industry and the public, NMSS and NEI made closing statements and agreed that the meeting successfully improved the understanding of the proposed requirements and would facilitate detailed, specific comments from the public for the NRC to resolve during the final rule phase of the rulemaking process.