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NRC Staff to Release Volume 3 of Yucca Mountain Safety Report

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission staff will issue the Yucca Mountain Safety Evaluation Report, Volume 3: Repository Safety After Permanent Closure at approximately 3 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 16. The report will be posted on the NRC website around or shortly after that time. A press release will be issued with a link to the document.

Volume 3 documents the results of the NRC staff's evaluation to determine whether the proposed repository design complies with the performance objectives and requirements that apply after the repository is permanently closed.