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**XIII. Paperwork Reduction Act.**

This proposed rule contains new or amended information collection requirements that are subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq). This rule has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget for approval of the information collection requirements.

*Type of submission, new or revision:* New

*The title of the information collection:* Mitigation of Beyond-Design-Basis Events Proposed Rulemaking

*The form number if applicable:* Not applicable

*How often the collection is required:* Once and annually.

*Who will be required or asked to report:* Operating nuclear power reactor sites (comprised of 60 operating sites), as well as the Pressurized Water Reactor Owners Group and the Boiling Water Reactor Owners Group.

*An estimate of the number of annual responses:* 91

*The estimated number of annual respondents:* 62 (60 recordkeepers + 2 owners groups)

*An estimate of the total number of hours needed annually to complete the requirement or request:* 119,309

*Abstract:* In response to the Great East Japan Earthquake of March 11, 2011, the NRC is seeking to: (1) permanently write into agency rules the requirements already imposed by the Order EA-12-049 and Order EA-12-051; (2) create regulatory requirements for Severe Accident Management Guidelines (SAMGs) to promote consistency across industry; and (3) incorporate emergency preparedness-related industry initiatives into the regulations.

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The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission is seeking public comment on the potential impact of the information collections contained in this proposed rule and on the following issues:

1. Is the proposed information collection necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the NRC, including whether the information will have practical utility?
2. Is the estimate of burden accurate?
3. Is there a way to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected?
4. How can the burden of the information collection be minimized, including the use of automated collection techniques?

A copy of the OMB clearance package may be viewed free of charge at the NRC Public Document Room, One White Flint North, 11555 Rockville Pike, Room O-1 F21, Rockville, MD 20852. The OMB clearance package and rule are available at the NRC worldwide Web site: <http://www.nrc.gov/public-involve/doc-comment/omb/index.html> for 60 days after the signature date of this notice.

Send comments on any aspect of these proposed regulations related to information collections, including suggestions for reducing the burden and on the above issues, by (INSERT DATE 30 DAYS AFTER PUBLICATION IN THE *FEDERAL REGISTER*) to the Records and FOIA/Privacy Services Branch (T-5 F52), U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, or by Internet electronic mail to [Infocollects.Resource@NRC.gov](mailto:Infocollects.Resource@NRC.gov) and to the Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, NEOB-10202 (3150-xxxx), Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503. Comments on the proposed information collections may also be submitted via the Federal eRulemaking Portal <http://www.regulations.gov>, Docket No. NRC-2014-0240. Comments received after this date will be considered if it is practical to do so, but assurance of consideration cannot be given to comments received after this date.

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Public Protection Notification

The NRC may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a request for information or an information collection requirement unless the requesting document displays a currently valid OMB control number.

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