

This page provides an abstract, justification, and target dates for a potential rule that the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has prioritized in its Common Prioritization of Rulemaking listing.

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<b>Amendments to List of Approved Spent Fuel Storage Cask [This is a placeholder for an annual recurring rule.] (Rev. 2)</b>				
<b>Abstract</b>				
These rules approve use of new and amended cask designs for dry storage of spent fuel. Casks that have been approved for use under a general license are added to list of approved designs in 10 CFR Part 72. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission publishes a varying number of these rules each year.				
<b>Justification</b>				
These rules score 36 points (15, 6, 10, 5) because of the following reasons: A) Moderate contributor towards one or more goals and implements multiple strategies in one or more goals (safety strategies 2 and 3); B) Moderate contributor towards one strategy (regulatory effectiveness strategy 2); C) Significant contributor towards one or more considerations or Commission has provided specific direction and priority/schedule on the rulemaking. The staff sent SECY-01-0226, dated December 18, 2001, identifying the streamlined process that will be used for certificate of compliance (CoC) rulemakings, about five per year; and D) Significant contributor toward one or more considerations. There is significant interest by CoC holders and licensees in timely approval of CoC rulemakings, with the Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards/Spent Fuel Storage and Transportation requiring public availability of the CoC rulemaking schedule at <a href="http://waste/spent-fuel-storage/sfs-schedule-rulemaking.html">http://waste/spent-fuel-storage/sfs-schedule-rulemaking.html</a> . The typical schedule to complete a rule is 26 weeks after completion of the Safety Evaluation Report.				
<b>Start Dates</b>	<b>Reg Basis Completed</b>	<b>PR Sent to Comm/EDO</b>	<b>FR Sent to Comm/EDO</b>	<b>Publication Date</b>
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