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1. IMC 1245 App C12	07/01/15	IMC 1245 App C12	02/01/16
2. IMC 2515	05/01/15	IMC 2515	02/01/16
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REMARKS: IMC 1245 Appendix C12, "Safety Culture Assessor Training and Qualification Journal, has been revised to add a new safety culture training link.

IMC 2515, "Light-Water Reactor Inspection Program-Operations Phase," has been revised to (1) address recommendations from the Office of the Inspector General's audit (OIG-14-A-12, "Survey of NRC's Support Provided to Resident Inspectors" (new subsection (11.07) added); and (2) include new ROP framework guidance (Section 15 and Appendix G) to adjust baseline inspection effort (e.g., hours and samples) when licensees begin the transition to permanent shutdown and decommissioning.

IMC 2515 Appendix G, "Baseline Inspection Guidance for Power Reactors Preparing for Transition to the Decommissioning Phase," is an initial issuance created to provide guidance to the regional staff for nuclear power licensees preparing to transition from an operating power reactor to a decommissioning reactor facility. Researched commitments for four years and found none.

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