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2. Subject of Rulemaking: The NRC rules should be changed regarding the practice of providing a notice in the Federal Register for routine license amendments that involve No Significant Hazards Considerations (NSHC). The content of these Notices are almost always copied verbatim from the application and from the lack of public response serve no useful purpose. In addition, this type of activity is costly and does not serve the public's need to be informed.
3. Proposed Alternative: Instead of providing the basis for the staff's proposed finding of NSHC, the regulations should provide for negative consent in that unless a notice is placed in the Federal Register within 30 days, the staff would adopt the NSHC evaluation in the application as the basis for the staff's proposed NSHC.  
In lieu of these NSHC Federal Register Notices, the NRC should publish a monthly digest describing all such applications for license amendments submitted pursuant to 10 CFR 50.90 which could be copied verbatim from the application.