

# Inspection Report Improvement Initiative

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# Goals

## PHASE 1

- Create a simplified report format requiring less direct effort on the part of inspectors to generate and supervisors to review and approve.
- Improve the report organization, plain language usage, and messaging for the knowledgeable reader.

## PHASE 2

- Develop a Reactor Program Systems (RPS) module to establish an automated Inspection Report writing program to enable fast and efficient report writing.

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# Criteria

- Support SECY-16-0009 recommendations to create efficiencies in ROP inspection report writing process.
- Increase readability by conforming to plain language initiatives (e.g., NRC Style Guide alignment, eliminate redundancy, streamline, reduce boilerplate language, and standardized communication)
- Adhere to principles of good regulation (ICORE) and ROP objectives and principles (Transparency, Openness, Predictability, Understandability).
- Compliance with Legal/Congressional mandates and requirements (e.g., adherence to record keeping requirements)
- Ensure effective integration into replacement RPS

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# Notable Planned Enhancements

- Eliminated Redundancy
- Minimize NRC Jargon
- Streamline Organization – tabular format replaces long narrative paragraphs and summary follows report order.
- Eliminate Majority of Boilerplate.

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# Future Report Vision

Assumption – Those attending this meeting are knowledgeable report readers and are familiar with current reports.



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Document

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# General Schedule

- ~January 2017 Pilot Reports
- ~April 2017 Auto Generate Reports
- ~January 2018 Enhanced Auto Generated Product

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# Feedback & Questions

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