

GLOSSARY OF EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS ACRONYMS

Nuclear Regulatory Commission

ACRS	Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards
AEA	Atomic Energy Act
ALARA	As Low As Reasonably Achievable
ALI	Annual Limit on Intake
ANS	Alert and Notification Systems (Also: American Nuclear Society)
ANSI	American National Standards Institute
ARM	Area Radiation Monitor (Also: Alarm Response Manual)
BWR	Boiling Water Reactor
CAM	Continuous Air Monitor
CDE	Committed Dose Equivalent
CEDE	Committed Effective Dose Equivalent
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CHP	Certified Health Physicist
CPM	Counts Per Minute
COG	Continuity of Government
COOP	Continuity of Operations
CR	Control Room
D&D	Decontamination and Decommissioning
DAC	Derived Air Concentration
DPM	Disintegrations Per Minute
DBA	Design Basis Accident
DBT	Design Basis Threat
DDE	Deep-Dose Equivalent
DEP	Drill and Exercise Performance
DHS	Department of Homeland Security
DIE	Decrease in Effectiveness
DoD	Department of Defense
DOE	Department of Energy
DOJ	Department of Justice
DOT	Department of Transportation
DPR	Division of Preparedness and Response
EAL	Emergency Action Level
EAS	Emergency Alert System
EBS	Emergency Broadcasting System
ED	Emergency Director
EDG	Emergency Diesel Generator
EGM	Enforcement Guidance Memorandum
EH&S	Environmental Health and Safety
ENS	Emergency Notification System
EO	Emergency Officer
EOC	Emergency Operations Center
EOF	Emergency Operations Facility
EP	Emergency Preparedness

EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
EPD	Emergency Preparedness Directorate
EPPOS	Emergency Preparedness Position Paper
EPZ	Emergency Planning Zone
ERDS	Emergency Response Data System
ERF	Emergency Response Facility
ERO	Emergency Response Organization
ERPA	Emergency Response Planning Area
ETE	Evacuation Time Estimate
EZ	Exclusion Zone
FAA	Federal Aviation Administration
FBI	Federal Bureau of Investigations
FDA	Food and Drug Administration
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency
FRPCC	Federal Radiological Preparedness Coordinating Committee
FRP	Federal Response Plan
FSAR	Final Safety Analysis Report
GE	General Emergency
GL	Generic Letter
HAB	Hostile Action Based
HASP	Health and Safety Plan
HERO	Headquarters Emergency Response Officer
HEU	Highly Enriched Uranium
HHS	Department of Health and Human Services
HLW	High Level Radioactive Waste
HOO	Headquarters Operations Officer
HP	Health Physicist
HPS	Health Physics Society
HPSI	High Pressure Safety Injection
HSOC	Homeland Security Operations Center
IAEA	International Atomic Energy Agency
ICRP	International Commission on Radiological Protection
IIMG	Interagency Incident Management Group
IN	Information Notice
INES	International Nuclear Event Scale
IP	Inspection Procedure
IPAWS	Integrated Public Alert and Warning System
IPEX	Ingestion Pathway Exercise
IR	Incident Response
IRD	Incident Response Directorate
ISG	Interim Staff Guidance
ISFSI	Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation
JFO	Joint Field Office
JIC	Joint Information Center
KI	Potassium Iodide
LEU	Low Enriched Uranium
LFA	Lead Federal Agency
LLW	Low Level Radioactive Waste
LPZ	Low Population Zone

MC	Manual Chapter
MC&A	Material Control and Accounting
NCS	Nuclear Criticality Safety
NCRP	National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements
NEI	Nuclear Energy Institute
NIMS	National Incident Management System
NIST	National Institute of Standards and Technology
NORAD	North American Aerospace Defense Command
NORTHCOM	United States Northern Command
NOUE	Notification of Unusual Event
NPP	Nuclear Power Plant
NRP	National Response Plan
NSIR	Office of Nuclear Security and Incident Response
OCA	Owner Controlled Area
OPAS-G	Outdoor Public Alerting System Guide
ORO	Offsite Response Organization
OSC	Operations Support Center
PAD	Protective Action Decision
PAG	Protective Action Guideline
PAR	Protective Action Recommendation
PFO	Principal Federal Official
PI	Performance Indicator
PPE	Personal Protective Equipment
PRA	Probabilistic Risk Assessment
PS	Planning Standard
PSAR	Preliminary Safety Analysis Report
PSP	Physical Security Plan
PWR	Pressurized Water Reactor
RAC	Regional Assistance Committee
RADCON	Radiological Control
RAM	Radioactive Material
RASCAL	Radiological Assessment System for Consequence Analysis
REP	Radiological Emergency Preparedness
RIS	Regulatory Issue Summary
ROP	Reactor Oversight Process
RP	Radiation Protection
RPM	Radiation Protection Manager
RSO	Radiation Safety Officer
RSPS	Risk Significant Planning Standard
RWP	Radiological Work Permit
RTRs	Research and Test Reactors
SAE	Site Area Emergency
SAIC	Special Agent In-Charge
SDP	Significance Determination Process
SI	International System of Units
SNM	Special Nuclear Material
SPDS	Safety Parameter Display System
TARs	Tone Alert Radios
TEDE	Total Effective Dose Equivalent

TLD	Thermoluminescent Dosimeter
TMI	Three Mile Island
TODE	Total Organ Dose Equivalent
TRU	Transuranic
TSC	Technical Support Center
UE	Unusual Event
USCG	United States Coast Guard