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PROPOSED RULE PR -4(44FR 26887)



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Secretary of the Commission U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D.C. 20555

Att: Docketing and Service Branch

Dear Secretary:

Staff of the Radiation Control Program of the Department of Social and Health Services have reviewed the Nuclear Pegulatory Commission (NRC) proposed rule "Nondiscrimination in Federally Assisted Commission Programs; Application to the Handicapped" as published in the Federal Register, Volume 44, No. 90, Tuesday May 8, 1979.

It is apparent that the requirements of the S' ashington in this area of concern remain compatible, the ps not identical, to those of the Federal government belished by the Secretary of Health, Education and Welfar and would therefore pose no conflict in implementation as artains to programs in which the NRC provides financial assistance to the State.

Sincerely,

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