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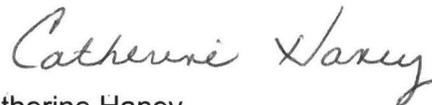
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Office of the Chief Human Capital Officer (OCHCO)
Items of Interest
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ARRIVALS		
KHODORKOVSKY, LAWRENCE	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	NRR
FRANCIS, JEREMY	INVESTIGATOR	OI (R-III)
MORAN, NICHOLAS	LEGAL INTERN	OGC
RETIREMENTS		
NONE		
DEPARTURES		
DROUIN, MARY T (EFFECTIVE 9/6/2019)	SR. PROGRAM MANAGER	RES
HE, HENGHUI	STUDENT IT INTERN	OCIO
SWINTON, KARIMA JAMILAH	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	NSIR
EADS, JR., JOHNNY H	REACTOR ENGINEER (RTR)	NRR

Office of the Chief Information Officer (OCIO)
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Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) and Privacy Act (PA) Requests and Appeals Received
During the Period of September 9 – September 13, as submitted by requester

Tracking Number	Requester's Name	Requester's Organization	Request Description	Received Date
2019-000418	Robert Leyse		Appeal the denial of INPO SER 76-84, referenced in NRC Information Notice No. 85-86: Lightning Strikes at Nuclear Power Generating Stations, in response to NRC-2019-000354.	09/09/2019
2019-000419	Michael McAuliffe	S&P Global Platts	All records in connection with investigation OI 4-2018-015, conducted by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's Office of Investigations regarding activities at the Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station.	09/12/2019

Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR)
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Public Meeting to Discuss NRC Staff Guidance for In-Vessel Downstream Effects

On September 5, 2019, the staff hosted a public meeting with the Pressurized Water Reactor Owners' Group (PWROG) to discuss the Generic Letter 2004-02 NRC staff guidance (ADAMS ML19228A011), specifically for in-vessel downstream effects. The PWROG had clarifying questions on a few statements in the guidance and illustrated how their companion industry guidance would be used along with the staff guidance. The following near-term actions were also discussed: (1) NRC to provide clarifications on staff guidance; (2) PWROG to issue industry guidance document; and (3) PWROG to complete preliminary review of plant analyses by end of calendar year 2019. Licensee responses to GL 2004-02 are expected to begin in early calendar year 2020.

Health Physics Inspector Counterpart Meeting on Risk-Inform Inspections

On September 4-5, 2019, the NRC staff hosted the annual Health Physics (HP) Inspector Counterpart Meeting at the Technical Training Center (TTC). Approximately 30 participants from NRR, all 4 Regions, and TTC attended. Topics of discussion included ways to better risk-inform reactor HP inspections, proposed changes to inspection procedures, and increasing information sharing and inspection experience exchange to continue to work toward regional consistency. Participants also received a 2-hour training on liquid scintillation counters used for measuring tritium and other radionuclides.

Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards (NMSS)
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Greater-Than-Class-C and Transuranic Waste: Draft Regulatory Basis; Extension of Comment Period; Part 61 of Title 10 of the Code of Federal Regulations (10 CFR) [Regulatory Identifier Number 3150-AK00; NRC-2017-0081]

On September 13, 2019, the NRC published a notice in the *Federal Register* (84 FR 48309) extending the comment period for a draft regulatory basis that was published in the *Federal Register* on July 22, 2019 (84 FR 35037), to support the development of a rulemaking for the disposal of certain types of greater-than-Class-C waste in a low-level radioactive waste land disposal facility. The public comment period was originally scheduled to close on September 20, 2019. The NRC decided to extend the public comment period by an additional 60 days to allow more time for members of the public to develop and submit their comments. The due date for comments requested in the document published on July 22, 2019, is extended to November 19, 2019.

Requirement to Submit Complete and Accurate Information: Discontinuation of Rulemaking Activity; Denial of Petition for Rulemaking; 10 CFR Parts 30, 40, 50, 52, 60, 61, 63, 70, 71, and 72 [Docket No. PRM-50-107; NRC-2013-0077]

On September 10, 2019, the NRC published a document (84 FR 47443) discontinuing a rulemaking activity, "Requirement to Submit Complete and Accurate Information," and denying a petition for rulemaking (PRM), PRM-50-107. This document informs the public of the NRC's action and describes the rationale for the action. The NRC will no longer track this rulemaking activity or PRM. As of September 10, 2019, the rulemaking activity is discontinued and PRM-50-107 is denied.

**Office of the Secretary (SECY)
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Document Released to Public	Date of Document	Subject
Memoranda		
1. Staff Requirement Memorandum M190909	09/12/19	NRC All Employees Meeting

Commission Correspondence

1. Letter to the Honorable Frank Pallone, Jr., et al, submits the July 2019, monthly status report on the NRC's activities and use of unobligated carryover funds appropriated from the Nuclear Waste Fund, dated September 3, 2019.

Federal Register Notices Issued

1. 667th Meeting of the ACRS Full Committee on Reactor Safeguards – Notice of Meeting – October 2-5, 2019.
2. Applications and Amendments to Facility Operating Licenses and Combined Licenses Involving Proposed No Significant Hazards Considerations and Containing Sensitive Unclassified Non-Safeguards Information and Order Imposing Procedures for Access to Sensitive Unclassified Non-Safeguards Information [NRC-2019-0176].

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