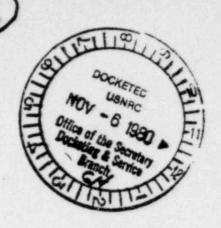
PROPOSED RULE PR 20
(45 FR 67018)



Secretary of the Commission U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Docketing and Service Branch Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Secretary:

In my official capacity as a member of the Radiation Control Advisory Commission of the Indiana State Board of Health, I wish to go on record as unequivocably supporting the proposed changes to U.S. NRC Regulations that would treat most liquid scintillation vials and animal tissues used in medical research as normal waste.

Please inform us of any other actions of support we could take that might further assist in the enactment of these proposed regulations.

Sincerely,

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