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Attention: Docketing and Service Branch

We have reviewed the proposed amendments to NRC regulations concerning radiation protection requirements found in Parts 19 and 20 (59FR5132, dated February 3, 1994).

The proposed definitions for Part 20 are certainly more clearly stated. Also the changes to Part 19 concerning the instructions to workers appears to identify, with more specificity, those individuals that need the appropriate instructions.

I want to compliment you for making these changes to the regulations in order to make them less confusing.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this please contact me, at 402-471-2168. Alternate formats for persons with disabilities are available by calling the Health Department's TTY telephone number, 402-471-6421, and the Nebraska Relay System's TTY telephone number 800-833-7352.

Sincerely,

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