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Regulatory Impact Survey Report

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AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is announcing the availability of SECY 90-347 "Regulatory Impact Survey Report" (dated October 9, 1990) for public comment. In particular, the NRC invites comment on the issue of consistency and uniformity among its regions and among its inspectors. SECY 90-347 is available in the NRC Public Document Room, 2120 L Street, Washington, DC, telephone (202) 634-3273. In the fall of 1989, the staff initiated the regulatory impact survey (RIS). This effort consisted of three surveys and was patterned after a survey conducted in 1981 to determine utility views on the effect of the large number of NRC regulatory initiatives and requirements imposed in the wake of the accident at Three Mile Island Unit 2. As a result of the 1981 survey, NRC made a number of changes in its organization and regulatory practices. This RIS was performed to obtain the perceptions of the industry and regulatory staff of the effect of NRC's current activities on the safe operation of nuclear power plants, to assist the staff in determining if its regulatory programs require modification.

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SECY 90-347 contains the senior management's evaluation of the results of all three surveys and the proposed actions to respond to the identified concerns.

In accordance with Nuclear Regulatory Commission direction given in a staff requirements memorandum dated November 29, 1990, the staff is requesting public comment on the proposed corrective action presented in the staff paper, SECY-90-347.

DATES: The comment period expires January 28, 1991.

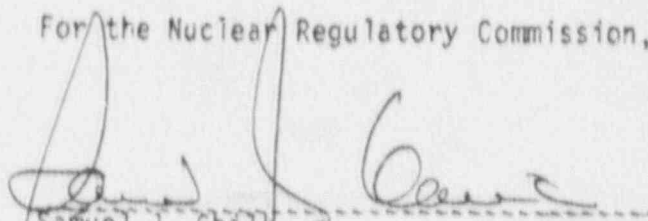
ADDRESSES: Send written comments to the Secretary of the Commission U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555, (Attention: Docketing and Service Branch). Hand deliver comments to 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD between 7:30 a.m. and 4:15 p.m.

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1990.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission,



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