

U. S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Documents Containing Reporting or Recordkeeping Requirements: Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Review

AGENCY: U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC)

ACTION: Notice of the OMB review of information collection and solicitation of public comment. The NRC hereby informs potential respondents that an agency may not conduct or sponsor, and that a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

SUMMARY: The NRC has recently submitted to the OMB for review the following proposal for the collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

1. Type of submission, new, revision, or extension:
Revision/Extension
2. The title of the information collection: 10 CFR Part 52,
"Early Site Permits; Standard Design Certifications; and
Combined Licenses for Nuclear Power Plants"

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3. The form number if applicable: Not applicable
4. How often the collection is required: On occasion and every 10 to 20 years for applications for renewal
5. Who will be required or asked to report: Designers of commercial nuclear power plants, electric power utilities, and any person eligible under the Atomic Energy Act to apply for a construction permit for a nuclear power plant
6. An estimate of the number of responses: Two applications for design certification will be under review during the next three years
7. An estimate of the total number of hours needed annually to complete the requirement or request: Approximately 65,333 hours per year for both applications in addition to the burden associated with 10 CFR Parts 20, 50, 73 and 100 (approved by OMB under Clearance Nos. 3150-0014, 3150-0011, 3150-0002, and 3150-0093, respectively)
8. An indication of whether Section 3507(d), Pub. L. 104-13 applies: Not applicable

9. Abstract: 10 CFR Part 52 establishes requirements for the granting of early site permits, certifications of standard nuclear power plant designs, and licenses which combine in a single license a construction permit and an operating license with conditions (combined licenses). Part 52 also establishes requirements for renewal of these permits, certifications, and licenses; amendments to them; exemptions from certifications; and variances from early site permits.

NRC uses the information collected to assess the adequacy and suitability of an applicant's site, plant design, construction, training and experience, and plans and procedures for the protection of the public health and safety. The NRC review of such information and the findings derived from that information form the basis of NRC decisions and actions concerning the issuance, modification, or revocation of site permits, design certifications, and combined licenses for nuclear power plants.

Copies of the submittal may be inspected or obtained from the NRC Public Document Room, 2120 L Street, NW (Lower Level), Washington, DC 20555-0001.

Comments and questions should be directed to the OMB reviewer by (insert date 30 days after publication in the Federal Register):

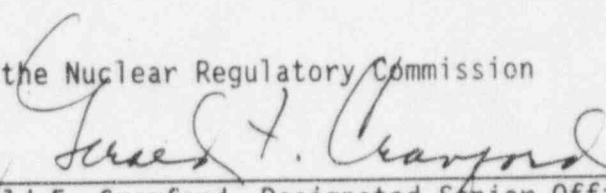
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Comments can also be submitted by telephone at (202) 395-3084.

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Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this *Second* day of *February* 1996.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission


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