



# Arkansas Department of Health

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Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
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Washington, D.C. 20555-0001

Dear Ms. Clark:

Enclosed is a copy of proposed revisions to the Arkansas State Board of Health's Rules and Regulations for Control of Sources of Ionizing Radiation, effective October 1, 2017. At the earliest, these "July 2021" proposed revisions will be made available for public comment on approximately July 30, 2021, with a request for comments by approximately August 31, 2021. We request NRC's comments by July 19, 2021, if possible. The proposed regulations are identified by line-in/line-out text and by a right-sided border.

The following RATS IDs are addressed:

RATS ID	Title	State Section
2018-1	Medical Use of Byproduct Material – Medical Event Definitions, Training and Experience, and Clarifying Amendments	Section 9
2018-2	Miscellaneous Corrections	Sections 2, 4, and 12
2018-3	Miscellaneous Corrections	Sections 3, 4, and 12
2019-1	Miscellaneous Corrections	Section 12

We believe that adoption of these revisions satisfies the compatibility and health and safety categories established in the Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards (NMSS) Procedure SA-200. Attached are cross-references for the RATS IDs listed above.

Also, please review these additional sections:

RH-200./8100.	Deletion/revision of "ANP" and "AU" definitions	10 CFR 35.2
RH-200.	Revision of definition of "person"	10 CFR 30.4
RH-1100.	Revision of definition of "person"	10 CFR 20.1003
RH-11005.	Revision of definition of "person"	10 CFR 37.7
RH-7083.b.	Correction of references	10 CFR 36.83(b)

If you have any questions, please contact me at (501) 661-2301 [[Bernard.Bevill@arkansas.gov](mailto:Bernard.Bevill@arkansas.gov)] or Angela Minden of my staff at (501) 661-2528 [[Angela.Minden@arkansas.gov](mailto:Angela.Minden@arkansas.gov)].

Sincerely,



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Enclosures: As stated

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