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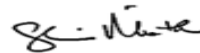
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Office of the Chief Human Capital Officer (OCHCO)
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ARRIVALS		
COLLIER, ALEX	STUDENT INTERN	NRR
JOHNSON, ZACHARY	STUDENT INTERN	OCIO
PECHARO, RYAN	STUDENT INTERN	NRR
WARD, BRANDON	FINANCIAL ANALYST	NMSS
RETIREMENTS		
NONE		
DEPARTURES		
DILSIZIAN, VASKEN	ACMUI MEMBER	NMSS
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Office of the Chief Information Officer (OCIO)
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Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) and Privacy Act (PA) Requests, Appeals, and Consultations Received During the Period of May 6 – May 13, as submitted by requester

Tracking Number	Requester's Name	Requester's Organization	Request Description	Received Date
2022-000160	Ms. Diane Curran		Request access to and copies of the following records related to the NRC's regulation of the Oconee nuclear power plant, Units 1, 2 and 3 (Docket Nos. 50-269, 50-270, and 50-287) with respect to protection against flooding hazards	05/06/2022
2022-000161	Darren Neely		I would like all records pertaining to named individual and his role in the response and subsequent investigation at TMI, 1979. Named individual was a HP inspector from region 1 and played a pivotal role in the response. I would like to know how many pages of reports and interviews related to named individual and TMI are available and what the cost will be. Copies of performance appraisals and awards would also be helpful. I believe his time at the NRC was roughly from 1976- 1982.	5/9/2022
2022-000162	Ms. Minnique Bowman		I'm sick with covid and can't go to work but I do need my. xfindy	5/11/2022
2022-000163	Ms. Courtney Stapleton Smith		Any and all records relating to me or my property. Address provided above	5/13/2022

Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR)
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The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Staff Meets With the Institute of Nuclear Power Operations

On May 5, 2022, the NRC staff conducted the annual coordination meeting with the Institute of Nuclear Power Operations (INPO). The NRC staff and INPO discussed the following items of mutual interest concerning INPO's training program accreditation process: COVID-19 responses taken by NRC and INPO; Revision 12 for NUREG-1021, "Operator Licensing Examination Standards for Power Reactors;" key guidance documents for advanced reactors and Commission review of training programs; and INPO's plans to develop accreditation guidelines for small modular reactors.

NRC Staff Reopens Comment Period for Draft Interim Staff Guidance

On December 14, 2021 the staff published a *Federal Register* Notice (FRN) requesting comments on the draft Interim Staff Guidance (ISG), DNRL-ISG-2022-XX, "Safety Review of Light-Water Power-Reactor Construction Permit Applications" ([86 FR 71101](#)). The purpose of this ISG is to clarify existing guidance and to assist the staff in determining whether an application to construct a light-water power-reactor facility meets the minimum requirements to issue a construction permit. The initial comment period closed on January 28, 2022. However, in order to receive clarification on two topics submitted during the initial comment period, the staff published a new FRN ([87 FR 27195](#)) on May 6, 2022, to reopen the comment period for an additional 15 days ending on May 21, 2022. The staff expects to issue the final ISG in Fall 2022.

NRC Staff Expands Use of Risk-Informed Process for Evaluations (RIPE)

On May 10, 2022, the Risk-Informed Process for Evaluations (RIPE) guidance (Agencywide Document Access Management System (ADAMS) Accession No. [ML22088A129](#)) was updated and transmitted via memorandum to the NRR Office Director. The staff successfully completed its expansion of RIPE to allow licensees to submit technical specification license amendments using RIPE. Also on May 10, 2022, the staff issued the updated RIPE guidance document, "Guidelines for Characterizing the Safety Impact of Issues," Revision 2 and the Temporary Staff Guidance (TSG-DORL-2021-01) - Risk-Informed Process for Evaluations (ADAMS Accession Nos. [ML22088A135](#) and [ML22088A136](#), respectively).

NRC Staff Released Consolidated Version of the Part 53 Preliminary Proposed Rule Language

On May 11, 2022, the staff released the second iteration of the consolidated version of the Part 53 preliminary proposed rule language, with the exception of Framework B, to support an upcoming Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS) meeting on May 19, 2022, and a public meeting on May 25, 2022 (ADAMS Accession No. [ML22125A000](#)). The staff previously issued the first iteration of the consolidated rule language on February 28, 2022 and issued

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each section of the preliminary proposed rule language individually in 2021. For some sections, the NRC staff also released second or third iterations of the rule language in 2021. The staff plans to release draft preliminary proposed rule language for Framework B in June 2022.

NRC Staff Participates in Alternative Dispute Resolution Session with National Institute of Standards and Technology

On May 10, NRR staff along with the Office of Enforcement and the Office of the General Counsel, will participated in a mediated Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) session with the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) staff to discuss issues identified in the March 16, 2022, special inspection report (ADAMS Accession No. [ML22066B312](#)) following the February 3, 2021, NIST event. NIST chose ADR in response to a Choice Letter issued with the special inspection report providing options to resolve seven apparent violations identified during the inspection before the NRC makes its enforcement decision. If issues are successfully resolved during ADR, the NRC will issue a confirmatory order to NIST documenting the agreement and required actions. The ADR session will not address the NIST restart decision.

**Office of Administration (ADM)
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Maintenance and Development of the VARSKIN+ Computer Code

On May 10, 2022, contract number 31310022C0011 was awarded to Renaissance Code Development, LLC, in Corvallis, Oregon. The purpose of this contract is to maintain, distribute and improve the VARSKIN+ computer code. This includes VARSKIN+ maintenance, invoicing, continued software quality assurance, VARSKIN+ user support, and training under RAMP. The period of performance is from May 16, 2022, through May 15, 2023, with four option periods. The total potential value of the contract can be up to \$1,977,944.00.

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**Office of the Secretary (SECY)
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Document Released to Public	Date of Document	Subject
Decision Documents		
1. SECY-22-0036	04/25/22	Rulemaking Plan for 10-years Renewal of Nuclear Power Plant Operating Licenses - Environmental Review
2. SECY-22-0033	04/28/22	Proposed Rule - Alternatives to the Use of Credit Ratings (NRC-2017-0021; RIN 3150-AJ92)
3. COMSECY-22-0006	05/05/22	Request to Solicit for the Appointment of New Members on the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards
4. Staff Requirements Memorandum COMSECY-22-0006	05/12/22	Request to Solicit for the Appointment of New Members on the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards
5. Commission Voting Record COMSECY-22-0006	05/12/22	Request to Solicit for the Appointment of New Members on the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards
Information Papers		
1. None		
Memoranda		
1. Staff Requirements Memorandum M220510	05/13/22	Strategic Programmatic Overview of the Fuel Facilities and the Spent Fuel Storage and Transportation Business Lines

Commission Correspondence

1. Letter to the Honorable Salud Carbajal, responds to concerns regarding a recently issued OIG report regarding inspections at Diablo Canyon Power Nuclear Plant

Federal Register Notices Issued

1. 696th Meeting of the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards – June 1-3, 2022
2. Regulatory Improvements for Production and Utilization Facilities Transitioning to Decommissioning; Extension of Comment Period [NRC-2015-0070; RIN 3150-AJ59]

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