Comment Guidelines and Rules for Facebook/Instagram 2022

Comment Guidelines

The NRC's Facebook and Instagram pages are a place for constructive dialogue and information exchange on topics relevant to the agency's mission. We hope you will participate!

All comments will go up immediately but may be removed if they don't comply with the guidelines below. Repeated violation of the comment rules below could result in violators being banned from commenting. We will be reviewing comments only during regular business hours Monday through Friday. Additionally:

- General questions and comments from the public or the media should be submitted to opa.resource@nrc.gov
- Information about doing business with the NRC is available here: https://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/contracting.html
- Information on job opportunities with the NRC is available here: http://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/employment.html

Note: The views expressed in comments reflect those of the author and do not necessarily reflect the official views of the NRC or the federal government. Submitting comments on Facebook and Instagram does not replace formal communication with the NRC. To contact the NRC through official channels, please visit http://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/contactus.html

Comment "Rules"

- Comments cannot contain vulgar, obscene, offensive or abusive language, language that advocates violence, or personal attacks of any kind.
- Comments cannot contain hate speech directed at race, color, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, ethnicity, age, religion, or disability.
- Comments submitted in languages other than English will be translated using Google Translate to ensure adherence to the comment rules.
- Comments cannot promote commercial services, products or political candidates, nor contain partisan rhetoric. Non-commercial links that are relevant to the topic or another comment may be acceptable.
- Comments cannot be on topics outside the mission and role of the NRC.
- Comments cannot include sensitive or classified information or personally identifiable information, including phone numbers.
- Repetitive, duplicative comments that appear to be Spam will be removed.
- Safety or security allegations should NOT be submitted via the Facebook or Instagram pages. If such comments are posted, they will be removed from the page and sent to our allegations team. For more information, go here: http://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/regulatory/allegations/safety-concern.html
- Children under 13 cannot submit comments per the Children's Online Privacy Protection Act, but can send an e-mail to opa.resource@nrc.gov
- Comments cannot contain viruses or similar harmful programs.
- Comments cannot contain information that violates local, state or federal law.

Comments removed for violation of this policy are preserved pursuant to NRC's Records Management Policy and are subject to disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act.