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Subject: Response to your August 17 request
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Dear Mr. White,

On behalf of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), I am responding to your request dated August 17, 2026, requesting extension of the comment period for the proposed rulemaking "*Implementation of the National Environmental Policy Act*," Docket ID NRC-2025-0478, published July 7, 2026. We understand your interest in having additional time to prepare your feedback. After careful consideration, however, the NRC is unable to grant an extension of the comment period.

The deadline for submitting comments remains as published in the Federal Register notice for this proposed rule. To have your comment officially filed and considered by the NRC, please submit it through the Federal e-Rulemaking portal [Regulations.gov](https://www.regulations.gov), following the instructions provided in the Federal Register notice for the proposed rule (particularly the "ADDRESSES" section). Submitting your comment via [Regulations.gov](https://www.regulations.gov) before the deadline will ensure it is entered into the official docket and given full consideration by the NRC.

Thank you for your engagement in the rulemaking process. We appreciate your understanding, and we look forward to receiving your comment through the appropriate channel.

Regards,

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