

The United Methodist Church in Madison

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John W.N. Hickey, Chief
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Dear Mr. Hickey:

On Behalf of the United Methodist Church of Madison, New Jersey, I would like to submit a comment on your notices regarding 10 CFR Part 31, and 10 CFR Parts 30, 31, 32, 170, and 171.

We have evidently been included in this mailing because the church has two self-luminous exit signs. My best interpretation of the proposed fee schedule indicates that the church could be required to pay an annual registration fee of \$420 for the privilege of continuing to use these two signs.

It seems self-evident that this ruling has the potential to penalize many small institutions unreasonably. If the regulation fee passes as proposed, and the fee will be required of us, kindly be advised that we will no longer have the signs.

Sincerely,

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