

June 27, 2000

MEMORANDUM TO: Donald A. Cool, Director
Division of Industrial and
Medical Nuclear Safety, NMSS

FROM: George Pangburn, Director */RA/*
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SUBJECT: POLICY AND GUIDANCE DIRECTIVE (PG) 1-27, "REVIEWING
REQUESTS TO CONVERT ACTIVE LICENSES TO
POSSESSION-ONLY LICENSES"

In accordance with your memo dated February 22, 2000, we have reviewed the 20 licenses which have the old possession-only program codes 03800, 11800, and 23300, authorizing "storage only". Of these, only two meet the criteria for the new "standby" program codes 03810, 11810, or 23310. A list of the licenses reviewed, indicating those which need to be changed, is attached.

In accordance with your memo, we plan to send a letter to each of the two licensees to inform them of the new category for licenses, called "standby-no operations," that have temporarily suspended operations rather than permanently ceased operations. The letter will inform them that we will change our records to reflect their status as in "standby-no operations" after 30 days from the date of the letter, and that this change may result in the assessment of an annual fee.

The PG 1-27 requires changes to licenses authorizing both "possession only-permanent shutdown" [program codes 03800, 11800, and 23300] and the "standby-no operations" [03810, 11810, 23310] that are not in any of the licenses which currently authorize "storage only." These PG 1-27 changes include specified language for the authorized use condition in Item 9 of the licenses, and a license term of two years. Also, PG 1-27 requires the addition of a license condition to the "possession only-permanent shutdown" licenses. We understand that we need not amend any of the "storage only" licenses at this time. A copy of this memo will be placed in the file for each of the licenses on the attached list, and we will amend these licenses to meet the criteria of PG 1-27 at the time of the next renewal.

Attachment: Summary of Region I
"Storage-Only" Licenses Reviewed

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Summary of Region I "Storage-Only" Licenses Reviewed

The following licenses were reviewed in accordance with the memo dated February 22, 2000, Policy and Guidance Directive (PG) 1-27, "Reviewing Requests to Convert Active Licenses to Possession-Only Licenses":

<u>License No.</u>	<u>Docket No.</u>	<u>Licensee name</u>	<u>Status</u>
06-02695-01	030-00606	DOT (Coast Guard)	will remain 03800
07-00222-02	030-03851	Hercules, Inc.	will remain 03800
07-11871-06	030-33438	Delaware State U	will remain 03800
08-00604-05	030-33501	Carnegie Inst	will remain 03800
29-07470-04	030-33611	Pascack Valley Hospital	will remain 03800
29-19975-01	030-19545	Dewey Electronics	will remain 03800
29-28158-01	030-30430	Innovative Scientific Ser.	will remain 03800
37-00533-02	030-05997	HJ Heinz	will remain 03800
37-20693-01	030-20728	Greenspan, MD, Mitchell	will change to 03810. The licensee maintains the license in case of changes in his current business affiliation with another licensee.
37-21346-02	030-33552	AWK Consulting	will remain 03800
37-30206-01	030-33783	Diversified Energy	will remain 03800
37-30256-01	030-33969	Shade Coal	will remain 03800
SMB-1541	040-08980	Heritage Minerals	will remain 11800
SNM-205	070-00221	Electric Boat	will remain 23800
SNM-348	070-00378	Army (Adelphi)	will remain 23800
SNM-1319	070-01342	Biocontrol Technology	will remain 23800
SNM-1892	070-02951	Manhattan College	will remain 23800
SNM-1993	070-03078	ARCO	23800 will be changed to be the secondary program code in accordance with PG 1-27. This licensee is authorized to collect and store pacemakers. 23800 is currently listed as the primary program code because it carries a higher inspection frequency than other applicable program codes.
SUB-1571	040-09038	Oncology Therapy Center	will change to 11810. The licensee retains the license for DU shielding of a Linac that is not able to be used, pending business decision to re-furbish the Linac.
SUB-238	040-02253	Department of the Army	will remain 11800