

INFORMATION REPORT

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**Retirement Counseling Services**

On February 19, 2014, as a result of a competitive GSA Schedule solicitation, a labor hour contract (NRC-HQ-84-14-C-0001) was awarded to TAI Pedro & Associates P.C., of Silver Spring, MD. This contract will provide retirement counseling services to U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) employees. The period of performance is from March 12, 2014 to March 11, 2015, with four 1-year option periods. The total value of this contract is \$399,891.02, inclusive of all options.

**Retrospective Analysis under Executive Order 13579: Final Plan for Retrospective Analysis of Existing Rules; 2 CFR Chapter XX, 5 CFR Chapter XLVIII, and 10 CFR Chapter I (NRC-2011-0246)**

On February 24, 2014, the NRC published a document in the *Federal Register* ([79 FR 9981](#)) making available its final Plan for the retrospective analysis of its existing rules. The final Plan describes the processes and activities that the NRC uses to determine whether any of its regulations should be modified, streamlined, expanded, or repealed. This action is part of the NRC's voluntary implementation of Executive Order 13579, "Regulation and Independent Regulatory Agencies," issued by the President on July 11, 2011. The final Plan was effective on February 24, 2014.

**Office of Information Services (OIS)  
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**Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) and Privacy Act (PA) Requests and Appeals Received  
During the Period of February 21, 2014 – February 27, 2014:**

Any correspondence from or on behalf of Scott P. Brown and listed entities from February 1, 2011 to present	FOIA/PA-2014-0152
Copy of FOIA case log for 2013	FOIA/PA-2014-0153
All emails sent from TEPCO's (ex) board member to NRC from March 11, 2011 to present	FOIA/PA-2014-0154
APPEAL: Denial of Information (FOIA/PA-2014-0111)	FOIA/PA-2014-0009A
Any and all information on any type investigation on named individual	FOIA/PA-2014-0155
Office of the Inspector General report of allegation on named individual	FOIA/PA-2014-0156
Copy of report on Premium Travel for 2010, 2011 and 2012	FOIA/PA-2014-0157
Copy Premium Travel Report for years 2011-2013 submitted by federal employees working in federal offices in Ohio	FOIA/PA-2014-0158
Copy of all travel policies used between NRC Fiscal Year 2009 and present, which controlled the use of premium travel	FOIA/PA-2014-0159
NRC Contract NRC-10-10-373	FOIA/PA-2014-0160

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**Issuance of Davis-Besse Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement**

On February 26, 2014, the staff issued for public comment the draft supplemental environmental impact statement (SEIS) on the proposed renewal of the operating license for Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station, Unit 1. The report contains the NRC's preliminary finding that there are no environmental impacts that would preclude the option of license renewal for an additional 20 years of operation. As part of the environmental review of the application, the NRC will hold public meetings on March 25, 2014, near the plant, to discuss the preliminary findings in the draft SEIS and to solicit public comments on the document. The public comment period ends April 21, 2014. This is the fifth license renewal environmental impact statement issued since the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit vacated the Waste Confidence Decision rule. The staff continues to move forward with license renewal reviews; however, consistent with the direction provided by the Commission, the staff will not issue renewed licenses until the issues related to waste confidence are appropriately addressed.

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<b>Document Released to Public</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Subject</b>
<b>Information Papers</b>		
1. <a href="#">SECY-14-0021</a>	2/26/14	Weekly Information Report – Week Ending February 7, 2014
2. <a href="#">SECY-14-0023</a>	2/26/14	Weekly Information Report – Week Ending February 14, 2014
3. <a href="#">SECY-14-0024</a>	2/27/14	Weekly Information Report – Week Ending February 21, 2014

**Commission Correspondence**

1. Letter to Representative Fred Upton, et al., dated February 20, 2014, provides the January 2014 Monthly Status Report on NRC activities and expenditure of unobligated carryover funds appropriated from the Nuclear Waste Fund.
2. Letter to Representative David Roe and Representative Marsha Blackburn dated February 21, 2014, responds to request for information on low-level radioactive waste storage by NRC licensees.

**Federal Register Notices Issued**

1. Applications and Amendments to Facility Operating Licenses and Combined Licenses Involving Proposed No Significant Hazards Considerations and Containing SUNSI and Order Imposing Procedures for Access to SUNSI [NRC-2014-0029.
2. Draft NUREG: request for comment on Draft Fiscal Years 2014 – 2018 Strategic Plan NRC-2013-0230.
3. Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS) Meeting of the ACRS Subcommittee on Reliability and Probabilistic Risk Assessment (PRA) on March 5, 2014.