

**INFORMATION REPORT**

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For: The Commissioners

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Subject: WEEKLY INFORMATION REPORT - WEEK ENDING  
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**Office of Administration (ADM)  
Items of Interest  
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**Physical Protection of Category 1 and Category 2 Quantities of Radioactive Material:  
Petition for Rulemaking (PRM); Notice of Docketing and Request for Comment  
(PRM-37-1; NRC-2014-0172)**

On October 28, 2014, the NRC published a document in the *Federal Register* ([79 FR 64149](#)) regarding a PRM from Anthony R. Pietrangelo on behalf of the Nuclear Energy Institute (the petitioner) dated June 12, 2014. The petitioner requests that the NRC amend its regulations to “remove unnecessary and burdensome requirements on licensees with established physical security programs.” The petition was docketed by the NRC on July 17, 2014, and has been assigned Docket No. PRM-37-1. Comments are due by January 12, 2015.

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**Office of the Chief Human Capital Officer (OCHCO)**  
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<b>Arrivals</b>		
ANDOH, ROGER	FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OFFICER	OIS
BURNS, STEPHEN	COMMISSIONER	COMM
DELACRUZ, ARACELIS	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	CFO
ELMS, MICHAEL	SENIOR IT SPECIALIST	CSO
GRATTON, CHRISTOPHER	SENIOR PROJECT MANAGER	NRR
GUSACK, GEORGE	STUDENT MANAGEMENT ANALYST	OIG
HATHAWAY ALFRED	REACTOR SYSTEMS ENGINEER	RES
HIGHLEY, CHRISTOPHER	PROJECT ENGINEER RES INSPECTION PROGRAM	R-I
KENT, LAUREN	HUMAN FACTORS ENGINEER	NRO
RADER, ROBERT	SENIOR ATTORNEY	OGC
VELIS, ASTRID	CLERK	OCHCO
YEN, JERRY	CONTRACT SPECIALIST	ADM
ZORN, JASON	CHIEF OF STAFF	COMM
<b>Retirements</b>		
HILAND, PATRICK	DIRECTOR, DIVISION OF ENGINEERING	NRR
TANIOUS, NAIEM	PROJECT MANAGER	FSME
<b>Departures</b>		
DAVIS, GENEVIEVE	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	R-I
LORETTE, PHILIP	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	RES
PADILLA WILLIAM	TELECOMMUNICATIONS SPECIALIST	OIS
RICE, BLAKE	SENIOR RESIDENT INSPECTOR	R-IV

**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 October 24 – October 31, 2014:

Copy of notes relating to a conversation between named individual and Jack McFadden on or about August 15, 2009	FOIA/PA-2015-0029
Copy of Form SFLLL	FOIA/PA-2015-0030
Environmental Protection Agency's regulated facilities with radiation and radioactive materials	FOIA/PA-2015-0031
Office of Investigation (OI) report, OI 2-2011-047, issued on June 4, 2011	FOIA/PA-2015-0032
Copy of a vendor contract # NRCHQ12C330033	FOIA/PA-2015-0033
Copy of documents listed under accession numbers: ML13046A234, ML082910462, ML082960411, and ML092130009	FOIA/PA-2015-0034
Copy of "Draft Guideline 5022, Cyber Security Programs for Nuclear Facilities (ML081540345)	FOIA/PA-2015-0035
Commission Directive, policy, or written rule allowing staff to sign documents for other staff	FOIA/PA-2015-0036
Any documents with said name created after March 1, 1976	FOIA/PA-2015-0037
Copy of documents relating to the investigation of Allegation No. NRO-2013-A-0033, Inspection Report No. 05200020/2013-203, and copy of transcript of named individual's interview on September 17, 2013	FOIA/PA-2015-0038
Copy of report on Yucca Mountains as a safe nuclear waste repository, released October 16, 2014 (ML14288A121)	FOIA/PA-2015-0039

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**Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR)**  
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**Meeting with International Atomic Energy Agency**

On October 14-17, 2014, the staff participated in a technical meeting with the International Atomic Energy Agency in Shanghai, China. The purpose of the meeting was to work on the coordinated research project for the qualification, condition monitoring, and management of aging of low voltage cables in nuclear power plant life management. The goal of this project is to provide the current fleet of reactors and the next generation of nuclear facilities with information and guidelines on how to qualify cables, monitor the performance of existing cables, validate the condition monitoring methods used by the industry and establish a program of cable aging management. During the meeting, the staff listened to numerous technical presentations on low voltage cable testing and cable condition monitoring, as well as provided input during working group sessions.

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**Office of the Secretary (SECY)  
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<b>Document Released to Public</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Subject</b>
<b>Information Papers</b>		
1. <a href="#">SECY-14-0116</a>	10/28/14	Weekly Information Report – Week Ending October 17, 2014
2. <a href="#">SECY-14-0119</a>	10/30/14	Weekly Information Report – Week Ending October 24, 2014

Commission Correspondence

1. Letter to Representative Fred Upton, et al, dated October 14, 2014, responds to their letter with concerns with the use of qualitative considerations in regulatory analyses.
2. Letter to Representative Fred Upton, et al, dated October 24, 2014, provides the September monthly status report on unobligated carryover funds appropriated from the Nuclear Waste Fund.

Federal Register Notices Issued

1. Advisory Committee on the Medical Uses of Isotopes: Call for Nominations for Radiation Therapy Medical Physicist.
2. Advisory Committee on the Medical Uses of Isotopes: Meeting Notice- December 10, 2014.
3. Establishment of Atomic Safety and Licensing Board for Turkey Point Nuclear Generating Units 3 and 4.
4. Meeting of the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS) Subcommittee on Reliability and Probabilistic Risk Assessment (PRA).
5. Joint Meeting on the ACRS Subcommittee on Digital Instrument and Control (I&C) and PRA, Notice of Meeting – November 18-19, 2014.
6. Meeting of the ACRS Subcommittees on Structural Analysis Notice of Meeting – November 17, 2014.
7. Meeting on the ACRS Subcommittee on Digital I&C, Notice of Meeting – November 17, 2014.