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Office of Administration (ADM)
Items of Interest
Week Ending October 13, 2017

Prompt Remediation of Residual Radioactivity During Operation; Discontinuation of Rulemaking Activity; Part 20 of Title 10 of the Code of Federal Regulations (10 CFR) (Regulatory Identifier Number 3150-AJ17; NRC-2011-0162)

On October 6, 2017, the NRC published an FRN in the *Federal Register* ([82 FR 46666](#)) discontinuing a rulemaking activity that would have required licensees to remediate residual radioactivity resulting from licensed activities during facility operations, rather than at license termination. The purpose of this action is to inform members of the public that this rulemaking activity is being discontinued and to provide a brief discussion of the NRC's decision to discontinue it. This rulemaking activity will no longer be reported in the NRC's portion of the Unified Agenda of Regulatory and Deregulatory Actions (the Unified Agenda). This action was effective October 6, 2017.

Fire Protection Compensatory Measures; Petition for Rulemaking; Notice of Docketing and Request for Comment; 10 CFR Part 50; (Petition for Rulemaking (PRM) 50-115; NRC-2017-0132)

On October 6, 2017, the NRC published an FRN in the *Federal Register* ([82 FR 46717](#)) acknowledging receipt of a petition for rulemaking dated May 1, 2017, from David Lochbaum with co-petitioner Paul Gunter, on behalf of the Union of Concerned Scientists and Beyond Nuclear (the petitioners), requesting that the NRC "promulgate regulations that establish acceptable conditions for use of compensatory measures (e.g., fire watches, surveillance cameras, etc.) during periods when fire protection regulations are not met." The petition was docketed by the NRC on May 26, 2017, and has been assigned Docket No. PRM-50-115. The NRC is examining the issues raised in PRM-50-115 to determine whether they should be considered in rulemaking. Comments are requested by December 20, 2017.

Office of the Chief Human Capital Officer (OCHCO)
Items of Interest
Week Ending October 13, 2017

ARRIVALS		
NONE		
RETIREMENTS		
NONE		
DEPARTURES		
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**Office of the Chief Information Officer (OCIO)
Items of Interest
Week Ending October 13, 2017**

**Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) and Privacy Act (PA) Requests and Appeals Received
During the Period of October 10 – October 13, 2017, as submitted by requester**

Records pertaining to contacts involving the White House and the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission	FOIA/PA-2018-0022
All correspondences and public comments made that relate to medical issues of individuals living near the Indian Point Nuclear Power Plant since the year 2015 to present	FOIA/PA-2018-0023
Complete and true copy of the document identified as "FUGRO 1976: UNPUBLISHED REPORT PREPARED FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY AGENCY"	FOIA/PA-2018-0024

Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR)
Items of Interest
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Public Meeting on Industry Self-Assessments in the Reactor Oversight Process Baseline Inspection Program

On October 11, 2017, staff hosted a public meeting in Region II with industry representatives and other external stakeholders. The meeting was held to discuss the use of industry self-assessments in the Reactor Oversight Process baseline inspection program. The staff also presented the status of the NRC's engineering inspection working group's effort.

**Office of the Secretary (SECY)
Items of Interest
Week Ending October 13, 2017**

Document Released to Public	Date of Document	Subject
Decision Documents		
1. SECY-17-0095	09/21/2017	Review and Approval of Proposed Revision to Regulatory Guide 5.77, "Insider Mitigation Program"
Information Papers		
1. SECY-17-0102	10/12/2017	Weekly Information Report – Week Ending October 6, 2017

Commission Correspondence

1. Letter to the Honorable Lamar Alexander and Mike Simpson submits the NRC's Monthly Congressional Status Report for August 2017, dated September 28, 2017.
2. Letter to the Honorable John Barrasso submitting the ninth monthly report on the status of the licensing activities and regulatory duties of the NRC, dated October 2, 2017.