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Office of Administration (ADM) Items of Interest Week Ending October 23, 2015

<u>Hearings on Challenges to the Immediate Effectiveness of Orders: Final Rule; Parts 2 and 150 of Title 10 of the Code of Federal Regulations (Regulation Identifier Number 3150-AJ27; NRC-2013-0132)</u>

On October 20, 2015, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) published a final rule in the *Federal Register* (80 FR 63409) amending its regulations regarding challenges to the immediate effectiveness of NRC enforcement orders to clarify the burden of proof and to clarify the authority of the presiding officer to order live testimony in resolving these challenges. The final rule is effective on November 19, 2015.

Office of the Chief Human Capital Officer (OCHCO) Items of Interest Week Ending October 23, 2015

ARRIVALS		
None		
RETIREMENTS		
None		
DEPARTURES		
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Office of the Chief Information Officer (OCIO) Items of Interest Week Ending October 23, 2015

<u>Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) and Privacy Act (PA) Requests and Appeals Received</u> <u>During the Period of October 16 – October 23, 2015</u>:

Appeal the withholding of information in response: FOIA/PA 2015-0345, under Exemption 6	FOIA/PA-2016-0001A
FOIA logs for 2012 thru 2015.	FOIA/PA-2016-0014
Information and/or records pertaining to Byproduct Materials Licenses issued by the Atomic Energy Commission to the Carborundum Company, Niagara Falls, NY, in 1952 and/or later years	FOIA/PA-2016-0015
Medical examiner results on random drug screenings done between October 2014 thru June 2015.	FOIA/PA-2016-0016

Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR) Items of Interest Week Ending October 23, 2015

Watts Bar Unit 2 Operating License

On October 22, 2015, the Director of NRR issued the Watts Bar Unit 2 operating license to the Tennessee Valley Authority. In 2008, the staff reactivated the Watts Bar 2 licensing review after a 20 year construction hiatus. Watts Bar Unit 2 is the first reactor to receive an operating license under Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations*, Part 50, since Watts Bar Unit 1 did in 1996. The staff will continue inspections and oversight during fuel load and start-up activities as Watts Bar transitions to dual-unit operation.

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Office of the Secretary (SECY) Items of Interest Week Ending October 23, 2015

Document Released to Public	Date of Document	Subject
Information Papers		
1. SECY-15-0124	10/05/2015	Status of the Accident Sequence Precursor Program and the Standardized Plant Analysis Risk Models.

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