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NRC Announces Opportunity to Request Hearing on **Indian Point License Transfer Application**

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission has accepted for review an application from Entergy Nuclear Operations to transfer the licenses for Indian Point Units 1, 2, and 3 and also for the associated independent spent fuel storage installation, to Holtec Decommissioning International.

Entergy submitted the application on Nov. 21, 2019, and HDI submitted a Post-Shutdown Decommissioning Activities Report for the site, near Buchanan, N.Y., in December 2019. The NRC will consider that report as a supplement to the transfer application.

The NRC has published in the *Federal Register* a notice of opportunity to request an adjudicatory hearing regarding the application. Hearing requests may be filed by February 12, by anyone whose interests may be affected by the proposed transfer. More information on the hearing process is available on the NRC website.

The <u>application</u>, excluding proprietary details, is available in ADAMS, the NRC electronic document database. The transfer, if approved, would occur following the permanent shutdown and defueling of Indian Point Units 2 and 3. Indian Point Unit 1 permanently shut down in 1974. Accepting the application for review, or "docketing" the application, does not indicate whether the Commission will approve or reject the request.