INFORMATION REPORT

JULY 07, 2022

FOR: The Commissioners

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SUBJECT: WEEKLY INFORMATION REPORT – WEEK ENDING
JULY 1, 2022

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Office of the Chief Human Capital Officer (OCHCO) Items of Interest Week Ending July 1, 2022

ARRIVALS			
ADAMS, JADE	GENERAL ENGINEER NRAN OCH		
ATKINSON, DEION	GENERAL ENGINEER NRAN	OCHCO	
BETTES, BRIAN	GENERAL ENGINEER NRAN	OCHCO	
BRITO, TRACY	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	NSIR	
BRYSON, LAUREN	GENERAL ENGINEER NRAN	OCHCO	
BURGESS, DAVID	GENERAL ENGINEER NRAN	OCHCO	
CRUZ ROSADO, LUIS	GENERAL ENGINEER NRAN	OCHCO	
EBRAHIM, SAYO	SR IT SPECIALIST	OCIO	
FIEDOREK, DANIEL	GENERAL ENGINEER NRAN	OCHCO	
FISHER, VERONICA	GENERAL ENGINEER NRAN	OCHCO	
FLANAGAN, SEAMUS	GENERAL ENGINEER NRAN	OCHCO	
GUPTA SARMA, TRISHA	GENERAL ENGINEER NRAN	OCHCO	
HARVEY, RICHARD	ACMUI MEMBER	NMSS	
HELGERT, ZACKERY	GENERAL ENGINEER NRAN	ОСНСО	
KIM, JUN HWAN	SPACE MANAGEMENT SPECIALIST	ADM	
MCPHERSON, JOSEPH	GENERAL ENGINEER NRAN	OCHCO	
NELLIS, CHRISTOPHER	REACTOR ENGINEER	RES	
ROMERO, REBECCA	GENERAL ENGINEER NRAN	OCHCO	
ROSS, MIRANDA	GENERAL ENGINEER NRAN	OCHCO	
ROWE, ANDRES	GENERAL ENGINEER NRAN	OCHCO	
SOUTH, JESSICA	PROJECT ENGINEER (RIDP)	R-II	
SULLIVAN, KELLY	GENERAL ENGINEER NRAN	OCHCO	
TROTTER, KELLI	GENERAL ENGINEER NRAN	OCHCO	
VANDE POLDER, JACK	GENERAL ENGINEER NRAN	оснсо	

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RETIREMENTS			
ARTAYET, ALAIN S.	SR. CONSTRUCTION INSPECTOR R-II		
BOSCO, PAULETTE	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT TO THE IG	OIG	
PANNIER, STEPHEN J.	REACTOR SYSTEMS ENGINEER	NRR	
PATEL, CHANDU P.	SENIOR PROJECT MANAGER	NRR	
REBSTOCK JR., PAUL J.	SR. INSTRUMENTATION & CONTROL ENGR	RES	
RIEMER, KENNETH R.	BRANCH CHIEF	R-III	
THURSTON, CARL G.	NUCLEAR ENGINEER NRR		
DEPARTURES			
HEESZEL, DAVID S.	GEOPHYSICIST	NRR	
MCDADE, LAWRENCE G.	ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE (LEGAL) ASLB		
WANG, XIAOYAN Z.	SENIOR AUDITOR	OIG	

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Office of the Chief Information Officer (OCIO) Items of Interest Week Ending July 1, 2022

<u>Freedom of Information Act and Privacy Act Requests, Appeals, and Consultations Received During the Period of June 27 – July 1, as submitted by requester</u>

Tracking Number	Requester's Name	Requester's Organization	Request Description	Received Date
2022- 000197	Drew Stover	IBEW Local 84	I am requesting all documents related to a report on named individual – Investigation Summary, Office of Investigations Case Number 2-2021-008.	06/28/2022
2022- 000198	Bijay R. Gurung		Any records pertaining to the Trojan Nuclear Plants siren system.	06/28/2022
2022- 000199	Ajmel Ā. Quereshi	NAACP Legal Defense Fund	a) Any and all documents regarding the creation, drafting, development, or promulgation of the Executive Order [EO], including but not limited to the Department of Treasury seminar referenced in the EO; the Training materials from Argonne National Laboratories referenced in the EO; the Materials from Sandia National Laboratories referenced in the EO; the Smithsonian Institution museum graphic referenced in the EO; drafts of the EO; written comments and any other documents related to any interagency review of the EO; any analysis of the economy and efficiency of the EO made pursuant to the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act;	06/29/2022

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Tracking	Requester's	Requester's	Request Description	Received
Number	Name	Organization		Date
2022- 000199 continued	Ajmel A. Quereshi	NAACP Legal Defense Fund	and all other correspondence, statements, memoranda, presentations, and instructions related to the creation, drafting,	06/29/2022
continued			development, or promulgation of the EO; a) (sic) Any and all documents related to any requests made by or to federal agencies seeking examples of diversity, racial sensitivity or other racial inclusivity trainings conducted in the past three years that might be implicated by this order, and the responses received from those agencies. b) Any and all drafts and final memoranda, opinions, or correspondence regarding review of the EO for form and legality by the U.S. Department of Justice, as required by EO 1,030 § 2, 27 Fed.	
			Reg. 5,847 (June 19, 1962); c) Any and all documents, including drafts, regarding the financial impact of the EO; d) Any and all documents, including drafts, regarding the expenditures necessary to implement the EO; e) Any and all documents related to the implementation of the EO, including but not limited to any review process that would be undertaken of existing contracts and the guidelines or standards for this process; any presentations or related materials explaining what is specifically prohibited by the EO;	

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Tracking Number	Requester's Name	Requester's Organization	Request Description	Received Date
2022- 000199 continued	Ajmel A. Quereshi	NAACP Legal Defense Fund	any communications with the Department of Labor and other documents related to the creation of the hotline referenced in the EO, any memoranda or advisories provided to agency personnel related to the launch or implementation of the initiative, and any directives provided to agency leadership describing the plans, processes or procedures for the implementation of the EO; and f) Any and all documents and communications received in response to the EO, including but not limited to communications to the hotline created pursuant to Section 4(b); and communications from other federal agencies, contractors, sub-contractors and grant recipients.	06/29/2022
2022- 000200	John E. Foland		No description of records sought.	06/29/2022
2022-000201	Nicholas Confessore	The New York Times	Any e-mail communication between named individual or named individual and employees of the Department. In particular, please search for correspondence with the Loans Program Office; any employee or appointee of the Office of the Secretary and Deputy Secretary; any employee or appointee of the Undersecretary of Energy; and any employee or appointee of the Office of the General Counsel. Please search for documents during the period March 1, 2019, through May 21st or the date at which this search is conducted, whichever is later.	06/30/2022
2022- 000202	Cardelia Maupin		NRC records related to named or named individuals.	06/30/2022

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Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR) Items of Interest Week Ending July 1, 2022

NRC Issued License Amendment to the Armed Forces Radiobiology Research Institute

On June 27, 2022, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) issued a license amendment to the Armed Forces Radiobiology Research Institute (AFRRI) authorizing use of an upgraded digital console (ML22131A371). AFRRI has been shut down since 2018 when inspectors observed that AFRRI had installed an upgraded console following an incomplete Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR) 50.59 evaluation. AFRRI responded by submitting a license amendment request for the installation and use of an upgraded console. Granting the license amendment allows AFRRI to resume normal reactor operations following the violation that led to the shutdown of the facility.

NRC Issued the Final Conforming Licenses for the Transfer of the Facility Licenses for Palisades and Big Rock Point

On June 28, 2022 (ML22179A075), Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc. (ENOI) informed the NRC of the successful purchase and sale transaction closing of Palisades and Big Rock Point to Holtec International (Holtec). On the same day, the staff issued the final conforming license amendments (ML22173A179) for both sites in support of the transfer of the facility licenses from ENOI to Holtec Palisades, LLC, and Holtec Decommissioning International, LLC.

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Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards (NMSS) Items of Interest Week Ending July 1, 2022

<u>Items Containing Byproduct Material Incidental to Production: Proposed Rule and Draft</u> Guidance; 10 CFR Parts 30 and 32 (NRC-2015-0017; RIN 3150-AJ54)

On June 27, 2022, the NRC published a notice in the *Federal Register* (87 FR 38012) proposing to amend its regulations by adding a new class exemption from licensing and associated distribution requirements. This new class exemption would create a path for licensing current and future products that contain byproduct material incidental to their production. This rulemaking would resolve a petition for rulemaking submitted by GE Osmonics, Inc., that requested changes to the regulations to allow distribution of polycarbonate track etched membranes. The NRC plans to hold a public meeting to promote full understanding of the proposed rule and facilitate public comments. Comments are requested by September 12, 2022.

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Office of Administration (ADM) Items of Interest Week Ending July 1, 2022

Secure Data Center Cloud Computing and Cloud Access Point Colocation Service

On June 27, 2022, contract number GS35F401BA/31310022F0038 was awarded to Equinix, Inc. in Redwood City, CA. The purpose of this contract is to procure cost effective and secure cage space and cabinets to host NRC network and service infrastructure with direct, zero network hop connectivity to common carrier access points, and multi-point connectivity to approved cloud service providers. The period of performance is from July 1, 2022, through June 30, 2023, with four option periods. The total potential value of the contract can be up to \$3,011,730.51.

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Office of the Secretary (SECY) Items of Interest Week Ending July 1, 2022

Document Released to Public	Date of Document	Subject			
Decision Documents	Decision Documents				
1. None					
Information Papers					
1. None					
Memoranda					
1. None					

Commission Correspondence

- 1. Letter to the Honorable Steve Sisolak, Governor of Nevada, congratulating his state on its 50th anniversary of becoming an Agreement State
- 2. Letter to the Honorable Frank Pallone, Jr., et al., submits the May 2022 monthly status report on the NRC activities and use of unobligated funds appropriated from the Nuclear Waste Fund
- 3. Letter to the Honorable Gary C. Peters, et al., submits the report on the protection of whistleblowers into job requirements and performance standards of supervisory employees
- 4. Letter to the Honorable Thomas R. Carper, et al., submits the NRC's Report to Congress on the Security Inspection Program for Commercial Power Reactors and CAT 1 Fuel Facilities: Results and Status Update Calendar Year 2021
- 5. Letter to the Honorable Shelley Moore Capito and James Inhofe, responds to letter regarding the NRC's efforts to assess and modernize the Reactor Oversight Process
- 6. Letter to the Honorable Patrick Leahy, et al., submits the report on preparedness for accident tolerant fuel licensing, including higher burnup and enrichment, as directed by the explanatory statement accompanying the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2022

Federal Register Notices Issued

None.

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