

June 27, 2007

MEMORANDUM TO: Frank P. Gillespie, Executive Director
Advisory Committee on Nuclear Waste and Materials

FROM: Annette L. Vietti-Cook, Secretary **/RA/**

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS - COMSECY-07-0021 - DRAFT PRESS
RELEASE AND FEDERAL REGISTER NOTICE TO SOLICIT
QUALIFIED CANDIDATES FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE
ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON NUCLEAR WASTE AND
MATERIALS (ACNW&M)

The Commission has approved the proposed *Federal Register* Notice and press release, subject to the comments noted below.

Changes to the *Federal Register* Notice

1. Page 1, last paragraph, revise line 3 to read ' ... review of, and advice on, the' Revise line 4 to read ' ... radioactive waste, interim storage of'
2. Page 1, last paragraph, line 7, add a new sentence at the end of the line which reads: See NRC website at <http://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/regulatory/advisory/acnw.html> for additional information about ACNW&M.
3. Page 2, line 5 from the top, insert a new sentence after the period which reads: ACNW&M Committee members are appointed for four-year terms and normally serve no more than two terms. Revise line 7 to read ' ... must be **at least** 10 years'
4. Page 2, paragraph 2, insert 2 new sentences at the beginning of the paragraph which read: Candidates will undergo a thorough background investigation to obtain the security clearance (up to a Q clearance) that is mandatory for all ACNW&M members. The background investigation will require the completion and submission of paperwork to NRC.
5. Page 3, last paragraph, revise the last line to read '**Résumés** ~~Applications~~ will be'

Changes to the Press Release

6. Page 1, paragraph 2, revise line 2 to read ' ... review of, and advice on, the' Revise line 3 to read ' ... radioactive waste, interim'
7. Page 3, line 6 from the top, insert a new sentence after the period which reads: A background investigation for a security clearance (up to a Q clearance), or the transfer of an up-to-date security clearance, will also be required.

cc: Chairman Klein
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