

Virginia 23666-1340, a partially exclusive license to practice the inventions protected by the following U.S. Patents: 4,829,035 entitled "REACTIVATION OF A TIN OXIDE-CONTAINING CATALYST," which was granted May 9, 1989; 4,855,274 entitled "PROCESS FOR MAKING A NOBLE METAL ON TIN OXIDE CATALYST," which was granted August 8, 1989; 4,912,082 entitled "CATALYST FOR CARBON MONOXIDE OXIDATION," which was granted March 27, 1990; and 4,991,181 entitled "CATALYST FOR CARBON MONOXIDE OXIDATION," which was granted February 5, 1991, by the United States of America as represented by the Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

The partially exclusive license will contain appropriate terms and conditions to be negotiated in accordance with NASA Patent Licensing Regulations (14 CFR Part 1245). NASA will negotiate the final terms and conditions and grant the license unless, within 60 days of the date of this notice, the Director of Patent Licensing receives written objections to the grant, together with supporting documentation. The Director of Patent Licensing will review all written responses to this notice and then recommend to the Associate General Counsel (Intellectual Property) whether to grant the license.

DATES: Comments to this notice must be received by (insert 60 days from the date of publication in the **Federal Register**).

ADDRESSES: National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Code GP, Washington, DC 20546.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Harry Lupuloff, NASA, Director of Patent Licensing at (202) 358-2041.

Dated: April 7, 1995.

Edward A. Frankle,
General Counsel.

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NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

Expansion Arts Advisory Panel; Meeting

Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), as amended, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Expansion Arts Advisory Panel (Rural Arts Initiative Section) to the National Council on the Arts will be held on May 16, 1995 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. in Room 714, at the Nancy Hanks Center,

1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506.

Portions of this meeting will be open to the public from 9:00 a.m. to 9:45 a.m. for opening remarks and a general program overview and from 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. for a policy discussion.

Remaining portion of this meeting from 9:45 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. is for the purpose of panel review, discussion, evaluation, and recommendation on applications for financial assistance under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including information given in confidence to the agency by grant applicants. In accordance with the determination of the Chairman of February 8, 1994, this session will be closed to the public pursuant to subsection (c)(4), (6) and (9)(B) of section 552b of Title 5, United States Code.

Any person may observe meetings, or portions thereof, of advisory panels which are open to the public, and may be permitted to participate in the panel's discussions at the discretion of the Panel chairman and with the approval of the full-time Federal employee in attendance.

If you need special accommodations due to a disability, please contact the Office of Special Constituencies, National Endowment for the Arts, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506, 202/682-5532, TTY 202/682-5496, at least seven (7) days prior to the meeting.

Further information with reference to this meeting can be obtained from Ms. Yvonne M. Sabine, Committee Management Officer, National Endowment for the Arts, Washington, DC 20506, or call 202/682-5433.

Dated: April 17, 1995.

Yvonne M. Sabine,

Director, Office of Council and Panel Operations, National Endowment for the Arts.

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Music Advisory Panel; Notice of Meeting

Pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463), as amended, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Music Advisory Panel (Composers Fellowships Section) to the National Council on the Arts will be held on May 15-18, 1995 from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. This meeting will be held in Room M-14, at the Nancy Hanks Center, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506.

A portion of this meeting will be open to the public on May 18 from 3:00 p.m.

to 5:30 p.m. for a policy discussion and guidelines review.

The remaining portions of this meeting from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on May 15-17 and from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on May 18 are for the purpose of Panel review, discussion, evaluation, and recommendation on applications for financial assistance under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including information given in confidence to the agency by grant applicants. In accordance with the determination of the Chairman of February 8, 1994, these sessions will be closed to the public pursuant to subsection (c)(4), (6) and (9)(B) of section 552b of Title 5, United States Code.

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Further information with reference to this meeting can be obtained from Ms. Yvonne Sabine, Committee Management Officer, National Endowment for the Arts, Washington, DC 20506, or call 202/682-5433.

Dated: April 17, 1995.

Yvonne M. Sabine,

Director, Office of Council and Panel Operations, National Endowment for the Arts.

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Visual Arts Advisory Panel; Meeting

Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), as amended, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Visual Arts Advisory Panel (Painting Fellowships Section) to the National Council on the Arts will be held on May 15-19, 1995. The panel will meet from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. on May 15-18 and from 9:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on May 19 in Room 716, at the Nancy Hanks Center, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506.

A portion of this meeting will be open to the public from 3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. on May 19 for a policy and guidelines discussion.

The remaining portions of this meeting from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. on May 15–18 and from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. on May 19 are for the purpose of panel review, discussion, evaluation, and recommendation on applications for financial assistance under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including information given in confidence to the agency by grant applicants. In accordance with the determination of the Chairman of February 8, 1994, these sessions will be closed to the public pursuant to subsection (c)(4), (6) and (9)(B) of section 552b of Title 5, United States Code.

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Dated: April 17, 1995.

Yvonne M. Sabine,

Director, Office of Council and Panel Operations, National Endowment for the Arts.
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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. 50-416]

Entergy Operations, Inc.; Environmental Assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) is considering issuance of an exemption from certain requirements of its regulations to Facility Operating License No. NPF-29, issued to Entergy Operations, Inc. (the licensee), for operation of the Grand Gulf Nuclear Station, Unit 1 (GGNS), located in Claiborne County, Mississippi.

Environmental Assessment

Identification of Proposed Action

The proposed action is in accordance with the licensee's application dated August 13, 1993, as supplemented by letters dated April 15, May 11, June 24, and July 20, 1994, pursuant to 10 CFR 50.12(a), which would exempt Entergy Operations Inc. from Sections III.D.1(a), III.D.2, III.D.2(b)(i), III.D.2.(b)(iii) and III.D.3 of 10 CFR Part 50, Appendix J, to permit the selection of containment leakage rate testing intervals for components on the basis of performance.

The Need for the Proposed Action

The proposed action is needed to permit the licensee to defer a portion of the Type B and C tests from the April 1995 and September 1996 refueling outages to the April 1998 refueling outage, thereby reducing the occupational radiation exposure received by the plant staff, saving the cost of performing the test, and eliminating the test period from the critical path time of the outage.

Without this exemption, the licensee would incur additional personnel radiation exposure during system reconfigurations, and instrumentation setup and restoration.

Environmental Impacts of the Proposed Action

The Commission has completed its evaluation of the proposed action and concludes that the proposed exemption would not increase the probability or consequences of accidents previously analyzed and the proposed exemption would not affect facility radiation levels or facility radiological effluents. The licensee, as a condition of the proposed exemption, will perform the visual containment inspection although it is only required by Appendix J to be conducted in conjunction with Type A tests. The NRC staff considers that these inspections, though limited in scope, provide an important added level of confidence in the continued integrity of the containment boundary.

The change will not increase the probability or consequences of accidents, no changes are being made in the types of any effluents that may be released offsite, and there is no significant increase in the allowable individual or cumulative occupational radiation exposure. Accordingly, the Commission concludes that there are no significant radiological environmental impacts associated with the proposed action.

With regard to potential nonradiological impacts, the proposed

action involves features located entirely within the restricted area as defined in 10 CFR Part 20. It does not affect nonradiological plant effluents and has no other environmental impact. Accordingly, the Commission concludes that there are no significant nonradiological environmental impacts associated with the proposed action.

Alternative to the Proposed Action

Since the Commission has concluded there is no measurable environmental impact associated with the proposed action, any alternatives with equal or greater environmental impact need not be evaluated. As an alternative to the proposed action, the staff considered denial of the proposed action. Denial of the application would result in no change in current environmental impacts. The environmental impacts of the proposed action and the alternative action are similar.

Alternative Use of Resources

This action does not involve the use of any resources not previously considered in the Final Environmental Statements related to operation of Grand Gulf Nuclear Station, Unit 1.

Agencies and Persons Consulted

In accordance with its stated policy, on March 30, 1995 the staff consulted with the Mississippi State official, Mr. Eddie Fuente of the Mississippi State Department of Health, regarding the environmental impact of the proposed action. The State official had no comments.

Finding of No Significant Impact

Based upon the environmental assessment, the Commission concludes that the proposed action will not have a significant effect on the quality of the human environment. Accordingly, the Commission has determined not to prepare an environmental impact statement for the proposed action.

For further details with respect to this action, see the request for exemption dated August 13, 1993, as supplemented by letters dated April 15, May 11, June 24, and July 20, 1994, which are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, The Gelman Building, 2120 L Street, NW., Washington, DC, and at the local public document room located at the Judge George W. Armstrong Library, 220 S. Commerce Street, Natchez, Mississippi 39120.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland this 6th day of April 1995.