

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.

Alternatives 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 Statement for the Susquehanna Steam Electric Station, Units 1 and 2.

Agencies and Persons Consulted

In accordance with its stated policy, on July 7, 1995, the staff consulted with the Pennsylvania State official, David Ney of the Department of Radiation Protection, 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 the proposed action, see the licensee's letter dated February 21, 1995, which is 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 Osterhout Free Library, Reference Department, 71 South Franklin Street, Wilkes Barre, Pennsylvania 18701.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 8th day of August 1995.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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Workshop on Development of Regulatory Guidance Implementing the Final Rule on Radiological Criteria for Decommissioning; Notice

SUMMARY: The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is preparing to hold a workshop to provide information to interested members of the public regarding draft implementation guidance for the final rule on Radiological Criteria for Decommissioning. Implementation issues to be discussed include pathways modeling, dose assessment, performance of site surveys, and instrumentation. NRC staff will discuss the use of the World Wide Web (WWW) to allow the public to interact with the staff during the development of implementation guidance. In addition, NRC staff will present an overview of the status of the final rule, including a discussion of the major issues identified in the public comments on the proposed rule (59 FR 43200).

DATES: The workshop will be held on Friday, September 29, 1995, from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The workshop will be held in the main auditorium located at the NRC Headquarters Building, Two White Flint North (TWFN), 11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD 20852-2738, telephone (301) 415-5811. Seating is limited to 300 people and will be on a first-come, first-served basis. It should also be noted that parking at the TWFN building is very limited.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Charleen Raddatz, Office of Research, Mail Stop T-9C24, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555, telephone (301) 415-6215 or Christine Daily, Office of Research, Mail Stop T-9C24, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555, telephone (301) 415-6026.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On August 22, 1994 (59 FR 43200), NRC published for comment a proposed rule on Radiological Criteria for Decommissioning, 10 CFR Parts 20, 30, 40, 50, 51, 70, and 72, that would provide the regulatory basis for determining the extent to which lands and structures must be remediated before a site can be considered decommissioned. Between January and June of 1993, seven workshops were conducted throughout the United States to solicit commentary from affected interested parties on the fundamental approaches and issues that must be addressed in establishing radiological criteria for decommissioning.

The purpose of this workshop is to provide information and training in

specific technical areas including pathways modeling, dose assessment, performance of site surveys and instrumentation to interested members of the public. The staff will provide additional information to facilitate the use of the World Wide Web as a means of participating in a virtual working group (VWG). The purpose of the VWG is to encourage interactive constructive input between participants and NRC staff. The VWG will be devoted to the further development of useful implementation guidance and will have the opportunity to review and comment on staff documents as they are developed. In this way, NRC staff hopes to continue the Enhanced Participatory process that has distinguished this rulemaking.

Conduct of the Meeting

The format will consist of a lecture by NRC personnel with emphasis on providing training for potential participants of the Virtual Working Group followed by time for questions and comments from the audience. Staff drafts of implementation documents will be available 30 days prior to the meeting and will be available on the NRC Enhanced Participatory Rulemaking on Radiological Criteria for Decommissioning Electronic Bulletin Board. Interested persons may connect to the bulletin board by calling 1-800-880-6091 (58 FR 37760; July 13, 1993). The bulletin board may be accessed using a personal computer, a modem, and most commonly available communications software packages. Communication software parameters should be set as follows: parity to none, data bits to 8, and stop bits to 1 (N,8,1). Use ANSI or VT-100 terminal emulation. Background documents on the rulemaking are also available for downloading and viewing on the bulletin board. For more information, call Ms. Christine Daily, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555. Phone (301) 415-6026; FAX (301) 415-5385.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 8th day of August, 1995.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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