

- Day 1: registration and check-in, opening remarks, and initiating events performance indicators
- Day 2: mitigating systems and barrier performance indicators.
- Day 3: barrier performance indicators (continued) and Emergency Preparedness performance indicators.
- Day 4: occupational exposure, public exposure, and physical protection performance indicators.

Note: Each day will end with a question and answer session.

Workshop Pre-Registration

Active participants and observers at the workshop are requested to pre-register with the NRC approximately two weeks before the workshop. Attendees may pre-register in either of the following ways:

(1) Fax to Elaine Toro at (301) 415-3707

(2) Mail to: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Attn: Elaine Toro, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation, Mailstop O5H4, Washington, D.C. 20555-0001

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 17th day of March, 1999.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

William M. Dean,

Chief Inspection Program Branch, Division of Inspection Program Management, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation.

Cornerstone Performance Indicator Workshop Registration, Holiday Inn, Glen Ellyn, IL, April 12-15, 1999

(Please Print)

Name: _____
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Pilot Plant (Yes/No) _____

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Name (for name badge): _____

Mail your registration form to: Elaine Toro, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation, Mail Stop O-5H2, Washington, DC 20555.

Fax your registration form to: 301-415-3707 Attention: Elaine Toro.

THIS REGISTRATION FORM IS FOR THE WORKSHOP ONLY. PLEASE MAKE HOTEL RESERVATIONS SEPARATELY.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

DATE: Weeks of March 22, 29, April 5, and 12, 1999.

PLACE: Commissioners' Conference Room, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

STATUS: Public and Closed.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

Week of March 22

Thursday, March 25

2:30 p.m.—Briefing on Part 35 Rulemaking (Public Meeting)
(Contact: Patricia Holahan, 301-415-8125)

Friday, March 28

9:00 a.m.—Briefing on Proposed Reactor Oversight Process Improvements & Enforcement (Public Meeting)
(Contact: William Dean, 301-415-2240)

12:30 p.m.—Affirmation Session (Public Meeting)

* (Please Note: This item will be affirmed immediately following the conclusion of the preceding meeting.)

a: Changes to Paragraph (h) of 10 CFR Part 50.55a, "Codes and Standards"

Week of March 29—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the Week of March 29.

Week of April 5—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the Week of April 5.

Week of April 12

Wednesday, April 14

9:00 a.m.—Briefing on Investigative Matters (Closed—Ex. 5 & 7)

11:00 a.m.—Briefing on Remaining Issues Related to Proposed Restart of Millstone Unit 2 (Public Meeting)
(Contact: William Dean, 301-415-2240)

Thursday, April 15

2:00 p.m.—Briefing on Status of Uranium Recovery (Public Meeting)
(Contact: King Stablein, 301-415-7238)

3:00 p.m.—Affirmation Session (Public Meeting) (If needed)

Friday, April 16

9:30 a.m.—Briefing on Rulemaking For Generally Licensed Devices (Public Meeting) (Contact: Patricia Holahan, 301-415-8125)

*The schedule for Commission meetings is subject to change on short notice. To verify the status of meetings call (recording)—(301) 415-1292. Contact Person for more information: Bill Hill (301) 415-1661.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: By a vote of 5-0 on March 17, the Commission determined pursuant to U.S.C. 552b(e) and §9.107(a) of the Commission's rules that "Affirmation of Radiological Criteria for License Termination of Uranium Recovery Facilities" (PUBLIC MEETING) be held on March 17, and on less than one week's notice to the public.

The NRC Commission Meeting Schedule can be found on the Internet at: <http://www.nrc.gov/SECY/smj/schedule.htm>

This notice is distributed by mail to several hundred subscribers; if you no longer wish to receive it, or would like to be added to it, please contact the Office of the Secretary, Attn: Operations Branch, Washington, DC 20555 (301-415-1661). In addition, distribution of this meeting notice over the Internet system is available. If you are interested in receiving this Commission meeting schedule electronically, please send an electronic message to wmh@nrc.gov or dkw@nrc.gov.

Dated: March 19, 1999.

William M. Hill, Jr.,

SECY, Tracking Officer, Office of the Secretary.

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RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

SUMMARY: In accordance with the requirement of Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 which provides opportunity for public comment on new or revised data collections, the Railroad Retirement Board (RRB) will publish periodic summaries of proposed data collections.

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information has practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the RRB's estimate of the burden of the collection of the information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden related to the collection of information on respondents, including the use of

automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Title and Purpose of information collection: Annual Earnings Questionnaire for Annuitants in Last Pre-Retirement Non-Railroad Employment; OMB 3220-0179.

Under section 2(e)(3) of the Railroad Retirement Act (RRA), an annuity is not payable for any month in which a beneficiary works for a railroad. In addition, an annuity is reduced for any month in which the beneficiary works for an employer other than a railroad employer and earns more than a prescribed amount. Under the 1988 amendments to the RRA, the Tier II portion of the regular annuity and any supplemental annuity must be reduced by one dollar for each two dollars of Last Pre-Retirement Non-Railroad Employment (LPE) earnings for each month of such service. However, the reduction cannot exceed fifty percent of the Tier II and supplemental annuity amount for the month to which such deductions apply. LPE generally refers to an annuitant's last employment with a non-railroad person, company, or institution prior to retirement which was performed whether at the same time of, or after an annuitant stopped railroad employment. The collection obtains earnings information needed by the RRB to determine if possible reductions in annuities because of Last Pre-Retirement Non-Railroad Employment Earnings (LPE) are in order.

The RRB utilizes Form G-19L to obtain LPE earnings information from annuitants. Companion Form G-19L.1, which serves as an instruction sheet and contains the Paperwork Reduction/Privacy Act Notice for the collection accompanies each Form G-19L sent to an annuitant. One response is requested of each respondent. Completion is required to retain a benefit. The RRB proposes minor editorial changes to Form G-19L and Form G-19L.1.

The estimated annual respondent burden is as follows:

Estimated number of responses: 5,000.

Estimated completion time per response: 15 minutes.

Estimated annual burden hours: 1,250.

Additional Information or Comments:

To request more information or to obtain a copy of the information collection justification, forms, and/or supporting material, please call the RRB Clearance Officer at (312) 751-3363. Comments regarding the information collection should be addressed to Ronald J. Hodapp, Railroad Retirement Board, 844 N. Rush Street, Chicago, Illinois 60611-2092. Written comments

should be received within 60 days of this notice.

Chuck Mierzwa,

Clearance Officer.

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RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

Agency Forms Submitted for OMB Review

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), the Railroad Retirement Board (RRB) has submitted the following proposal(s) for the collection of information to the Office of Management and Budget for review and approval.

SUMMARY OF PROPOSAL(S):

(1) *Collection title:* Certification of Relinquishment of Rights.

(2) *Form(s) submitted:* G-88.

(3) *OMB Number:* 3220-0016.

(4) *Expiration date of current OMB clearance:* 5/31/1999.

(5) *Type of request:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

(6) *Respondents:* Individuals or households.

(7) *Estimated annual number of respondents:* 3,600.

(8) *Total annual responses:* 3,600.

(9) *Total annual reporting hours:* 360.

(10) *Collection description:* Under Section 2(e)(2) of the Railroad Retirement Act, the Railroad Retirement Board must have evidence that an annuitant for an age and service, spouse, or divorced spouse annuity has relinquished their rights to return to the service of a railroad employer. The collection provides the means for obtaining this evidence.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR COMMENTS:

Copies of the form and supporting documents can be obtained from Chuck Mierzwa, the agency clearance officer (312-751-3363). Comments regarding the information collection should be addressed to Ronald J. Hodapp, Railroad Retirement Board, 844 North Rush Street, Chicago, Illinois, 60611-2092 and the OMB reviewer, Laurie Schack (202-395-7316), Office of Management and Budget, Room 10230, New Executive Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20503.

Chuck Mierzwa,

Clearance Officer.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

Upon written request, copies available from: Securities and Exchange Commission, Office of Filings and Information Services, 450 5th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20549.

Extension:

Rule 7d-1, SEC File No. 270-176, OMB Control No. 3235-0311.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501-3520), the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission") has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget ("OMB") a request for extension and approval of the collections of information discussed below.

Section 7(d) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 [15 U.S.C. 80a-7(d)] (the "Act" or "Investment Company Act") requires an investment company ("fund") organized outside the United States ("foreign fund") to obtain an order from the Commission allowing the fund to register under the Act before making a public offering of its securities through the United States mail or any means of interstate commerce. The Commission may issue an order only if it finds both that it is legally and practically feasible effectively to enforce the provisions of the Act against the foreign fund, and that the registration of the fund is consistent with the public interest and protection of investors.

Rule 7d-1 [17 CFR 270.7d-1] under the Act, which was adopted in 1954, specifies the conditions under which a Canadian management investment company ("Canadian fund") may request an order from the Commission permitting it to register under the Act. Although rule 7d-1 by its terms applies only to Canadian funds, funds in other jurisdictions generally have agreed to comply with the requirements of rule 7d-1 as a prerequisite to receiving an order permitting the fund's registration under the Act.

The rule requires Canadian funds that propose to register under the Act to file an application with the Commission that contains various undertakings and agreements by the fund. Certain of these undertakings and agreements, in turn, impose the following additional information collection requirements:

(1) The fund must file agreements between the fund and its directors, officers, and service providers requiring them to comply with the fund's charter and bylaws, the Act, and certain other obligations relating to the undertakings and agreements in the application;