

updates of previously approved schedules. Such schedules also may include records that are designated for permanent retention.

Destruction of records requires the approval of the Archivist of the United States. This approval is granted after a thorough study of the records that takes into account their administrative use by the agency of origin, the rights of the Government and of private persons directly affected by the Government's activities, and historical or other value.

This public notice identifies the Federal agencies and their subdivisions requesting disposition authority, includes the control number assigned to each schedule, and briefly describes the records proposed for disposal. The records schedule contains additional information about the records and their disposition. Further information about the disposition process will be furnished to each requester.

Schedules Pending

1. Administrative Office of the United States Courts (N1-116-96-5). Firearms Instructors Certification database and Home Confinement Participant tracking system.

2. Department of the Air Force (N1-AFU-97-7). Medical provider activity files documenting medical record reviews and patient complaints.

3. Department of the Air Force (N1-AFU-97-10). Authorization for early disposal of short-term temporary records due to closure of 928 Mission Support Squadron (O'Hare International Airport) and other bases.

4. Department of Commerce, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (N1-370-96-2). Ships' Logs, Monthly Activity Reports, and Cruise Report/Season Reports created by NOAA Corps Operations.

5. Department of Justice, United States Marshals Service (N1-527-97-2). Duplicative and fragmentary materials from the Service Historian's collection (substantive records will be preserved).

6. Department of Labor (N1-174-96-5). Chronological reading files of the Office of the Solicitor.

7. Department of State, Office of Medical Services (N1-59-97-19). Reduction in retention period for x-ray films.

8. Peace Corps (N1-490-97-2). Monthly field health reports (annual report is designated for permanent retention).

9. U.S. Office of Government Ethics (N1-522-97-2). Program review audit report work papers. The audit reports have sufficient value to warrant permanent retention by NARA.

Dated: April 3, 1997.

Michael J. Kurtz,

Assistant Archivist, for Record Services—Washington, DC.

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NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR LITERACY

Agency Information Collection Activities Under OMB Review

AGENCY: National Institute for Literacy (NIFL).

ACTION: Submission for OMB review; comment request.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this notice announces an Information Collection Request (ICR) by the NIFL. The ICR describes the nature of the information collection and its expected cost and burden.

DATES: Comments must be submitted by May 9, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Written comments concerning the proposed regulations should be addressed to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn: Wendy Taylor, National Institute for Literacy, Office of Management and Budget, 725 17th Street, NW., Rm. 10235, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503. A copy of those comments may also be sent to the NIFL contact person. Requests for copies of the proposed information collection requests should be addressed to Meg Young, National Institute for Literacy, 800 Connecticut Avenue, NW., Ste. 200, Washington, DC 20006 or by calling (202) 632-1515.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Meg Young at (202) 632-1515 or e-mail: MYoung@nifl.gov

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Application for Literacy Leader Fellowship Program

Abstract: The National Literacy Act of 1991 established the National Institute for Literacy and authorized the NIFL to award fellowships to outstanding individuals pursuing careers in adult education or literacy in the areas of instruction, management, research, or innovation. Individuals are required to submit an application of not more than 10 pages, and an accompanying form that summarizes application information. Evaluations to determine successful applicants will be made by a panel of literacy experts using the published criteria. The Institute will use this information to make a minimum of one cooperative agreement award for a period of up to one year.

Burden Statement: The burden for this collection of information is estimated at 30 hours per response. This estimate includes the time needed to review instructions, and complete the form.

Respondents: Individuals.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 100.

Estimated Number of Responses Per Respondent: 1.

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents: 3000.

Frequency of Collection: One time. Send comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of the information collection, including suggestions for reducing the burden to the address specified above.

Request for Comments

NIFL solicits comments to:

(1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection(s) of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility.

(2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimates of the burden of the proposed collection(s) of information.

(3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.

(4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated or electronic collection technologies of other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

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Carolyn Staley,

Deputy Director, NIFL.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Special Emphasis Panel in Materials Research; Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463 as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

Name: Special Emphasis Panel in Materials Research (1203)

Date and Time: April 25, 1997; 8 am-5 pm.

Place: National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Room 1060, Arlington, VA.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: Dr. Liselotte J. Schioler, Program Director, Ceramics Program, Division of Materials Research, Room 1065, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230, Telephone (703) 306-1836.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

Agenda: To review and evaluate proposals and provide advice and recommendations as part of the selection process for proposals submitted to the Ceramics Program.

Reason for Closing: The activity being evaluated may include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c) 4 and 6 of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

Dated: April 4, 1997.

Linda Allen-Benton,

Deputy Director, Division of Human Resource Management, Acting Committee Management Officer.

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NORTHEAST DAIRY COMPACT COMMISSION

Notice of Special Meeting

AGENCY: Northeast Dairy Compact Commission.

ACTION: Notice of Special Meeting.

SUMMARY: The Compact Commission will hold a Special Meeting to consider whether to adopt a compact over-order price regulation for the six-state New England region. The terms and conditions of any such regulation will be discussed at the meeting. The Compact Commission will also consider certain matters relating to administration, the bylaws and referendum, and the ongoing administrative assessment.

DATES: The meeting is scheduled for April 16, 1997 commencing at 9:00 a.m. to adjournment.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the New Hampshire College, North Campus, Conference Center, Route 3, North (Daniel Webster Highway), in Hooksett, NH.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Daniel Smith, Executive Director, Northeast Dairy Compact Commission, 43 State Street, PO Box 1058, Montpelier, VT, 05601-1058, 802-229-1941.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is hereby given that the Northeast Dairy Compact Commission will hold a Special Meeting, pursuant to Article V(C)(3) of the Northeast Interstate Dairy Compact, to debate the adoption of a compact over-order price regulation. The Compact Commission has conducted two days of public hearings and afforded two separate opportunities for interested persons to submit written comments after notice. The Commission will now consider the merits of whether a compact over-order price regulation should be adopted in light of the comments and the evidence in the public record.

The Compact Commission will also consider certain matters relating to its administrative operation, a technical correction of the bylaws and the addition of an escrowing provision to the administrative assessment, and the referendum procedure.

(Authority: (a) Article V, Section 11 of the Northeast Interstate Dairy Compact, and all other applicable Articles and Sections, as approved by Section 147 of the Federal Agricultural Improvement and Reform Act (FAIR ACT), P.L. 104-127, and as thereby set forth in S.J. Res. 28(1)(b) of the 104th Congress; Finding of Compelling Public Interest by United States Department of Agriculture Secretary Dan Glickman, March 20, 1997. (b) Bylaws of the Northeast Dairy Compact Commission, adopted November 21, 1996.)

Daniel Smith,

Executive Director.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. STN 50-454, STN 50-455, STN 50-456 and STN 50-457]

Commonwealth Edison Company; Notice of Issuance of Amendments to Facility Operating Licenses

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (Commission) has issued Amendment No. 86 to Facility Operating License No. NPF-37, Amendment No. 86 to Facility Operating License No. NPF-66, Amendment No. 78 to Facility Operating License No. NPF-72 and Amendment No. 78 to Facility Operating License No. NPF-77, issued to Commonwealth Edison Company (ComEd, the licensee), which revised the Technical Specifications (TS) for operation of the Byron Station, Unit Nos. 1 and 2, located in Ogle County, Illinois and Braidwood Station, Unit Nos. 1 and 2, located in Will County,

Illinois. The amendments are effective as of the date of issuance and shall be implemented within 45 days.

The amendments modified the TSs to allow the licensee to take credit, on a temporary basis, for soluble boron in the spent fuel storage pool water in maintaining an acceptable margin of subcriticality.

The application for the amendments complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations. The Commission has made appropriate findings as required by the Act and the Commission's rules and regulations in 10 CFR Chapter I, which are set forth in the license amendments.

Notice of Consideration of Issuance of Amendments to Facility Operating Licenses and Opportunity for a Hearing in connection with this action was published in the **Federal Register** on February 10, 1997 (62 FR 6016). No request for a hearing or petition for leave to intervene was filed following this notice.

The Commission has prepared an Environmental Assessment related to the action and has determined not to prepare an environmental impact statement. Based upon the environmental assessment, the Commission has concluded that the issuance of the amendments will not have a significant effect on the quality of the human environment (62 FR 13403).

For further details with respect to the action see (1) the application for amendments dated November 5, 1996, as supplemented February 27 and March 30, 1997, (2) Amendment No. 86 to Facility Operating License No. NPF-37, Amendment No. 86 to Facility Operating License No. NPF-66, Amendment No. 78 to Facility Operating License No. NPF-72 and Amendment No. 78 to Facility Operating License No. NPF-77, (3) the Commission's related Safety Evaluation, and (4) the Commission's related Environmental Assessment. All of these items 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 rooms located at: for Byron, the Byron Public Library District, 109 N. Franklin, P.O. Box 434, Byron, Illinois 61010; for Braidwood, the Wilmington Public Library, 201 S. Kankakee Street, Wilmington, Illinois 60481.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 2nd day of April 1997.