

Chairman; written statements will be accepted and made available to the Committee. Electronic recordings will be permitted only during those portions of the meeting that are open to the public, and questions may be asked only by members of the Subcommittee, its consultants, and staff. Persons desiring to make oral statements should notify the cognizant ACRS staff engineer named below five days prior to the meeting, if possible, so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

During the initial portion of the meeting, the Subcommittee, along with any of its consultants who may be present, may exchange preliminary views regarding matters to be considered during the balance of the meeting.

The Subcommittee will then hear presentations by and hold discussions with representatives of the NRC staff, its consultants and other interested persons regarding this review.

Further information regarding topics to be discussed, whether the meeting has been cancelled or rescheduled, the scheduling of sessions which are open to the public, the Chairman's ruling on requests for the opportunity to present oral statements and the time allotted therefor can be obtained by contacting the cognizant ACRS staff engineer, Mr. Paul A. Boehnert (telephone 301/415-8065) between 7:30 a.m. and 4:15 p.m. (EST). Persons planning to attend this meeting are urged to contact the above named individual one or two working days prior to the meeting to be advised of any potential changes to the agenda, etc., that may have occurred.

Dated: February 6, 1998.

Medhat El-Zeftawy,

Acting Chief, Nuclear Reactors Branch.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards; Meeting of the ACRS Subcommittee on Reliability and Probabilistic Risk Assessment; Notice of Meeting

The ACRS Subcommittee on Reliability and Probabilistic Risk Assessment will hold a meeting on February 19 and 20, 1998, Room T-2B3, 11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

The entire meeting will be open to public attendance.

The agenda for the subject meeting shall be as follows: *Thursday, February 19, 1998—8:30 a.m. until the conclusion*

of business. Friday, February 20, 1998—8:30 a.m. until the conclusion of business.

The Subcommittee will review the proposed final Standard Review Plan (SRP) Sections and Regulatory Guides for risk-informed, performance-based regulation including individual applications for graded quality assurance, technical specifications, and inservice testing. The Subcommittee will review the matter included in the Staff Requirements Memorandum dated October 16, 1997, regarding elevation of core damage frequency to a fundamental goal and possible revision to the Commission's Safety Goal Policy Statement. The Subcommittee will also review industry-initiated risk-informed pilots related to the development of full-scope probabilistic risk assessments (PRAs) and the use of quantitative health objectives. The Subcommittee may also discuss staff and industry activities in the area of performance-based regulation and efforts to develop standards for PRA quality. The purpose of this meeting is to gather information, analyze relevant issues and facts, and to formulate proposed positions and actions, as appropriate, for deliberation by the full Committee.

Oral statements may be presented by members of the public with the concurrence of the Subcommittee Chairman; written statements will be accepted and made available to the Committee. Electronic recordings will be permitted only during those portions of the meeting that are open to the public, and questions may be asked only by members of the Subcommittee, its consultants, and staff. Persons desiring to make oral statements should notify the cognizant ACRS staff engineer named below five days prior to the meeting, if possible, so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

During the initial portion of the meeting, the Subcommittee, along with any of its consultants who may be present, may exchange preliminary views regarding matters to be considered during the balance of the meeting.

The Subcommittee will then hear presentations by and hold discussions with representatives of the NRC staff, its consultants, and other interested persons regarding this review.

Further information regarding topics to be discussed, whether the meeting has been cancelled or rescheduled, the Chairman's ruling on requests for the opportunity to present oral statements and the time allotted therefor can be obtained by contacting the cognizant ACRS staff engineer, Mr. Michael T. Markley (telephone 301/415-6885)

between 7:30 a.m. and 4:15 p.m. (EST). Persons planning to attend this meeting are urged to contact the above named individual one or two working days prior to the meeting to be advised of any potential changes to the agenda, etc., that may have occurred.

Dated: February 6, 1998.

Medhat El-Zeftawy,

Acting Chief, Nuclear Reactors Branch.

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PEACE CORPS

Information Collection Requests Under OMB Review

AGENCY: Peace Corps.

ACTION: Notice of public use form review request to the Office of Management and Budget.

SUMMARY: The Associate Director for Management invites comments on information collection requests as required pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. chapter 35). This notice announces that the Peace Corps has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget a request to approve the reinstatement of the National Agency Check Questionnaire for Peace Corps Volunteer Background Investigation (PC-5). Section 22 of the Peace Corps Act (22 U.S.C. 2501 et seq.) mandates that "all persons employed or assigned to duties under the Act shall be investigated to insure employment or assignment is consistent with national interest in accordance with standards and procedures established by the President." A copy of the information collection may be obtained from Stuart Moran, Office of Volunteer Recruitment and Selection, United States PEACE CORPS, 1990 K Street, NW, Washington, DC 20526. Mr. Moran may be contacted by telephone at (202) 606-2080. Peace Corps invites comments on whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for proper performance of the functions of the Peace Corps, including whether the information will have practical use; the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and, ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of automated collection techniques, when appropriate, and other forms of information technology.

Comments on this form should be addressed to Victoria Becker Wassmer, Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, NEOB, Washington, DC 20503.

Information Collection Abstract

Title: National Agency Check Questionnaire.

Need for and Use of This Information: Peace Corps needs this information in order to process applicants for Volunteer service. The information is used to insure that potential Volunteer's assignment is consistent with the national interest in accordance with the standards and procedures established by the President.

Respondents: Individuals who have applied for Peace Corps service and have been nominated to a specific program.

Respondents Obligation To Reply: Required to obtain benefits.

Burden On the Public

- a. Annual reporting burden: 2,500 hrs.
- b. Annual record keeping burden: 0 hrs.
- c. Estimated average burden per response: 15 minutes.
- d. Frequency of response: one time.
- e. Estimated number of likely respondents: 10,000.
- f. Estimated cost to respondents: \$4.03.

This notice is issued in Washington, DC, on February 9, 1998.

William C. Piatt,

Associate Director for Management.

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PEACE CORPS

Information Collection Requests Under OMB Review

AGENCY: Peace Corps.

ACTION: Notice of public use form review request to the Office of Management and Budget.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. chapter 35) this notice announces that the Peace Corps has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget a request to approve the reinstatement of the Peace Corps Volunteer Application. A copy of the information collection may be obtained from Stuart Moran, Office of Volunteer Recruitment and Selection, United States PEACE CORPS, 1900 K Street, NW, Washington, DC 20526. Mr. Moran may be contacted by telephone at (202) 606-2080. The Peace Corps invites comments on whether the proposed collection of information is necessary

for proper performance of the functions of the Peace Corps, including whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for proper performance of the functions of the Peace Corps, including whether the information will have practical use; the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and, ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of automated collection techniques, when appropriate, and other forms of information technology. Comments on this form should be addressed to Victoria Becker Wassmer, Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, NEOB, Washington, DC 20503.

Information Collection Abstract

Title: Peace Corps Volunteer Application.

Need for and Use of this Information: Peace Corps needs this information in order to process applicants for Volunteer service. The information is used to determine qualifications and potential for placement of applicants.

Respondents: Individuals who apply for Peace Corps service.

Respondents Obligation To Reply: Required to obtain benefits.

Burden on the Public

- a. Annual reporting burden: 30,000 hrs.
- b. Annual record keeping burden: 0 hrs.
- c. Estimated average burden per response: 3 hrs.
- d. Frequency of response: one time.
- e. Estimated number of likely respondents: 10,000.
- f. Estimated cost to respondents: \$38.98.

This notice is issued in Washington, DC on February 9, 1998.

William C. Piatt,

Associate Director for Management.

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POSTAL SERVICE

Information Based Indicia Program (IBIP)

AGENCY: Postal Service.

ACTION: Announcement of public meeting on IBIP.

SUMMARY: The Postal Service will be hosting another Public Meeting in

conjunction with IBIP. The purpose of the meeting will be to present the current status and an orientation regarding IBIP. It will be held Thursday March 12, 1998, at the Las Vegas Hilton, 3000 Paradise Road, Las Vegas, NV 89109-1283.

DATES: Reservations for this meeting may be made by calling Ed Zelickman or Dana Brown at (202) 268-6794. Reservations may be made until March 6, 1998; however, we encourage you to call earlier as there is limited seating available.

Stanley F. Mires,

Chief Counsel, Legislative.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[Declaration of Disaster #3056]

State of Florida

Manatee County and the contiguous Counties of DeSoto, Hardee, Hillsborough, Polk, and Sarasota in the State of Florida constitute a disaster area as a result of damages caused by severe storms and flooding that occurred on January 23, 1998. Applications for loans for physical damage may be filed until the close of business on April 2, 1998, and for economic injury until the close of business on October 30, 1998 at the address listed below or other locally announced locations: Small Business Administration, Disaster Area 2 Office, One Baltimore Place, Suite 300, Atlanta, GA 30308

The interest rates are:

	Percent
For Physical Damage:	
Homeowners with credit available elsewhere	7.250
Homeowners without credit available elsewhere	3.625
Businesses with credit available elsewhere	8.000
Businesses and non-profit organizations without credit available elsewhere	4.000
Others (including non-profit organizations) with credit available elsewhere	7.125
For Economic Injury:	
Businesses and small agricultural cooperatives without credit available elsewhere	4.000

The number assigned to this disaster for physical damage is 305606 and for economic injury the number is 972700.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 59002 and 59008)