7. *The number of annual respondents:*

10 CFR Part 40: 156 for NRC licensees and 172 for Agreement State licensees.

NRC Form 244: 20 for NRC licensees and 40 for Agreement State licensees.

NRC Form 484: Included in 10 CFR Part 40, above.

8. *The number of hours needed annually to complete the requirement or request:*

10 CFR Part 40: 26,049 hours for reporting requirements and 9,019 hours for recordkeeping requirements, or a total of 35,068 hours for NRC licensees; 28,083 hours for reporting requirements and 9,398 hours for recordkeeping requirements, or a total of 37,481 hours for Agreement State licensees.

NRC Form 244: 20 hours for NRC licensees and 40 hours for Agreement State licensees for reporting requirements.

NRC Form 484: Included in 10 CFR Part 40, above.

9. *An indication of whether Section 3507(d), Pub. L. 104–13 applies:* Not applicable.

10. *Abstract:* 10 CFR Part 40 establishes requirements for licenses for the receipt, possession, use, and transfer of radioactive source and byproduct material. NRC Form 244 is used to report receipt and transfer of depleted uranium under general license, as required by 10 CFR Part 40. NRC Form 484 is used to report certain groundwater monitoring data required by 10 CFR Part 40 for uranium recovery licensees. The application, reporting, and recordkeeping requirements are necessary to permit the NRC to make a determination on whether the possession, use, and transfer of source and byproduct material is in conformance with the Commission's regulations for protection of public health and safety.

A copy of the final supporting statement may be viewed free of charge at the NRC Public Document Room, 2120 L Street, NW (lower level), Washington, DC. OMB clearance requests are available at the NRC worldwide web site (http://www.nrc.gov/NRC/PUBLIC/OMB/index.html). The document will be available on the NRC home page site for 60 days after the signature date of this notice.

Comments and questions should be directed to the OMB reviewer by June 29, 2000.

Erik Godwin, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs (3150–0143)NEOB–10202, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503.

Comments can also be submitted by telephone at (202) 395–3087.

The NRC Clearance Officer is Brenda Jo. Shelton, 301–415–7233.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 22nd day of May, 2000.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Brenda Jo. Shelton,

NRC Clearance Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC).

ACTION: Notice of the OMB review of information collection and solicitation of public comment.

SUMMARY: The NRC has recently submitted to OMB for review the following proposal for the collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). The NRC hereby informs potential respondents that an agency may not conduct or sponsor, and that a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

1. *Type of submission, new, revision, or extension:* Revision.

2. *The title of the information collection:* Application/Permit for Use of the Two White Flint (TWFN) Auditorium.

3. *The form number if applicable:* NRC Form 590.

4. *How often the collection is required:* Each time public use of the NRC auditorium is requested.

5. *Who will be required or asked to report:* Member of the public requesting use of the NRC Auditorium.

6. *An estimate of the number of responses:* 5.

7. *The estimated number of annual respondents:* 5.

8. *An estimate of the total number of hours needed annually to complete the requirement or request:* 1.25 hours (15 minutes per request).

9. *An indication of whether Section 3507(d), Pub. L. 104–13 applies:* N/A.

10. *Abstract:* In accordance with the Public Buildings Act of 1959, an agreement was reached between the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission (MPPC), the General Services Administration (GSA) and the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, the NRC auditorium will be made available for public use. Public users of the auditorium will be required to complete NRC Form 590, Application/Permit for Use of Two White Flint North (TWFN) Auditorium. The information is needed to allow for administrative and security review, scheduling, and to make a determination that there are no anticipated problems with the requester prior to utilization of the facility.

A copy of the final supporting statement may be viewed free of charge at the NRC Public Document Room, 2120 L Street, NW (lower level), Washington, DC. OMB clearance requests are available at the NRC worldwide web site(http://www.nrc.gov/NRC/PUBLIC/OMB/index.html). The document will be available on the NRC home page site for 60 days after the signature date of this notice.

Comments and questions should be directed to the OMB reviewer listed below by June 29, 2000. Comments received after this date will be considered if it is practical to do so, but assurance of consideration cannot be given to comments received after this date. Erik Godwin, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs (3150–), NEOB–10202, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503.

Comments can also be submitted by telephone at (202) 395–3087.

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[Docket Nos. 50–269, 50–270, and 50–287]

Duke Energy Corporation; Oconee Nuclear Station Units 1, 2, and 3; Notice of Issuance of Renewed Facility Operating License; Nos. DPR–38, DPR–47, and DPR–55 for an Additional 20-Year Period

Notice is hereby given that the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has issued (1) Renewed Facility Operating License No. DPR–38 (the Unit 1 license), (2) Renewed Facility Operating License No. DPR–47 (the Unit 2 license), and (3) Renewed Facility Operating License No. DPR–55

(the Unit 3 license) to Duke Energy Corporation (the licensee). The Unit 1 license authorizes operation of the Oconee Nuclear Station, Unit 1 by the licensee at reactor core power levels not in excess of 2568 megawatts thermal in accordance with the provisions of the Unit 1 license and its Technical Specifications (Appendix A). The Unit 2 license authorizes operation of the Oconee Nuclear Station, Unit 2 by the licensee at rector core power levels not in excess of 2568 megawatts thermal in accordance with the provisions of the Unit 2 license at its Technical Specifications. The Unit 3 license authorizes operation of the Oconee Nuclear Station, Unit 3 by the licensee at reactor core power levels not in excess of 2568 megawatts thermal in accordance with the provisions of the Unit 3 license and its Technical Specifications.

Oconee Nuclear Station, Units 1, 2, and 3, are pressurized water nuclear reactors located in eastern Oconee County about 8 miles northeast of Seneca, South Carolina.

The application for the renewed licenses complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's regulations. The Commission has made appropriate findings as required by the Act and the Commission's regulations in 10 CFR Chapter I, which are set forth in each license. Public notice of the proposed action and opportunity for hearing regarding the proposed issuance of these renewed operating licenses was published in the **Federal Register** on August 11, 1998 (63 FR 42885).

For further details with respect to these actions, see (1) The Duke Energy Corporation Oconee Nuclear Station Units 1, 2, and 3, Application for Renewed Operating Licenses, dated July 6, 1998, as supplemented by letter dated March 27, 2000, and by letters contained in Appendix E of NUREG–1723, ''Safety Evaluation Report Related to the License Renewal of Oconee Nuclear Station, Units 1, 2, and 3,'' (2) Renewed Facility Operating License Nos. DPR–38, DPR–47, and DPR–55, with the appendix listed above; (3) the Commission's Safety Evaluation Reports dated June 16, 1999, February 3, 2000, and March 2000 (NUREG–1723); (4) the licensee's updated final safety analysis report; and (5) the Commission's Final Environmental Impact Statement (NUREG–1437, Supplement 2), dated December 1996. These items are available at the NRC's Public Document Room, the Gelman Building, 2120 L Street NW., Washington, DC 20555–0001. In addition, documents that were issued after November 1, 1999, (e.g., NUREG–1723, and NUREG–1437, Supplement 2) can be viewed from the NRC Public Electronic Reading Room at http://www.nrc.gov/NRC/ADAMS/index.html.

A copy of the Renewed Facility Operating Licenses, Nos. DRP–38, DRP–47, and DPR–55, may be obtained upon request addressed to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555–0001, Attention: Director, Division of Licensing Project Management. Copies of the Safety Evaluation Report (NUREG–1723) and the Final Environmental Impact Statement (NUREG–137, Supplement 2) may be purchased from the National Technical Information Service, Springfield, Virginia 22161–0002 (telephone number 1–800–553–6847, <http://www.ntis.gov>), or the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, P.O. Box 37082, Washington, DC 20402–9328 (telephone number 202–512–1800, <http://www.access.gpo.gov/su_docs>). All orders should clearly identify the NRC publication number and the requestor's Government Printing Office deposit account, or VISA or Mastercard number and expiration date.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 23rd day of May, 2000.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Joseph M. Sebrosky,

Prject Manager, License Renewal and Standardization Branch, Division of Regulatory Improvement Programs, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. 040–08868]

Environmental Assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact and Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Environmental Assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact and Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing for disposal pursuant to 10 CFR 20.2002.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission is considering the license amendment request for disposal pursuant to 10 CFR 20.2002 of solid residual material containing up to 25 picocuries of thorium-232 and progeny per gram of filtercake from II–VI, Incorporated, to an industrial landfill. II–VI, Incorporated, is authorized to perform activities with source material pursuant to License STA–1455. The licensee and the NRC performed dose assessments of the disposal of this material in this manner, and determined that such disposal, with the restriction that not more than two effective containers per month be disposed of in this manner, would result in doses of less than 25 millirem per year.

Introduction

II–VI, Incorporated (II–VI), is a specialty manufacturer whose products include optical components for the laser industry, some of which contain thorium. They are authorized to perform manufacturing activities with source material pursuant to License STA–1455. Filtration of liquid effluents to remove metals prior to release to the sanitary sewerage system results in collection of small quantities of thorium in the solid residual material (filtercake). The licensee generates 10 or fewer containers of filtercake each year. Each container holds approximately 23.9 cubic meters of material having a mass of approximately 36,000 kilograms, which is defined as an ''effective container'' for the purpose of dose assessment. The material typically contains less than 25 picocuries of thorium-232 and progeny per gram of filtercake (25 pCi/g Th-232). The licensee requested disposal of this material pursuant to 10 CFR 20.2002 to an industrial landfill, and provided a dose analysis to justify their proposed limit of 25 pCi/g. The licensee and the NRC performed dose assessments of the disposal of this material in this manner, and determined that such disposal would result in doses of less than 25 millirem per year to members of the public so long as not more than two effective containers per month would be disposed of in this manner.

Proposed Action

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission is considering the request for disposal pursuant to 10 CFR 20.2002 to an industrial landfill, of not more than two effective containers per month of solid residual material (filtercake) containing up to 25 picocuries of thorium-232 and progeny per gram of filtercake from II–VI, Incorporated.

The Need for the Proposed Action

Filtration of liquid effluents is required by other regulatory agencies to remove metals from the liquid effluent prior to release to a public sanitary sewerage system, and small amounts of thorium are retained in the filtercake. The licensee needs this amendment to the license in order to have a cost-effective method of disposal of the