§ 110.71 Notice of withdrawal of an application.


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§ 110.72 Public availability of documents.

Unless exempt from disclosure under part 9 of this chapter, the following documents pertaining to each license and license application for an import or export requiring a specific license under this part will be made available at the NRC Web site, http://www.nrc.gov, and/or at the NRC Public Document Room:

(a) The license application and any requests for amendments;
(b) Commission correspondence with the applicant or licensee;
(c) FEDERAL REGISTER notices;
(d) The Commission letter requesting Executive Branch views;
(e) Correspondence from the State Department with Executive Branch views;
(f) Correspondence from foreign governments and international organizations;
(g) Filings pursuant to subpart I and Commission and Executive Branch responses, if any;
(h) If a hearing is held, the hearing record and decision;
(i) A statement of staff conclusions; and
(j) The license, requests for license amendments and amendments.


§ 110.73 Availability of NRC records.

(a) Commission records under this part will be made available to the public only in accordance with part 9 of this chapter.

(b) Proprietary information provided under this part may be protected under Part 9 and § 2.390(b), (c), and (d) of this chapter.

(c) Hearing requests and intervention petitions will be considered timely only if filed not later than:
(1) 30 days after notice of receipt in the Federal Register, for those applications published in the Federal Register;
(2) 30 days after publication of notice on the NRC Web site at http://www.nrc.gov;
(3) 30 days after notice of receipt in the Public Document Room; or
(4) Such other time as may be provided by the Commission.

§ 110.83 Answers and replies.
(a) Unless otherwise specified by the Commission, an answer to a hearing request or intervention petition may be filed within 30 days after the request or petition has been served.
(b) Unless otherwise specified by the Commission, a reply to an answer may be filed within 10 days after all timely answers have been filed.
(c) Answers and replies should address the factors in § 110.84.

§ 110.84 Commission action on a hearing request or intervention petition.
(a) In an export licensing proceeding, or in an import licensing proceeding in which a hearing request or intervention petition does not assert or establish an interest which may be affected, the Commission will consider:
(1) Whether a hearing would be in the public interest; and
(2) Whether a hearing would assist the Commission in making the statutory determinations required by the Atomic Energy Act.
(b) If a hearing request or intervention petition asserts an interest which may be affected, the Commission will consider:
(1) The nature of the alleged interest;
(2) How that interest relates to issuance or denial; and
(3) The possible effect of any order on that interest, including whether the relief requested is within the Commission’s authority, and, if so, whether granting relief would redress the alleged injury.
(c) Untimely hearing requests or intervention petitions may be denied unless good cause for failure to file on time is established. In reviewing untimely requests or petitions, the Commission will also consider:
(1) The availability of other means by which the requestor’s or petitioner’s interest, if any, will be protected or represented by other participants in a hearing; and
(2) The extent to which the issues will be broadened or action on the application delayed.
(d) Before granting or denying a hearing request or intervention petition, the Commission will review the Executive Branch’s views on the license application and may request further information from the petitioner, requestor, the Commission staff, the Executive Branch or others.
(e) The Commission will deny a request or petition that pertains solely to matters outside its jurisdiction.
(f) If an issue has been adequately explored in a previous licensing hearing conducted pursuant to this part, a request for a new hearing in connection with that issue will be denied unless:
(1) A hearing request or intervention petition establishes that an interest may be affected; or
(2) The Commission determines that changed circumstances or new information warrant a new hearing.
(g) After consideration of the factors covered by paragraphs (a) through (f), the Commission will issue a notice or order granting or denying a hearing request or intervention petition. Upon the affirmative vote of two Commissioners a hearing will be ordered. A notice granting a hearing will be published in the Federal Register and will specify whether the hearing will be oral or consist of written comments. A denial notice will set forth the reasons for denial.

§ 110.85 Notice of hearing consisting of written comments.
(a) A notice of hearing consisting of written comments will:
(1) State the issues to be considered;