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Issued: November 6, 1997.

By order of the Commission.

**Donna R. Koehnke,**

Secretary.

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## NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

### Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for 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:* 10 CFR Part 54, "Requirements for Renewal of Operating Licenses for Nuclear Power Plants".

3. *The form number if applicable:* Not applicable.

4. *How often the collection is required:* One-time submission of operating license renewals and occasional submissions for holders of renewed licenses.

5. *Who will be required or asked to report:* Commercial nuclear power plant licensees who renew operating licenses.

6. *An estimate of the number of responses:* 1.33 responses (4 renewal applications during the 3-year clearance).

7. *The estimated number of annual respondents:* 1.33 respondents.

8. *An estimate of the total number of hours needed annually to complete the requirement or request:* Approximately 89,333 hours (85,333 hours one-time reporting burden and 4,000 recordkeeping burden).

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

10. *Abstract:* 10 CFR Part 54 of the NRC regulations, "Requirements for Renewal of Operating Licenses for Nuclear Power Plants," specifies the procedures, criteria, and standards governing nuclear power plant license renewal, including information submittal and recordkeeping requirements, so that the NRC may make determinations necessary to promote the health and safety of the public.

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>) under the FedWorld collection link on the home page tool bar. 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 December 15, 1997. Norma Gonzales, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs (3150-0155), NEOB-10202, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503. Comments can also be submitted by telephone at (202) 395-3084. The NRC Clearance Officer is Brenda Jo Shelton, 301-415-7233.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 6th day of November 1997.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**Brenda Jo Shelton,**

NRC Clearance Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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

2. *The title of the information collection:* Request for Taxpayer Identification Number.

3. *The form number if applicable:* NRC Form 531

4. *How often the collection is required:* One time from each applicant or individual to enable the Department of Treasury to process electronic financial payment or collect debts owed to the government.

5. *Who will be required or asked to report:* All individuals doing business with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, including contractors and recipients of credit, licenses, permits, and benefits.

6. *An estimate of the number of responses:* 2,600 (1,600 the first year and 500 annually thereafter or 867 annually over a three year period).

7. *The estimated number of annual respondents:* 867.

8. *An estimate of the total number of hours needed annually to complete the requirement or request:* 72 (5 minutes per response).

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

10. *Abstract:* The Debt Collection Improvement Act of 1996 requires that agencies collect taxpayer identification numbers (TINs) from individuals who do business with the Government, including contractors and recipients of credit, licenses, permits, and benefits. The TIN will be used to process all electronic payments (refunds) made to licensees by electronic funds transfer by the Department of the Treasury. The Department of the Treasury will use the TIN to determine whether the refund