

accommodate the scheduling priorities of the key participants.

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## **NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**

[Docket Number 030-31768]

### **Notice of Availability of Environmental Assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact for License Amendment for Truman State University, Kirksville, MO**

**AGENCY:** Nuclear Regulatory  
Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of availability of  
Environmental Assessment and Finding  
of No Significant Impact.

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#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

#### **I. Introduction**

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory  
Commission (NRC) is considering the  
issuance of a license amendment of  
Material License No. 24-17224-02  
issued to Truman State University (the  
licensee), to terminate its license and  
authorize release of its Kirksville,  
Missouri facility for unrestricted use.

The NRC staff has prepared an  
Environmental Assessment (EA) in  
support of this licensing action in  
accordance with the requirements of 10  
CFR Part 51. Based on the EA, the NRC  
has concluded that a Finding of No  
Significant Impact (FONSI) is  
appropriate. The amendment will be  
issued following the publication of this  
Notice.

#### **II. EA Summary**

The purpose of the proposed action is  
to terminate Truman State University's  
license and release its Kirksville,  
Missouri facility for unrestricted use.  
On July 25, 1990, the NRC authorized  
Truman State University to use labeled  
compounds of P-32, I-125, H-3, C-14,  
etc. for research and development. On  
December 18, 2003, Truman State  
University submitted a license  
amendment request to terminate its  
license and release its Kirksville facility

for unrestricted use. Truman State  
University has conducted surveys of the  
facility and provided information to the  
NRC to demonstrate that the site meets  
the license termination criteria in  
Subpart E of 10 CFR Part 20 for  
unrestricted release. The staff has  
examined Truman State University's  
request and the information that the  
licensee has provided in support of its  
request, including the surveys  
performed by Truman State University  
to demonstrate compliance with 10 CFR  
20.1402, "Radiological Criteria for  
Unrestricted Use," to ensure that the  
NRC's decision is protective of the  
public health and safety and the  
environment.

#### **III. Finding of No Significant Impact**

The staff has prepared the EA  
(summarized above) in support of  
Truman State University's proposed  
license amendment to terminate its  
license and release the Kirksville facility  
for unrestricted use. Based on its  
review, the staff has determined that the  
affected environment and the  
environmental impacts associated with  
the decommissioning of Truman State  
University's facility are bounded by the  
impacts evaluated by the "Generic  
Environmental Impact Statement in  
Support of Rulemaking on Radiological  
Criteria for License Termination of NRC-  
Licensed Nuclear Facilities" (NUREG-  
1496). No outdoor areas were affected  
by the use of licensed materials.  
Additionally, no non-radiological  
impacts or other activities that could  
result in cumulative impacts were  
identified. The staff also finds that the  
proposed release for unrestricted use of  
the Truman State University's facility is  
in compliance with 10 CFR 20.1402. On  
the basis of the EA, the staff has  
concluded that the environmental  
impacts from the proposed action would  
not be significant. Accordingly, the staff  
has determined that a FONSI is  
appropriate, and has determined that  
the preparation of an environmental  
impact statement is not warranted.

#### **IV. Further Information**

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of  
the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Truman  
State University's request, the EA  
summarized above, and the documents  
related to this proposed action are  
available electronically for public  
inspection and copying from the  
Publicly Available Records (PARS)  
component of NRC's document system  
(ADAMS). ADAMS is accessible from  
the NRC Web site at [http://www.nrc.gov/  
reading-rm/adams.html](http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html). These  
documents include Truman State  
University's NRC Form 314 dated

December 18, 2003, with enclosures  
(Accession No. ML041120082); and the  
EA summarized above (Accession No.  
ML041190131). These documents may  
also be viewed electronically on the  
public computers located at the NRC's  
Public Document Room (PDR), O 1 F21,  
One White Flint North, 11555 Rockville  
Pike, Rockville, MD 20852. The PDR  
reproduction contractor will copy  
documents for a fee. Persons who do not  
have access to ADAMS or who  
encounter problems in accessing the  
documents located in ADAMS, should  
contact the NRC PDR Reference staff by  
telephone at 1-800-397-4209 or (301)  
415-4737, or by e-mail to [pdr@nrc.gov](mailto:pdr@nrc.gov).

Dated at Lisle, Illinois, this 28th day of  
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## **NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**

### **Biweekly Notice; Applications and Amendments to Facility Operating Licenses**

#### **Involving No Significant Hazards Considerations**

#### **I. Background**

Pursuant to section 189a.(2) of the  
Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended  
(the Act), the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory  
Commission (the Commission or NRC  
staff) is publishing this regular biweekly  
notice. The Act requires the  
Commission publish notice of any  
amendments issued, or proposed to be  
issued and grants the Commission the  
authority to issue and make  
immediately effective any amendment  
to an operating license upon a  
determination by the Commission that  
such amendment involves no significant  
hazards consideration, notwithstanding  
the pendency before the Commission of  
a request for a hearing from any person.

This biweekly notice includes all  
notices of amendments issued, or  
proposed to be issued from, April 16  
through April 29, 2004. The last  
biweekly notice was published on April  
27, 2004 (69 FR 22877).

#### **Notice of Consideration of Issuance of Amendments to Facility Operating Licenses, Proposed No Significant Hazards Consideration Determination, and Opportunity for a Hearing**

The Commission has made a  
proposed determination that the  
following amendment requests involve