

Stamford, Connecticut facility for unrestricted use. P&G-Clairol was authorized by NRC from June 10, 1971, to use radioactive materials for research and development purposes at the site. On July 6, 2004, P&G-Clairol requested that NRC release the facility for unrestricted use. P&G-Clairol 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 use.

The NRC staff has prepared an EA in support of the license amendment. The facility was remediated and surveyed prior to the licensee requesting the license amendment. The NRC staff has reviewed the information and final status survey submitted by P&G-Clairol. Based on its review, the staff has determined that there are no additional remediation activities necessary to complete the proposed action. Therefore, the staff considered the impact of the residual radioactivity at the facility and concluded that since the residual radioactivity meets the requirements in subpart E of 10 CFR part 20, a Finding of No Significant Impact is appropriate.

### III. Finding of No Significant Impact

The staff has prepared the EA (summarized above) in support of the license amendment to terminate the license and release the facility for unrestricted use. The NRC staff has evaluated P&G-Clairol's request and the results of the surveys and has concluded that the completed action complies with the criteria in subpart E of 10 CFR part 20. The staff has found that the environmental impacts from the action are bounded by the impacts evaluated by NUREG-1496, Volumes 1-3, "Generic Environmental Impact Statement in Support of Rulemaking on Radiological Criteria for License Termination of NRC-Licensed Facilities" (ML042310492, ML042320379, and ML042330385). On the basis of the EA, the NRC has concluded that the environmental impacts from the action are expected to be insignificant and has determined not to prepare an environmental impact statement for the action.

### IV. Further Information

Documents related to this action, including the application for the license amendment and supporting documentation, are available electronically at the NRC's Electronic Reading Room at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>. From this site, you can access the NRC's Agencywide Document Access and Management

System (ADAMS), which provides text and image files of NRC's public documents. The ADAMS accession numbers for the documents related to this Notice are: The Environmental Assessment (ML050420203), Application dated July 6, 2004, requesting termination of the license (ML042030040), letter dated October 7, 2004, with attachments providing additional information (ML042920466), electronic mail dated October 8 and 10, 2004 (ML 043000248), electronic mail dated December 14, 2004 (ML043570057), and Addendum to the Report on the Final Radiological Status Survey dated November 22, 2004 (received on December 15, 2004) (ML043570467). Please note that on October 25, 2004, the NRC terminated public access to ADAMS and initiated an additional security review of publicly available documents to ensure that potentially sensitive information is removed from the ADAMS database accessible through the NRC's Web site. Interested members of the public may obtain copies of the referenced documents for review and/or copying by contacting the Public Document Room pending resumption of public access to ADAMS. The NRC Public documents Room is located at NRC Headquarters in Rockville, MD, and can be contacted at (800) 397-4209 or (301) 415-4737, or by e-mail to [pdr@nrc.gov](mailto:pdr@nrc.gov). The PDR reproduction contractor will copy documents for a fee. The PDR is open from 7:45 a.m. to 4:15 p.m., Monday through Friday, except on Federal holidays.

Dated at King of Prussia, Pennsylvania this 15th day of February, 2005.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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## NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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### Notice of Availability of Environmental Assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact for License Amendment for Department of the Army, Walter Reed Army Medical Center Washington, DC

**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 Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is considering the issuance of a license amendment to Department of the Army, Walter Reed Army Medical Center (WRAMC) for Materials License No. 08-01738-02, to authorize release of Building T-2 of the Washington, DC site for unrestricted use. NRC has prepared an Environmental Assessment (EA) in support of this 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 action is to authorize the release of the licensee's Building T-2 of the Washington, DC facility for unrestricted use. WRAMC was authorized by the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) on February 18, 1959 to use radioactive materials for medical research, diagnosis, and therapy purposes at the site. On October 29, 2004, WRAMC requested that the NRC release the facility for unrestricted use. WRAMC has conducted surveys of the facility and provided information to the NRC to demonstrate that the site meets the license termination criteria in 10 CFR part 20, subpart E, for unrestricted use.

The NRC staff has prepared an EA in support of the license amendment. The facility was remediated and surveyed in support of the license amendment. The NRC staff has reviewed the information and final status survey submitted by WRAMC. Based on its review, the staff has determined that there are no additional remediation activities necessary to complete the proposed action. Therefore, the staff considered the impact of the residual radioactivity at the facility and concluded that since the residual radioactivity meets the requirements in 10 CFR part 20, subpart E, a Finding of No Significant Impact is appropriate.

#### III. Finding of No Significant Impact

The staff has prepared the EA (summarized above) in support of the license amendment to release Building T-2 in its entirety of the WRAMC

facility at 6900 Georgia Avenue, NW., Washington, DC for unrestricted use. The NRC staff has evaluated WRAMC's request and the results of the surveys and has concluded that the completed action complies with the criteria in 10 CFR part 20, subpart E. The staff has found that the environmental impacts from the action are bounded by the impacts evaluated by NUREG-1496, Volumes 1-3, "Generic Environmental Impact Statement in Support of Rulemaking on Radiological Criteria for License Termination of NRC-Licensed Facilities" (ML042310492, ML042320379, and ML042330385). On the basis of the EA, the NRC has concluded that the environmental impacts from the action are expected to be insignificant and has determined not to prepare an environmental impact statement for the action.

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Dated in King of Prussia, Pennsylvania this 15th day of February, 2005.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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## NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

### Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards; Meeting Notice

In accordance with the purposes of Sections 29 and 182b. of the Atomic Energy Act (42 U.S.C. 2039, 2232b), the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS) will hold a meeting on March 3-5, 2005, 11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland. The date of this meeting was previously published in the **Federal Register** on Wednesday, November 24, 2004 (69 FR 68412).

#### Thursday, March 3, 2005, Conference Room T-2B3, Two White Flint North, Rockville, Maryland

*8:30 a.m.-8:35 a.m.: Opening Remarks by the ACRS Chairman* (Open)—The ACRS Chairman will make opening remarks regarding the conduct of the meeting.

*8:35 a.m.-10 a.m.: Revised Draft NUREG on Expert Elicitation on Large-Break LOCA Frequencies* (Open)—The Committee will hear presentations by and hold discussions with representatives of the NRC staff regarding the revised draft NUREG-xxx, "Estimating Loss-of-Coolant Accident (LOCA) Frequencies Through the Elicitation Process," and related matters.

*10:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.: Proposed Rulemaking Package for Risk-Informing 10 CFR 50.46* (Open)—The Committee will hear presentations by and hold discussions with representatives of the NRC staff regarding the proposed rulemaking package for risk-informing 10 CFR 50.46, "Acceptance Criteria for Emergency Core Cooling Systems for Light-Water Nuclear Power Reactors."

*1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.: Draft Safety Evaluation Report Related to North Anna Early Site Permit Application* (Open)—The Committee will hear presentations by and hold discussions with representatives of the NRC staff and Dominion Nuclear North Anna, LLC regarding the NRC staff's draft Safety Evaluation Report related to the North Anna Early Site Permit Application.

*3 p.m.-5 p.m.: Technical Basis for Potential Revision of the Pressurized Thermal Shock (PTS) Screening Criteria in the PTS Rule* (Open)—The Committee will hear presentations by and hold discussions with representatives of the NRC staff regarding the technical basis for potential revision of the PTS screening criteria in the PTS rule.

*5:15 p.m.-6:45 p.m.: Preparation of ACRS Reports* (Open)—The Committee will discuss proposed ACRS reports on matters considered during this meeting.

#### Friday, March 4, 2005, Conference Room T-2B3, Two White Flint North, Rockville, Maryland

*8:30 a.m.-8:35 a.m.: Opening Remarks by the ACRS Chairman* (Open)—The ACRS Chairman will make opening remarks regarding the conduct of the meeting.

*8:35 a.m.-10:30 a.m.: Proposed Revisions to Generic License Renewal Guidance Documents/Scoping Review Process for BOP Systems* (Open)—The Committee will hear presentations by and hold discussions with representatives of the NRC staff regarding proposed revisions to: NUREG-1800, "Standard Review Plan for Review of License Renewal Applications for Nuclear Power Plants;" NUREG-1801, "Generic Aging Lessons Learned (GALL) Report;" and Draft Regulatory Guide DG-1140, "Standard Format and Content for Applications to Renew Nuclear Power Plant Operating Licenses" (Proposed Revision 1 to Regulatory Guide 1.188) that endorses, with certain exceptions, NEI 95-10, Rev. 5, "Industry Guidelines for Implementing the Requirements of 10 CFR 54—The License Renewal Rule." The Committee will also discuss with the staff the scoping review process for balance-of-plant (BOP) systems.

*10:45 a.m.-12:15 p.m.: Preparation for Meeting With the NRC Commissioners* (Open)—The Committee will discuss topics for meeting with the NRC Commissioners which is scheduled for April 7, 2005.

*1:15 p.m.-2:15 p.m.: Future ACRS Activities/Report of the Planning and Procedures Subcommittee* (Open)—The Committee will discuss the recommendations of the Planning and Procedures Subcommittee regarding items proposed for consideration by the full Committee during future meetings. Also, it will hear a report of the Planning and Procedures Subcommittee on matters related to the conduct of ACRS business, including anticipated workload and member assignments.

*2:15 p.m.-2:30 p.m.: Reconciliation of ACRS Comments and Recommendations* (Open)—The