

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:*

DOE/NRC Form 742—Revision.

DOE/NRC Form 742C—Extension.

2. *The title of the information collection:*

DOE/NRC Form 742, "Material Balance Report;"

NUREG/BR-0007, "Instructions for the Preparation and Distribution of Material Status Reports;" and DOE/NRC Form 742C, "Physical Inventory Listing."

3. *The form numbers if applicable:* NRC Form 742 and NRC Form 742C.

4. *How often the collection is required:* DOE/NRC Forms 742 and 742C are submitted annually following a physical inventory of nuclear materials.

5. *Who will be required or asked to report:* Persons licensed to possess specified quantities of special nuclear or source material.

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

DOE/NRC Form 742: 180 licensees.

DOE/NRC Form 742C: 180 licensees.

7. *An estimate of the number of annual respondents:*

DOE/NRC Form 742: 180 licensees.

DOE/NRC Form 742C: 180 licensees.

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

DOE/NRC Form 742: 900 hours (5 hours per respondent.).

DOE/NRC Form 742C: 1,080 hours (6 hours per respondent.).

9. *An indication of whether section 3507(d), Public Law 104-13 applies:* NA.

10. *Abstract:* Each licensee authorized to possess special nuclear material

totaling more than 350 grams of contained uranium-235, uranium-233, or plutonium, or any combination thereof, are required to submit DOE/NRC Forms 742 and 742C. In addition, any licensee authorized to possess 1,000 kilograms of source material is required to submit DOE/NRC Form 742. The information is used by NRC to fulfill its responsibilities as a participant in US/IAEA Safeguards Agreement and various bilateral agreements with other countries, and to satisfy its domestic safeguards responsibilities.

A copy of the final supporting statement may be viewed free of charge at the NRC Public Document Room, One White Flint North, 11555 Rockville Pike, Room O-1 F21, Rockville, MD 20852. OMB clearance requests are available at the NRC worldwide Web site <http://www.nrc.gov/public-involve/doc-comment/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 August 18, 2006. 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.

John A. Asalone, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs (3150-0004; -0058), NEOB-10202, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503.

Comments can also be e-mailed to John_A.Asalone@omb.eop.gov or submitted by telephone at (202) 395-4650.

The NRC Clearance Officer is Brenda Jo Shelton, (301) 415-7233.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 12th day of July 2006.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Brenda Jo Shelton,

NRC Clearance Officer, Office of Information Services.

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[Docket No. 72-54]

Omaha Public Power District Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation; Environmental Assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Issuance of an Environmental Assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC or Commission) is considering issuance of an exemption to Omaha Public Power District (OPPD) pursuant to 10 CFR 72.7, from specific provisions of 10 CFR 72.48(c)(2)(viii), 72.212(a)(2), 72.212(b)(2)(i)(A), 72.212(b)(7), and 72.214. The licensee wants to use the Transnuclear, Inc. (TN) Standardized NUHOMS® Storage System, Certificate of Compliance No. 1004 (CoC or Certificate) Amendment No. 8 (32PT dry shielded canister), to store spent nuclear fuel under a general license in an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (ISFSI) associated with the operation of the Fort Calhoun Station (FCS), located in Washington County, Nebraska. OPPD is requesting an exemption from CoC No. 1004 and NRC regulations to allow changes to the transfer cask (TC) dose rate measurements, an earlier start time for vacuum drying and use of a method of thermal analysis that is a departure from the methodology described in the Standardized NUHOMS® updated final safety analysis report (FSAR).

Environmental Assessment (EA)

Identification of Proposed Action: The proposed action would exempt OPPD from the requirements of 10 CFR 72.48(c)(2)(viii), 72.212(a)(2), 72.212(b)(2)(i)(A), 72.212(b)(7), and 72.214 and enable OPPD to use a light weight TC and allow the use of an earlier start time for vacuum drying in conjunction with the Standardized NUHOMS® Storage System, CoC 1004, at the FCS. Sections 10 CFR 72.212(a)(2), 72.212(b)(2)(i)(A), 72.212(b)(7), and 72.214 specifically require storage in casks approved under the provisions of 10 CFR part 72 and compliance with the conditions set forth in the CoC for each dry spent fuel storage cask used by an ISFSI general licensee. The TN NUHOMS® CoC provides requirements, conditions, and operating limits in Attachment A, Technical Specifications (TSs). The proposed action would exempt OPPD from the requirements of 10 CFR 10 CFR