

submitted to the Division of Research Programs, at the May 5, 2009 deadline.

19. *Date:* August 24, 2009.

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Room: 315.

Program: This meeting will review applications for Faculty Research Awards II in Faculty Research Awards, submitted to the Division of Research Programs, at the May 5, 2009 deadline.

Michael P. McDonald,

Advisory Committee, Management Officer.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Notice of Permit Applications Received Under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978 (Pub. L. 95-541)

AGENCY: National Science Foundation.

ACTION: Notice of permit modification received under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978, Public Law 95-541.

SUMMARY: The National Science Foundation (NSF) is required to publish a notice of requests to modify permits issued to conduct activities regulated under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978. NSF has published regulations under the Antarctic Conservation Act at Title 45 Part 670 of the Code of Federal Regulations. This is the required notice of a requested permit modification.

DATES: Interested parties are invited to submit written data, comments, or views with respect to this permit application by August 7, 2009. Permit applications may be inspected by interested parties at the Permit Office, address below.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be addressed to Permit Office, Room 755, Office of Polar Programs, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia 22230.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Nadene G. Kennedy at the above address or (703) 292-7405.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The National Science Foundation, as directed by the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978 (Pub. L. 95-541), as amended by the Antarctic Science, Tourism and Conservation Act of 1996, has developed regulations for the establishment of a permit system for various activities in Antarctica and designation of certain animals and certain geographic areas requiring special protection. The regulations establish such a permit system to designate Antarctic Specially Protected Areas.

Description of Permit Modification Requested: The Foundation issued a permit (2008-016) to Dr. Robert A. Garrott on October 1, 2007. The issued permit allows the applicant to census, tag, weigh, and collect blood and tissue samples of Weddell seals and instrument mammals (Antarctic Fur, Leopard, Southern Elephant, Ross, Weddell and Crabeater seals) and seabirds (Chinstrap and Gentoo penguins, Cape Petrels, Giant Petrels, Brown Skuas, South Pole Skuas, Shearwaters, Kelp gulls, and Blue-eyed Shag).

The applicant requests a modification to his permit to temporarily attach temperature logger tags on Weddell pups to determine how much time the mothers spend in the water teaching their pups to swim, forage, and evade aggressive encounters with other seals. The data would also reveal how much time the pups spend in the water which may influence their weight when weaned and their ultimate probability of survival once weaned.

Location: Ross Sea and McMurdo Sound.

Dates: October 1, 2009 to February 28, 2012.

Nadene G. Kennedy,

Permit Officer, Office of Polar Programs.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Notice of Permits Issued Under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978

AGENCY: National Science Foundation.

ACTION: Notice of permits issued under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978, Public Law 95-541.

SUMMARY: The National Science Foundation (NSF) is required to publish notice of permits issued under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978. This is the required notice.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Nadene G. Kennedy, Permit Office, Office of Polar Programs, Rm. 755, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On April 27, 2009, the National Science Foundation published a notice in the **Federal Register** of a permit application received. A permit was issued on June 30, 2009 to: Ross Virginia; Permit No. 2010-001.

Nadene G. Kennedy,

Permit Officer.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[NRC-2009-0282]

Draft Regulatory Guide: Issuance, Availability

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Notice of Issuance and Availability of Draft Regulatory Guide, DG-1213.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Brian Lee, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, telephone: (301) 415-2916 or e-mail to Brian.Lee@nrc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Introduction

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is issuing for public comment a draft guide in the agency's "Regulatory Guide" series. This series was developed to describe and make available to the public such information as methods that are acceptable to the NRC staff for implementing specific parts of the NRC's regulations, techniques that the staff uses in evaluating specific problems or postulated accidents, and data that the staff needs in its review of applications for permits and licenses.

The draft regulatory guide (DG), titled, "Containment Isolation Provisions for Fluid Systems," is temporarily identified by its task number, DG-1213, which should be mentioned in all related correspondence. DG-1213 is proposed Revision 1 of Regulatory Guide 1.141.

DG-1213 describes updated methods that the NRC staff considers acceptable for use in complying with the Commission's requirements for containment isolation of fluid systems.

Title 10, of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 50, "Domestic Licensing of Production and Utilization Facilities" (10 CFR Part 50), Appendix A, "General Design Criteria for Nuclear Power Plants," General Design Criteria (GDC) 54, 55, 56, and 57 establishes that piping systems that penetrate the primary reactor containment be provided with isolation capabilities that reflect the importance to safety of isolating these piping systems.

II. Further Information

The NRC staff is soliciting comments on DG-1213. Comments may be accompanied by relevant information or supporting data and should mention DG-1213 in the subject line. Comments submitted in writing or in electronic

form will be made available to the public in their entirety through the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS).

Personal information will not be removed from your comments. You may submit comments by any of the following methods:

1. Mail comments to: Rulemaking and Directives Branch, Office of Administration, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001.

2. Federal e-Rulemaking Portal: Go to http://www.regulations.gov and search for documents filed under Docket ID [NRC-2009-0282]. Address questions about NRC dockets to Carol Gallagher, 301-492-3668; e-mail Carol.Gallagher@nrc.gov.

3. Fax comments to: Rulemaking and Directives Branch, Office of Administration, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission at (301) 492-3446.

Requests for technical information about DG-1213 may be directed to the NRC contact, Brian Lee at (301) 415-2916 or e-mail to Brian.Lee@nrc.gov.

Comments would be most helpful if received by August 28, 2009. Comments received after that date will be considered if it is practical to do so, but the NRC is able to ensure consideration only for comments received on or before this date. Although a time limit is given, comments and suggestions in connection with items for inclusion in guides currently being developed or improvements in all published guides are encouraged at any time.

Electronic copies of DG-1213 are available through the NRC's public Web site under Draft Regulatory Guides in the "Regulatory Guides" collection of the NRC's Electronic Reading Room at http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/. Electronic copies are also available in ADAMS (http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html), under Accession No. ML090230478.

In addition, regulatory guides are available for inspection at the NRC's Public Document Room (PDR), which is located at 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland. The PDR's mailing address is USNRC PDR, Washington, DC 20555-0001. The PDR can also be reached by telephone at (301) 415-4737 or (800) 397-4205, by fax at (301) 415-3548, and by e-mail to pdr.resource@nrc.gov.

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Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 30th day of June 2009.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission. Mark P. Orr, Acting Chief, Regulatory Guide Development Branch, Division of Engineering, Office of Nuclear Regulatory Research. [FR Doc. E9-16144 Filed 7-7-09; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 7590-01-P

NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Meetings; Sunshine Act

Sunshine Act Federal Register Notice

AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETINGS: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

DATES: Weeks of July 6, 13, 20, 27, August 3, 10, 2009.

PLACE: Commissioners' Conference Room, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

STATUS: Public and Closed.

Week of July 6, 2009

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of July 6, 2009.

Week of July 13, 2009—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of July 13, 2009.

Week of July 20, 2009—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of July 20, 2009.

Week of July 27, 2009—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of July 27, 2009.

Week of August 3, 2009—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of August 3, 2009.

Week of August 10, 2009—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of August 10, 2009.

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* The schedule for Commission meetings is subject to change on short notice. To verify the status of meetings, call (recording)—(301) 415-1292. Contact person for more information: Rochelle Baval, (301) 415-1651.

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Additional Information

Discussion/Possible Vote on Final Rule—Update to Waste Confidence Decision (Public Meeting) tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, June 30, 2009 at 1:05 p.m., was postponed and has not been rescheduled yet.

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The NRC Commission Meeting Schedule can be found on the Internet at: http://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/policy-making/schedule.html.

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Dated: July 2, 2009.

Rochelle C. Baval,

Office of the Secretary.

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OFFICE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY POLICY

Aeronautics Science and Technology Subcommittee; Committee on Technology; National Science and Technology Council

ACTION: Notice of Meeting. Public Consultation is requested regarding the biennial update to the National Plan for Aeronautics Research and Development and Related Infrastructure.

SUMMARY: The Aeronautics Science and Technology Subcommittee (ASTS) of the National Science and Technology Council's (NSTC) Committee on Technology will hold a public meeting to discuss the biennial update to the National Plan for Aeronautics Research and Development and Related Infrastructure (Plan) that is directed by Executive Order (E.O.) 13419—National Aeronautics Research and Development—signed December 20, 2006. The biennial update to the Plan will be guided by the National Aeronautics Research and Development Policy that was developed by the NSTC and endorsed by E.O. 13419.

Dates and Addresses: The meeting will be held in conjunction with the 45th AIAA/ASME/SAE/ASEE Joint Propulsion Conference & Exhibit at the Colorado Convention Center, 650 15th Street, Denver, CO 80202. The meeting