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Submit comments electronically via the Federal rulemaking website: Go to <http://www.regulations.gov> and search for documents filed under Docket ID NRC-2010-0206. Address questions about NRC dockets to Carol Gallagher at 301-492-3668 or via e-mail at [Carol.Gallagher@nrc.gov](mailto:Carol.Gallagher@nrc.gov).

*Mail comments to:* Chief, Rulemaking and Directives Branch (RADB), Division of Administrative Services, Office of Administration, Mail Stop: TWB-05-B01M, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001. Fax comments to RADB at 301-492-3446. Comments will be available electronically and accessible at <http://www.regulations.gov> and through ADAMS at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>. All comments must be received by September 21, 2010.

Participation in the scoping process for the supplement to the GEIS does not entitle participants to become parties to the proceeding to which the supplement to the GEIS relates. Matters related to participation in any hearing are outside the scope of matters to be discussed at this public meeting.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 13th day of July, 2010.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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## NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[NRC-2009-0425]

### Final Regulatory Guide: Issuance, Availability

**AGENCY:** Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of Issuance and Availability of Regulatory Guide, RG 8.40, "Methods for Measuring Effective Dose Equivalent From External Exposure."

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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## SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

### I. Introduction

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is issuing a new guide in the agency's "Regulatory Guide" series. This series was developed to describe and make available to the public information such as methods that are acceptable to the NRC staff for implementing specific parts of the agency'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.

Regulatory Guide 8.40 was issued with a temporary identification as Draft Regulatory Guide, DG-8039. This guide describes dosimetry methods that the NRC considers acceptable for determining the effective dose equivalent (EDE) for external (EDEX) radiation exposures. These methods provide a conservative estimate of the EDEX and may be used to calculate the total effective dose equivalent (TEDE) in demonstrating compliance with TEDE-based NRC regulatory requirements.

### II. Further Information

In September 2009, DG-8039 was published with a public comment period of 60 days from the issuance of the guide. The public comment period closed on November 26, 2009. The staff's responses to the public comments received are located in the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System under Accession Number ML100620118. The regulatory analysis may be found in ADAMS under Accession No. ML101940038. Electronic copies of RG 8.40 are available through the NRC's public Web site under "Regulatory Guides" at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/>.

In addition, regulatory guides are available for inspection at the NRC's Public Document Room (PDR) 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](mailto:pdr.resource@nrc.gov).

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Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 13th day of July 2010.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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## NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[NRC-2010-0002]

### Sunshine Act Notice

**DATES:** Weeks of July 19, 26, August 2, 9, 16, 23, 2010.

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

**STATUS:** Public and Closed.

#### Week of July 19, 2010

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of July 19, 2010.

#### Week of July 26, 2010—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of July 26, 2010.

#### Week of August 2, 2010—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of August 2, 2010.

#### Week of August 9, 2010—Tentative

*Thursday, August 12, 2010*

9:30 a.m. Meeting with Organization of Agreement States (OAS) and Conference of Radiation Control Program Directors (CRCPD) (Public Meeting) (Contact: Cindy Flannery, 301 415-0223).

This meeting will be webcast live at the Web address—<http://www.nrc.gov>.

#### Week of August 16, 2010—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of August 16, 2010.

#### Week of August 23, 2010—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of August 23, 2010.

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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

By a vote of 5-0 on July 13, 2010, the Commission determined pursuant to U.S.C. 552b(e) and § 9.107(a) of the Commission's rules that Affirmation of: David Geisen, NRC Staff Petition for Review of LBP-09-24 (Aug. 28, 2009) be