ACTION: Notice of Permit Applications 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 permit applications received to conduct activities regulated under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978. NSF has published regulations under the Antarctic Conservation Act at Title 45 Part 671 of the Code of Federal Regulations. This is the required notice of permit applications received.

DATES: Interested parties are invited to submit written data, comments, or views with respect to this permit application by September 30, 2013. This application may be inspected by interested parties at the Permit Office, address below.

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

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Adrian Dahood, ACA Permit Officer, at the above address or (703) 292–7149.

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 a requiring special protection. The regulations establish such a permit system to designate Antarctic Specially Protected Areas.

Application Details
1. Applicant
Harry Anderson
Bainbridge Island, Washington.


Activity for Which Permit is Requested: Waste Permit; The applicant proposes to fly to King George Island in early 2014. One person will fly the aircraft, a 2001 Lancair Columbia 300, from Punta Arenas Chile and land at the Chilean station Lieutenant Rodolfo Marsh Martin Aerodrome on King George Island. The pilot will refuel the aircraft and take off and return to Punta Arenas in the same day. With the exception of emissions resulting from operating the aircraft, all wastes generated during the flight will be contained and transported to Punta Arenas Chile for proper disposal.

Absorbent pads will be used during refueling to prevent any spills. The applicant will also carry a spill kit with him.

Location: King George Island, Antarctic Peninsula Region.


Nadene G. Kennedy,
Polar Coordination Specialist, Division of Polar Programs.

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NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD

Public Forum—Safety Culture: Enhancing Transportation Safety

On Tuesday and Wednesday, September 10–11, 2013, the National Transportation Safety Board (NTSB) will convene a forum titled, “Safety Culture: Enhancing Transportation Safety.” The forum will begin at 9:00 a.m. on both days and is open to all. Attendance is free, and no registration is required. NTSB Acting Chairman Deborah A.P. Hersman will serve as the Presiding Officer of the forum, and all five NTSB Board Members will serve as members of the Board of Inquiry. The forum is organized into six issue areas:

- Research Perspectives on Organizational Accidents;
- Techniques to Enhance Organizational Safety;
- Non-Transportation Perspectives on Safety Culture;
- Organizational Leadership Perspectives on Safety Culture;
- Safety Culture Management and Oversight in Transportation; and
- Companies and their Safety Culture Experiences.

The forum will address ways of enhancing safety by providing first-hand accounts of efforts from both transportation and non-transportation industries to develop effective safety cultures and to implement specific safety-enhancement techniques. Highlighting progress while recognizing remaining challenges, the invited panelists will discuss advances in safety culture research, and describe the roles, responsibilities, and methods for developing effective safety cultures within their industries.

There will also be a review of some recent organizational accidents that have been investigated by the NTSB. Invited panelists will include researchers, regulators, and industry leaders. Below is the preliminary agenda:

Tuesday, September 10 (9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.)

1. Opening Statement by Acting Chairman Hersman.
2. Introduction of the Technical Panels and Panelists.
3. Presentations from Panels One, Two, and Three and questions from the Board of Inquiry and the Technical Panels.

Wednesday, September 11 (9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.)

1. Opening Statement by Acting Chairman Hersman.
2. Introduction of the Technical Panels and Panelists.
3. Presentations from Panels Four, Five, and Six and questions from the Board of Inquiry and the Technical Panels.

The full agenda and a list of participants can be found at: http://www.ntsb.gov/news/events/2013/safetyculture/index.html.

The forum will be held in the NTSB Board Room and Conference Center, located at 429 L'Enfant Plaza E., SW., Washington, DC. The public can view the forum in person or by live webcast at http://www.ntsb.gov. Webcast archives are generally available by the end of the next day following the forum, and webcasts are archived for a period of 3 months after the date of the event.

Individuals requesting specific accommodations should contact Rochelle Hall at rochelle.hall@ntsb.gov or by telephone at (202) 314–6305 by Friday, September 6, 2013.

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NEIGHBORHOOD REINVESTMENT CORPORATION

Sunshine Act Meeting; Finance, Budget and Program Committee Meeting of the Board of Directors

TIME AND DATE: 1:00 p.m., Monday, September 9, 2013.
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket ID NRC–2013–0185]

Draft Program-Specific Guidance About Irradiator Licenses

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Draft NUREG; request for comments.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is revising its licensing guidance for irradiator licenses. The NRC is requesting public comment on draft NUREG–1556, Volume 6, Revision 1, “Consolidated Guidance about Materials Licenses: Program-Specific Guidance about 10 CFR Part 36 Irradiator Licenses.” The document has been updated from the previous revision to include safety culture, security of radioactive materials, protection of sensitive information, and changes in regulatory policies and practices. This document is intended for use by applicants, licensees, and the NRC staff and will also be available to Agreement States.

DATES: Submit comments by September 30, 2013. Comments received after this date will be considered if it is practical to do so, but the NRC is only able to assure consideration of comments received on or before this date.

ADDRESSES: You may access and comment submissions related to this document, which the NRC possesses and are publicly available, by searching on http://www.regulations.gov under Docket ID NRC–2013–0185. You may submit comments by any of the following methods:


- Mail comments to: Cindy Blayde, Chief, Rules, Announcements, and Directives Branch (RADD), Office of Administration, Mail Stop: 3WFN–06–A44MP, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555–0001.

For additional direction on accessing information and submitting comments, see “Accessing Information and Submitting Comments” in the SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION section of this document.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Accessing Information and Submitting Comments

A. Accessing Information

Please refer to Docket ID NRC–2013–0185 when contacting the NRC about the availability of information regarding this document. You may access information related to this document, which the NRC possesses and is publicly available, by the following methods:


- NRC’s Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS): You may access publicly available documents online in the NRC Library at http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html. To begin the search, select “ADAMS Public Documents” and then select “Begin Web-based ADAMS Search.” For problems with ADAMS, please contact the NRC’s Public Document Room (PDR) reference staff at 1–800–397–4209, 301–415–4737, or by email to pdr.resource@nrc.gov. The draft NUREG–1556, Volume 6, Revision 1, is available under ADAMS Accession Number ML13234A057.

- NRC’s PDR: You may examine and purchase copies of public documents at the NRC’s PDR, Room 1D–F21, One White Flint North, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland 20852.


B. Submitting Comments

Please include Docket ID NRC–2013–0185 in the subject line of your comment submission, in order to ensure that the NRC is able to make your comment submission available to the public in this docket.

The NRC cautions you not to include identifying or contact information that you do not want publicly disclosed in your comment submission. The NRC will post all comment submissions at http://www.regulations.gov as well as enter the comment submissions into ADAMS, and the NRC does not routinely edit comment submissions to remove identifying or contact information.

If you are requesting or aggregating comments from other persons for submission to the NRC, then you should inform those persons not to include identifying or contact information that they do not want to be publicly disclosed in their comment submission. Your request should state that the NRC does not routinely edit comment submissions to remove such information before making the comment submissions available to the public or entering the comment submissions into ADAMS.

II. Further Information

The NUREG provides guidance to an applicant applying for a license for an irradiator under 10 CFR Part 36 and provides the NRC criteria for evaluating a license application. The purpose of this notice is to provide the public with an opportunity to review and provide comments on draft NUREG–1556, Volume 6, Revision 1; “Consolidated Guidance about Materials Licenses: Program-Specific Guidance about 10 CFR Part 36 Irradiator Licenses.” These comments will be considered in the final version or subsequent revisions.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 26th day of August, 2013.