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This section of the FEDERAL REGISTER contains notices to the public of the proposed issuance of rules and regulations. The purpose of these notices is to give interested persons an opportunity to participate in the rule making prior to the adoption of the final rules.

NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

10 CFR Part 72

[NRC–2018–0075]

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List of Approved Spent Fuel Storage Casks: NAC International NAC–UMS®; Universal Storage System, Certificate of Compliance No. 1015, Amendment No. 6

Correction

In proposed rule document 2018–22913 beginning on page 53191 in the issue of Monday, October 22, 2018, make the following correction:

On page 53192 the table should read as follows:

Document	ADAMS accession No./web link/ Federal Register citation
Request to Amend Certificate of Compliance No. 1015 for the NAC–UMS® Cask System, dated May 23, 2017.	ML17145A380
Revision of Request to Amend Certificate of Compliance No. 1015 for the NAC–UMS® Cask System, dated January 16, 2018.	ML18018A893
Revision 11 to NAC–UMS® Final Safety Analysis Report for the UMS Universal Storage System.	ML16341B102
Proposed CoC No. 1015, Amendment No. 6.	ML18088A174
Proposed Technical Specifications Appendix A—Proposed Technical Specifications.	ML18088A176 ML18088A178
Appendix B—Preliminary Safety Evaluation Report.	ML18088A181

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OFFICE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY POLICY

32 CFR Part 2402

Implementing the Freedom of Information Act

AGENCY: Office of Science and Technology Policy.

ACTION: Notice of proposed rulemaking and request for public comment.

SUMMARY: The White House Office of Science and Technology Policy (OSTP) is amending its regulations to implement the FOIA Improvement Act of 2016. The regulations reflect OSTP's policy and practices and reaffirm its commitment to provide the fullest possible disclosure of records to the public.

DATES: Comments will be received through November 30, 2018.

ADDRESSES: Comments of approximately one page or less in length (4000 characters) are requested. All submissions must be in English. Comments may be submitted by any of the following methods:

Email: ostpfoia@ostp.eop.gov. Include “FOIA PROPOSED RULEMAKING” in the subject line of the message. OSTP does not currently accept attachments sent to the FOIA mailbox. Please paste the text of your comment into the message body of your email.

Mail: Office of Science and Technology Policy, Eisenhower Executive Office Building, 1650 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20502. Attention: “FOIA PROPOSED RULEMAKING.”

Fax: (202) 395–1224. Please clearly label all submissions as “FOIA PROPOSED RULEMAKING.”

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Andrew Mendoza, 202–456–4444. Questions about the content of this document should be sent to ostpfoia@ostp.eop.gov. Include “FOIA PROPOSED RULEMAKING” in the subject line of the message. Questions may also be sent by mail (please allow additional time for processing) to: Office of Science and Technology Policy, Eisenhower Executive Office Building, 1650 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20502. Attention: “FOIA PROPOSED RULEMAKING.”

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: OSTP is proposing new regulations to govern its

implementation of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA). In 2013, OSTP implemented its FOIA regulations, currently codified at 32 CFR part 2402. The FOIA Improvement Act of 2016, Pub. L. 114–185, requires each agency to review and update their FOIA regulations in accordance with its provisions. Among other things, the Act makes changes that require agencies to (1) withhold information only when it is reasonably foreseeable that disclosure would harm to an interest protected by an exemption; (2) allow a minimum of 90 days to file an appeal following an adverse determination; and (3) inform requesters of their right to seek dispute resolution services.

In connection with OSTP's review of its FOIA regulations, OSTP proposes the following rule to update its FOIA regulations, clarifying OSTP's process for responding to requests for information, incorporating new language on partial disclosures of information, increasing the period of time for a requester to appeal an adverse determination from 30 days to 90 days, and requiring OSTP to notify requesters of their right to seek dispute resolution services. Due to the scope of the proposed revisions, the proposed rule would replace OSTP's current FOIA regulations in their entirety. This proposed rule will update OSTP's regulations to reflect the statutory changes to FOIA and improve FOIA-related service and performance, thereby strengthening OSTP's compliance with FOIA. Accordingly, OSTP proposes these regulations implementing FOIA and submits them for public comment.

Statutory and Executive Order Reviews

Executive Order 12866 and 13563

These regulations have been drafted and reviewed in accordance with Executive Order 12866, “Regulatory Planning and Review,” section 1(b), Principles of Regulation, and in accordance with Executive Order 13563, “Improving Regulation and Regulatory Review,” section 1(b), General Principles of Regulation. These regulations are not a significant regulatory action under section 3(f) of Executive Order 12866; accordingly, this rule has not been reviewed by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). Further, both Executive Orders 12866 and 13563 direct agencies to