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*Docket:* For access to the docket to read submitted documents, go to eCRB, the Copyright Royalty Board's electronic filing and case management system, at <https://app.crb.gov/> and search for docket number 2008-2 CRB CD 2000-2003 (Phase II) (Remand).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Anita Blaine, Program Specialist, by telephone at (202) 707-7658 or email at [crb@loc.gov](mailto:crb@loc.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Each year cable systems must submit royalty payments to the Register of Copyrights as required by the statutory license set forth in sec. 111 of the Copyright Act for the retransmission to cable subscribers of over-the-air television and radio broadcast signals. See 17 U.S.C. 111(d). The Copyright Royalty Judges (Judges) oversee distribution of royalties to copyright owners whose works were included in a qualifying transmission and who timely filed a claim for royalties.

Allocation of the royalties collected occurs in one of two ways. In the first instance, the Judges may authorize distribution in accordance with a negotiated settlement among all claiming parties. 17 U.S.C. 111(d)(4)(A). If all claimants do not reach agreement with respect to the royalties, the Judges must conduct a proceeding to determine the distribution of any royalties that remain in controversy. 17 U.S.C. 111(d)(4)(B). Alternatively, the Judges may, on motion of claimants and on notice to all interested parties, authorize a partial distribution of royalties, reserving on deposit sufficient funds to resolve identified disputes. 17 U.S.C. 111(d)(4)(C), 801(b)(3)(C).

On April 21, 2017, Worldwide Subsidy Group LLC dba Independent Producers Group ("IPG") filed with the Judges a motion requesting a partial distribution amounting to 21.52% of the cable royalty funds for 2000-2003 in the Devotional Category pursuant to sec. 801(b)(3)(C) of the Copyright Act. 17

U.S.C. 801(b)(3)(C). Motion at 1, 5. IPG arrived at 21.52% by multiplying IPG's final distribution of 28.7% of funds in the Devotional Category for 1999 by 75%,

On April 26, 2017, the Settling Devotional Claimants ("SDC") filed an opposition to IPG's motion arguing, among other things, that IPG is not an established claimant (but rather is a "commercial entity representing claimants") and that "there are strong reasons to doubt that its single final distribution for 1999 will be predictive of results in later years." SDC Opposition at 1-2. The SDC also questioned whether IPG would be willing and able to disgorge funds if necessary. *Id.*

On May 2, 2017, IPG replied to the SDC's opposition, contending that IPG was already deemed an "established claimant" in the program suppliers' category with respect to 2004-2009 cable royalties and that IPG should not be precluded from receiving a partial distribution merely because it is a claimant representative as opposed to an actual claimant. IPG Reply at 2-3. IPG noted that "[t]he vast majority of entities receiving advances are 'agents' of claimants." *Id.* at 3. IPG argues that the SDC seeks to distinguish between IPG and other agents, such as the Motion Picture Association of America ("MPAA"), the National Association of Broadcasters ("NAB"), and PBS, which have received partial distributions in the past, on the ground that MPAA, NAB, and PBS are not commercially motivated, unlike IPG. IPG questioned the relevancy of the distinction between for-profit organizations and not for profit organizations, contending that "while many of the entities receiving advances are ostensibly non-commercial, they nonetheless represent (and have received partial distributions on behalf of) commercially motivated agents and commercially motivated claimants." *Id.* at 4. IPG argued that were there such a rule precluding for-profit entities from receiving partial distributions, IPG would not have been permitted to receive a partial distribution of royalties in the program suppliers' category. *Id.* at 4-5.<sup>1</sup> IPG dismissed the SDC's concerns regarding IPG's ability or willingness to disgorge funds if necessary as "unsubstantiated

<sup>1</sup> For its part, the SDC concedes that, based on IPG's final award for 2000-2003 in the program suppliers' category, MPAA conceded that IPG was entitled to a partial distribution in that category for 2004-2009 and that the Judges accepted MPAA's concession. Nevertheless, the SDC "did not and do not make such a concession in the Devotional category based on IPG's final award for a single year." SDC Opposition at n.2.

and non-sequitur 'suspicions' of IPG's alleged insolvency and alleged refusal to abide by its contractual relationships." *Id.* at 8.

Prior to ruling on a motion for partial distribution filed under § 801(b)(3)(C) of the Copyright Act, the Judges must publish a notice in the **Federal Register** to determine whether any interested claimant entitled to receive such royalty fees has a reasonable objection to the partial distribution. Accordingly, this Notice seeks comments from interested claimants on whether any reasonable objection exists that would preclude the distribution of 21.52% of the 2000-2003 cable royalty funds in the Devotional category to IPG. As the Judges have commenced a distribution proceeding concerning 2000-03 cable royalties, only claimants that have filed petitions to participate in the proceeding (or are included in a petition to participate filed on their behalf) are "interested claimants" for purposes of this Notice. Interested claimants objecting to the partial distribution must advise the Judges of the existence and extent of all objections by the end of the comment period. The Judges will not consider any objections with respect to the partial distribution motion that come to their attention after the close of the comment period.

Dated: March 27, 2019.

**Jesse M. Feder,**

*Chief Copyright Royalty Judge.*

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## **NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**

**[NRC-2019-0001]**

### **Sunshine Act Meetings**

**TIME AND DATE:** Weeks of April 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, May 6, 2019.

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

**STATUS:** Public and Closed.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:**

#### **Week of April 1, 2019**

*Thursday, April 4, 2019*

10:00 a.m. Meeting with the Advisory Committee on the Medical Uses of Isotopes (Public Meeting); (Contact: Kellee Jamerson: 301-415-7408).

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

#### **Week of April 8, 2019—Tentative**

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of April 8, 2019.

**Week of April 15, 2019—Tentative**

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of April 15, 2019.

**Week of April 22, 2019—Tentative**

Tuesday, April 23, 2019

10:00 a.m. Strategic Programmatic Overview of the Fuel Facilities and the Nuclear Materials Users Business Lines (Public Meeting); (Contact: Paul Michalak: 301-415-5804).

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

**Week of April 29, 2019—Tentative**

Tuesday, April 30, 2019

10:00 a.m. Briefing on the Annual Threat Environment (Closed Ex. 1).

**Week of May 6, 2019—Tentative**

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of May 6, 2019.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:** For more information or to verify the status of meetings, contact Denise McGovern at 301-415-0681 or via email at [Denise.McGovern@nrc.gov](mailto:Denise.McGovern@nrc.gov). The schedule for Commission meetings is subject to change on short notice.

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Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 28th day of March, 2019.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**Denise L. McGovern,**  
Policy Coordinator, Office of the Secretary.  
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**NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**

[NRC-2018-0138]

**Information Collection: Request for Information Regarding Recommendations 2.1, 2.3 and 9.3, of the Near Term Task Force Review of Insights From the Fukushima Dai-ichi Event**

**AGENCY:** Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of submission to the Office of Management and Budget; request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) invites public comment on the renewal of Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval for an existing collection of information. The information collection is entitled, "Request for Information Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.54(f) Regarding Recommendations 2.1, 2.3 and 9.3, of the Near Term Task Force Review of Insights from the Fukushima Dai-ichi Event."

**DATES:** Submit comments by May 1, 2019.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit comments directly to the OMB reviewer at: OMB Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs (3150-0211), Attn: Desk Officer for the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, 725 17th Street NW, Washington, DC 20503; email: [oirq\\_submission@omb.eop.gov](mailto:oirq_submission@omb.eop.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** David Cullison, NRC Clearance Officer, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001; telephone: 301-415-2084; Email: [INFOCOLLECTS.Resource@nrc.gov](mailto:INFOCOLLECTS.Resource@nrc.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:****I. Obtaining Information and Submitting Comments***A. Obtaining Information*

Please refer to Docket ID NRC-2018-0138 when contacting the NRC about the availability of information for this action. You may obtain publicly-available information related to this action by any of the following methods:

- *Federal Rulemaking website:* Go to <http://www.regulations.gov> and search for Docket ID NRC-2018-0138. A copy of the collection of information and related instructions may be obtained without charge by accessing Docket ID NRC-2018-0138 on this website.

- *NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS):* You may obtain publicly-available documents online in the ADAMS Public Documents collection at

<http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>. To begin the search, 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](mailto:pdr.resource@nrc.gov). A copy of the collection of information and related instructions may be obtained without charge by accessing ADAMS Accession No. ML12053A340. The supporting statement and burden spreadsheet are available in ADAMS under Accession Nos. ML19010A177 and ML18254A274.

- *NRC's PDR:* You may examine and purchase copies of public documents at the NRC's PDR, Room O1-F21, One White Flint North, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland 20852.

- *NRC's Clearance Officer:* A copy of the collection of information and related instructions may be obtained without charge by contacting the NRC's Clearance Officer, David Cullison, Office of the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001; telephone: 301-415-2084; email: [INFOCOLLECTS.Resource@NRC.GOV](mailto:INFOCOLLECTS.Resource@NRC.GOV).

*B. Submitting Comments*

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If you are requesting or aggregating comments from other persons for submission to the OMB, 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 comment submissions are not routinely edited to remove such information before making the comment submissions available to the public or entering the comment into ADAMS.

**II. Background**

Under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), the NRC recently submitted a request for renewal of an existing collection of information to OMB for review entitled, "Request for Information Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.54(f) Regarding Recommendations 2.1, 2.3 and 9.3, of the Near Term Task Force Review of Insights from the Fukushima Dai-ichi event." The NRC hereby informs potential respondents that an