- Federal rulemaking Web site: Go to http://www.regulations.gov and search for Docket ID NRC-2015-0043. A copy of the collection of information and related instructions may be obtained without charge by accessing Docket ID NRC-2015-0043 on this Web site.
- NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS): You may obtain publiclyavailable documents online in the ADAMS Public Documents collection 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. 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 estimates are available in ADAMS under Accession Nos. ML15278A247 and ML15278A246
- 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, Tremaine Donnell, Office of Information Services, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555–0001; telephone: 301–415–6258; email: INFOCOLLECTS.Resource@NRC.GOV.

#### B. Submitting Comments

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#### 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 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 agency may not conduct or sponsor, and that a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

The NRC published a **Federal Register** notice with a 60-day comment period on this information collection on July 28, 2015, 80 FR 45005.

- 1. The title of the information collection: 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.
  - 2. OMB approval number: 3150-0211.
  - 3. Type of submission: Extension.
- 4. The form number if applicable: Not applicable.
- 5. How often the collection is required or requested: Once.
- 6. Who will be required or asked to respond: 100 power reactor licensees, and 2 Combined License holders (2 units each).
- 7. The estimated number of annual responses: 79.3.
- 8. The estimated number of annual respondents: 104.
- 9. An estimate of the total number of hours needed annually to comply with the information collection requirement or request: 104,962.

10. Abstract: Following events at the Fukushima Dai-Ichi nuclear power plant resulting from the March 11, 2011, earthquake and subsequent tsunami, and in response to requirements contained in section 402 of the Consolidated Appropriations Act (Pub. L. 112-074), the NRC requested information from power reactor licensees pursuant to title 10 of the Code of Federal Regulations part 50.54(f). The information requested includes seismic and flooding hazard reevaluations to determine if further regulatory action is necessary, walkdowns to confirm compliance with the current licensing basis and provide input to the hazard reevaluations, and analysis of the Emergency Preparedness capability with respect to staffing and communication ability during a

prolonged multiunit event. The NRC will use the information provided by licensees to determine if additional regulatory action is necessary.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 14th day of December, 2015.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission. **Tremaine Donnell**,

NRC Clearance Officer, Office of Information Services.

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# NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. 52-025 and 52-026; ASLBP No. 16-944-01-LA-BD01]

## Southern Nuclear Operating Company, Inc.; Establishment of Atomic Safety and Licensing Board

Pursuant to delegation by the Commission, see 37 FR 28710 (Dec. 29, 1972), and the Commission's regulations, see, e.g., 10 CFR 2.104, 2.105, 2.300, 2.309, 2.313, 2.318, 2.321, notice is hereby given that an Atomic Safety and Licensing Board (Board) is being established to preside over the following proceeding: Southern Nuclear Operating Company, Inc. (Vogtle Electric Generating Plant, Units 3 and 4).

This proceeding involves an application by Southern Nuclear Operating Company, Inc. for an amendment to Facility Operating License Nos. NPF–91 and NPF–92 for operation of the Vogtle Electric Generating Plant, Units 3 and 4, located in Burke County, Georgia. In response to a notice filed in the **Federal Register**, see 80 FR 60937 (Oct. 8, 2015), the Blue Ridge Environmental Defense League and its chapter Concerned Citizens of Shell Bluff filed a Petition to Intervene and Request for Hearing on December 7, 2015.

The Board is comprised of the following Administrative Judges:
Ronald M. Spritzer, Chairman, Atomic Safety and Licensing Board Panel,
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission,
Washington, DC 20555–0001
Nicholas G. Trikouros, Atomic Safety
and Licensing Board Panel, U.S.

Washington, DC 20555–0001 Dr. James F. Jackson, Atomic Safety and Licensing Board Panel, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555–0001

Nuclear Regulatory Commission,

All correspondence, documents, and other materials shall be filed in accordance with the NRC E-Filing rule. See 10 CFR 2.302.

Dated: December 11, 2015.

#### E. Rov Hawkens,

Chief Administrative Judge, Atomic Safety and Licensing Board Panel.

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#### **NUCLEAR REGULATORY** COMMISSION

[NRC-2015-0158]

Information Collection: Nuclear Material Events Database (NMED) for the Collection of Event Report. Response, Analyses, and Follow-Up Data on Events Involving the Use of Atomic Energy Act (AEA) Radioactive **Byproduct Material** 

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) has recently submitted a request for renewal of an existing collection of information to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review. The information collection is entitled, "Nuclear Material Events Database (NMED for the Collection of Event Report, Response, Analyses, and Follow-up Data on Events Involving the Use of Atomic Energy Act (AEA) Radioactive Byproduct Material." **DATES:** Submit comments by January 19, 2016.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit comments directly to the OMB reviewer at: Vlad Dorjets, Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs (3150–0178), NEOB-10202, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503; telephone: (202) 395–7315, email: *oira* submission@omb.eop.gov.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Tremaine Donnell, NRC Clearance Officer, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001; telephone: (301) 415–6258; email: INFOCOLLECTS.Resource@nrc.gov.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

### I. Obtaining Information and **Submitting Comments**

#### A. Obtaining Information

Please refer to Docket ID NRC-2015-0158 when contacting the NRC about the availability of information for this action. You may obtain publiclyavailable information related to this action by any of the following methods:

• Federal rulemaking Web site: Go to http://www.regulations.gov and search for Docket ID NRC-2015-0158. A copy

of the collection of information and related instructions may be obtained without charge by accessing Docket ID NRC-2015-0158 on this Web site.

 NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS): You may obtain publiclyavailable documents online in the ADAMS Public Documents collection 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. A copy of the collection of information and related instructions may be obtained without charge by accessing ADAMS Accession ML15314A655. The supporting statement is available in ADAMS under Accession No. ML15314A713.

• 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.

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## 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, "Nuclear Material Events Database (NMED for the Collection of Event Report, Response, Analyses, and Follow-up Data on Events Involving the Use of Atomic Energy Act (AEA) Radioactive Byproduct Material." The NRC hereby informs potential respondents that an agency may not conduct or sponsor, and that a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

The NRC published a Federal **Register** notice with a 60-day comment period on this information collection on July 27, 2015 (80 FR 44401).

- 1. The title of the information collection: "Nuclear Material Events Database (NMED) for the Collection of Event Report, Response, Analyses, and Follow-up Data on Events Involving the Use of Atomic Energy Act (AEA) Radioactive Byproduct Material.'
  - 2. *OMB approval number*: 3150–0178.
  - 3. Type of submission: Extension.
  - 4. The form number if applicable: NA.
- 5. How often the collection is required or requested: On occasion. Agreement States are requested to provide copies of licensee nuclear material event reports electronically or by hard copy to the NRC within 30 days of receipt from their licensee. In addition, Agreement States are requested to report events that may pose a significant health and safety hazard to the NRC Headquarters Operations Officer within 24 hours of notification by an Agreement State licensee.
- 6. Who will be required or asked to respond: Current Agreement States and any State receiving Agreement State status in the future.
- 7. The estimated number of annual responses: 506.
- 8. The estimated number of annual respondents: 37.
- 9. An estimate of the total number of hours needed annually to comply with the information collection requirement or request: 804 hours.
- 10. Abstract: NRC regulations require NRC licensees to report incidents and overexposures, leaking or contaminated sealed source(s), release of excessive contamination of radioactive material, lost or stolen radioactive material, equipment failures, abandoned well logging sources and medical events. Agreement State licenses are also required to report these events to their individual Agreement State regulatory authorities under compatible Agreement State regulations. The NRC is requesting that the Agreement States provide information to NRC on the initial