

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

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

*Description of Permit Modification Requested:* The Foundation issued a permit (ACA 2022-013) to Lisa Bolton, Scenic USA on November 12, 2021. The issued permit allows the applicant to conduct waste management activities associated with operating remotely piloted aircraft systems (RPAS) and helicopters. The permit holder may operate small battery operated RPAS to capture aerial footage for commercial, educational, and safety uses. The permit holder may also operate two helicopters for sightseeing in the Antarctic Peninsula region.

Now the applicant proposes a modification to the permit to increase the number of helicopters to four helicopters, two on each ship, and to allow those helicopters to make landings for sightseeing purposes. The name of the permit holder is also proposed to be changed to Jason Fleisher, Scenic USA.

*Location:* Antarctic Peninsula region.

*Dates:* September 15, 2023 to March 31, 2026.

**Kimiko S. Bowens-Knox,**

*Program Analyst, Office of Polar Programs.*

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**NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION****Proposal Review Panel for Innovation and Technology Ecosystems; Notice of Meeting**

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation (NSF) announces the following meeting:

*Name and Committee Code:* Proposal Review Panel for Innovation and Technology Ecosystems (#84685)—

North Dakota State University Fargo Site Visit.

*Date and Time:* September 19, 2023; 3:00 p.m.—9:00 p.m.

September 20, 2023; 8:30 a.m.—7:45 p.m.

September 21, 2023; 8:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

*Place:* Jasper Hotel, 215 Broadway N, Fargo, ND 58102.

*Tour Location:* Hefty Seed Company, 153rd Ave. SE, Wheatland, ND 58079.

Agronomy Seed Farm, 15449 37th St. SE, Casselton, ND 58102.

*Type of Meeting:* Part-Open.

*Contact Person:* Daniel Goetzel, Program Director, National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, Virginia 22314; Telephone (703) 292-5304.

*Purpose of Meeting:* NSF site visit to provide advice and recommendations concerning the progress and future activities of the projects that are one year into two-year awards.

**Agenda**

*September 19, 2023*

3:00 p.m.—4:15 p.m. Executive Sessions (Closed)

4:15 p.m.—7:00 p.m. Tour of Hefty Seed Company and Agronomy Seed Farm (Open)

7:00 p.m.—9:00 p.m. Executive Sessions (Closed)

*September 20, 2023*

8:30 a.m.—7:45 p.m. Executive Sessions (Closed)

*September 21, 2023*

8:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m. Executive Sessions (Closed)

*Reason for Closing:* Topics to be discussed and evaluated during closed portions of the site review will include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; and information on personnel. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

Dated: August 21, 2023.

**Crystal Robinson,**

*Committee Management Officer.*

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**NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**

[NRC-2023-0135]

**Environmental Assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact of Independent Spent Fuel Storage Facilities Decommissioning Funding Plans**

**AGENCY:** Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** Environmental assessment and finding of no significant impact; issuance.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is publishing this notice regarding the issuance of a final environmental assessment (EA) and a finding of no significant impact (FONSI) for its review and approval of the updated decommissioning funding plans (DFPs) submitted by independent spent fuel storage installation (ISFSI) licensees for the ISFSIs listed in the “Discussion” section of this document.

**DATES:** The EA and FONSI referenced in this document are available on August 25, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** Please refer to Docket ID NRC-2023-0135 when contacting the NRC about the availability of information regarding this document. You may obtain publicly available information related to this document using any of the following methods:

- *Federal Rulemaking Website:* Go to <https://www.regulations.gov> and search for Docket ID NRC-2023-0135. Address questions about Docket IDs in *Regulations.gov* to Stacy Schumann; telephone: 301-415-0624; email: [Stacy.Schumann@nrc.gov](mailto:Stacy.Schumann@nrc.gov). For technical questions, contact the individual listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section of this document.

- *NRC’s Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS):* You may obtain publicly available documents online in the ADAMS Public Documents collection at <https://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, at 301-415-4737, or by email to [PDR.Resource@nrc.gov](mailto:PDR.Resource@nrc.gov). The ADAMS accession number for each document referenced (if it is available in ADAMS) is provided the first time that it is mentioned in this document.

- *NRC’s PDR:* The PDR, where you may examine and order copies of publicly available documents, is open by appointment. To make an

appointment to visit the PDR, please send an email to [PDR.Resource@nrc.gov](mailto:PDR.Resource@nrc.gov) or call 1-800-397-4209 or 301-415-4737, between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. eastern time (ET), Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Tilda Liu, Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001; telephone: 404-997-4730, email: [Tilda.Liu@nrc.gov](mailto:Tilda.Liu@nrc.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**I. Introduction**

The NRC is considering the approval of the updated DFPs submitted by ISFSI licensees. The NRC staff has prepared a final EA and FONSI determination for each of the updated ISFSI DFPs in accordance with the NRC regulations in part 51 of title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR), “Environmental Protection Regulations for Domestic

Licensing and Related Regulatory Functions,” which implement the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, as amended (42 U.S.C. 4321 *et seq.*).

The NRC requires its licensees to plan for the eventual decommissioning of their licensed facilities prior to license termination. On June 17, 2011, the NRC published a final rule in the **Federal Register** amending its decommissioning planning regulations (76 FR 35512). The final rule amended the NRC regulation, 10 CFR 72.30, which concerns financial assurance and decommissioning for ISFSIs. This regulation requires each holder of, or applicant for, a license under 10 CFR part 72 to submit a DFP for the NRC’s review and approval. The purpose of the DFP is to demonstrate the licensee’s financial assurance, *i.e.*, that funds will be available to decommission the ISFSI. The NRC staff will later publish its financial analyses

of the DFP submittals which will be available for public inspection in ADAMS.

**II. Discussion**

The table in this notice includes the plant name, docket number, licensee, and ADAMS accession number for the final EA and FONSI determination for each of the individual ISFSIs. The table also includes the ADAMS accession numbers for other relevant documents, including the updated DFP submittals. For further details with respect to these actions, see the NRC staff’s final EA and FONSI determinations which are available for public inspection in ADAMS and at <https://www.regulations.gov> under Docket ID NRC-2023-0135. For additional direction on accessing information related to this document, see the **ADDRESSES** section of this document.

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT

Facility	Fermi, Unit 2 (Fermi 2)
Docket No .....	72-71.
Licensee .....	DTE Electric Company (DTE).
Proposed Action .....	The NRC’s review and approval of DTE’s updated decommissioning funding plans (DFPs) submitted in accordance with 10 CFR 72.30(c).
Environmental Impact of Proposed Action.	The NRC staff has determined that the proposed action, the review and approval of DTE’s updated DFPs, submitted in accordance with 10 CFR 72.30(c), will not authorize changes to licensed operations or maintenance activities, or result in changes in the types, characteristics, or quantities of radiological or non-radiological effluents released into the environment from the independent spent fuel storage installation (ISFSI), or result in the creation of solid waste. Moreover, the approval of the updated DFPs will not authorize any construction activity, facility modification, or other land-disturbing activity. The NRC staff has concluded that the proposed action is a procedural and administrative action that will not have a significant impact on the environment.
Finding of No Significant Impact.	The proposed action does not require changes to the ISFSI’s licensed routine operations, maintenance activities, or monitoring programs, nor does it require new construction or land-disturbing activities. The scope of the proposed action concerns only the NRC’s review and approval of DTE’s updated DFPs. The scope of the proposed action does not include, and will not result in, the review and approval of decontamination or decommissioning activities or license termination for the ISFSI or for other parts of Fermi 2. Therefore, the NRC staff determined that approval of the updated DFPs for the Fermi 2 ISFSI will not significantly affect the quality of the human environment, and accordingly, the staff has concluded that a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) is appropriate. The NRC staff further finds that preparation of an environmental impact statement is not required.
Available Documents .....	<p><b>Federal Register</b> notice. Final Rule “Environmental Protection Regulations for Domestic Licensing and Related Regulatory Functions and Related Conforming Amendments,” dated March 12, 1984 (49 FR 9381).</p> <p><b>Federal Register</b> notice. Final Rule “Decommissioning Planning,” dated June 17, 2011 (76 FR 35512).</p> <p><b>Federal Register</b> notice. Environmental Assessments and Findings of no Significant Impact of Independent Spent Fuel Storage Facilities Decommissioning Funding Plans, dated April 5, 2021 (86 FR 17644).</p> <p>U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission. 2003/08/31-NUREG-1748, “Environmental Review Guidance for Licensing Actions Associated with NMSS Programs, Final Report.” August 2003 (ADAMS Accession No. ML032540811).</p> <p>U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission. “Environmental Assessment for Final Rule: Decommissioning Planning” (10 CFR Parts 20, 30, 40, 50, 70, and 72; RIN 3150-A155). February 2009 (ADAMS Accession No. ML090500648).</p> <p>U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission. ESA Section 7 No Effect Determination for ISFSI DFP Reviews (Note to File), dated May 15, 2017 (ADAMS Accession No. ML17135A062).</p> <p>U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission. “Final Environmental Assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact for DTE Electric Company’s Initial Decommissioning Funding Plan Submitted in Accordance with 10 CFR 72.30(b) for Fermi-2 Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation,” dated March 29, 2021 (ADAMS Accession No. ML21056A139).</p> <p>U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission. “Analysis of DTE Electric Company’s Initial Decommissioning Funding Plan for the Fermi-2 Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation,” dated April 7, 2021 (ADAMS Accession No. ML21068A071).</p> <p>U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission. “Review of the Draft Environmental Assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact for Fermi 2 Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation Updated Decommissioning Funding Plans,” dated June 8, 2023 (ADAMS Accession No. ML23132A319).</p> <p>DTE Electric Company. Fermi 2 ISFSI Decommissioning Funding Plan, dated July 2, 2014 (ADAMS Accession No. ML14183B584).</p>

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT—Continued

Facility	Fermi, Unit 2 (Fermi 2)
	DTE Electric Company. Fermi 2 ISFSI Decommissioning Funding Plan Update, dated March 30, 2017 (ADAMS Accession No. ML17089A789). DTE Electric Company. Fermi 2 ISFSI Decommissioning Funding Plan Update, dated March 30, 2020 (ADAMS Accession No. ML20090H578). DTE Electric Company. Fermi 2 ISFSI Decommissioning Funding Plan Update, dated March 30, 2023 (ADAMS Accession No. ML23089A081).
Facility	San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station (San Onofre)
Docket No .....	72-41.
Licensee .....	Southern California Edison (SCE).
Proposed Action .....	The NRC's review and approval of SCE's updated decommissioning funding plans (DFPs) submitted in accordance with 10 CFR 72.30(c).
Environmental Impact of Proposed Action.	The NRC staff has determined that the proposed action, the review and approval of SCE's updated DFPS, submitted in accordance with 10 CFR 72.30(c), will not authorize changes to licensed operations or maintenance activities, or result in changes in the types, characteristics, or quantities of radiological or non-radiological effluents released into the environment from the independent spent fuel storage installation (ISFSI), or result in the creation of solid waste. Moreover, the approval of the updated DFPS will not authorize any construction activity, facility modification, or other land-disturbing activity. The NRC staff has concluded that the proposed action is a procedural and administrative action that will not have a significant impact on the environment.
Finding of No Significant Impact .....	The proposed action does not require changes to the ISFSI's licensed routine operations, maintenance activities, or monitoring programs, nor does it require new construction or land-disturbing activities. The scope of the proposed action concerns only the NRC's review and approval of SCE's updated DFPS. The scope of the proposed action does not include, and will not result in, the review and approval of decontamination or decommissioning activities or license termination for the ISFSI or for other parts of San Onofre. Therefore, the NRC staff determined that approval of the updated DFPS for the San Onofre ISFSI will not significantly affect the quality of the human environment, and accordingly, the staff has concluded that a Finding of No Significant Impact is appropriate. The NRC staff further finds that preparation of an environmental impact statement is not required.
Available Documents .....	<p><b>Federal Register</b> notice. Final Rule "Environmental Protection Regulations for Domestic Licensing and Related Regulatory Functions and Related Conforming Amendments," dated March 12, 1984 (49 FR 9381).</p> <p><b>Federal Register</b> notice. Final Rule "Decommissioning Planning," dated June 17, 2011 (76 FR 35512).</p> <p><b>Federal Register</b> notice. Environmental Assessments and Findings of no Significant Impact of Independent Spent Fuel Storage Facilities Decommissioning Funding Plans, dated April 14, 2021 (86 FR 19644).</p> <p>U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission. 2003/08/31-NUREG-1748, "Environmental Review Guidance for Licensing Actions Associated with NMSS Programs, Final Report." August 2003 (ADAMS Accession No. ML032540811).</p> <p>U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission. "Environmental Assessment re: Final Rule: Decommissioning Planning" (10 CFR Parts 20, 30, 40, 50, 70, and 72; RIN 3150-A155). February 2009 (ADAMS Accession No. ML090500648).</p> <p>U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission. ESA Section 7 No Effect Determination for ISFSI DFP Reviews (Note to File), dated May 15, 2017 (ADAMS Accession No. ML17135A062).</p> <p>U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission. "Final Environmental Assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact for the Southern California Edison Company's Initial and Updated Decommissioning Funding Plan Submitted in Accordance with 10 CFR 72.30 for San Onofre Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation," dated April 7, 2021 (ADAMS Accession No. ML21090A115).</p> <p>U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission. "Analysis of Southern California Edison Company's Initial and Updated Decommissioning Funding Plans for the San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installations," dated April 7, 2021 (ADAMS Accession No. ML21061A231).</p> <p>U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission. "Review of the Draft Environmental Assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact Related to San Onofre Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation Updated Decommissioning Funding Plans," dated June 14, 2023 (ADAMS Accession No. ML23129A180).</p> <p>ISFSI Decommissioning Funding Plans (10 CFR 72.30), dated December 14, 2012 (ADAMS Accession No. ML130420384).</p> <p>ISFSI Decommissioning Funding Plans (10 CFR 72.30), dated December 14, 2015 (ADAMS Accession No. ML15349A942).</p> <p>Response to Request for Additional Information—Southern California Edison's Decommissioning Funding Plan Update for San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation, dated April 11, 2018 (ADAMS Accession No. ML18106A042).</p> <p>Decommissioning Funding Status Report, San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station Units 1, 2 and 3 and ISFSI, dated March 28, 2017 (ADAMS Accession No. ML17090A152).</p> <p>Decommissioning Funding Status Report 2019, San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station Units 1, 2, and 3 and Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation, dated March 17, 2020 (ADAMS Accession No. ML20079J032).</p> <p>Decommissioning Funding Status Report 2020, San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station Units 1, 2, and 3 and Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation, dated March 24, 2021 (ADAMS Accession No. ML21091A037).</p>

Facility	San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station (San Onofre)
	<p>Decommissioning Funding Status Report 2021, San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station Units 1, 2, and 3 and Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation, dated March 23, 2022 (ADAMS Accession No. ML22084A055).</p> <p>Decommissioning Funding Status Report 2021 [sic], San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station Units 1, 2, and 3 and Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation, dated March 29, 2023 (ADAMS Accession No. ML23094A127).</p>

Dated: August 22, 2023.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**Yoira K. Diaz-Sanabria,**

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## OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

### Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee Virtual Public Meeting

**AGENCY:** Office of Personnel Management.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** According to the provisions of section 10 of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, notice is hereby given that a virtual meeting of the Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee will be held on Thursday, September 21, 2023. There will be no in-person gathering for this meeting.

**DATES:** The virtual meeting will be held on September 21, 2023, beginning at 10:00 a.m. (ET).

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will convene virtually.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ana Paunoiu, 202-606-2858, or email [pay-leave-policy@opm.gov](mailto:pay-leave-policy@opm.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee is composed of a Chair, five representatives from labor unions holding exclusive bargaining rights for Federal prevailing rate employees, and five representatives from Federal agencies. Entitlement to membership on the Committee is provided for in 5 U.S.C. 5347.

The Committee's primary responsibility is to review the Prevailing Rate System and other matters pertinent to establishing prevailing rates under subchapter IV, chapter 53, 5 U.S.C., as amended, and from time to time advise the Office of Personnel Management.

Annually, the Chair compiles a report of pay issues discussed and concluded recommendations. These reports are available to the public. Reports for calendar years 2008 to 2020 are posted

at <http://www.opm.gov/fprac>. Previous reports are also available, upon written request to the Committee.

The public is invited to submit material in writing to the Chair on Federal Wage System pay matters felt to be deserving of the Committee's attention. Additional information on these meetings may be obtained by contacting the Committee at Office of Personnel Management, Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee, Room 7H31, 1900 E Street NW, Washington, DC 20415, (202) 606-2858.

This meeting is open to the public, with an audio option for listening. This notice sets forth the agenda for the meeting and the participation guidelines.

**Meeting Agenda:** The tentative agenda for this meeting includes the following Federal Wage System items:

- The definition of Monroe County, PA.
- The definition of San Joaquin County, CA.
- The definition of the Salinas-Monterey, CA, wage area.
- The definition of the Puerto Rico wage area.

**Public Participation:** The September 21, 2023, meeting of the Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee is open to the public through advance registration. Public participation is available for the meeting. All individuals who plan to attend the virtual public meeting to listen must register by sending an email to [pay-leave-policy@opm.gov](mailto:pay-leave-policy@opm.gov) with the subject line "September 21, 2023" no later than Tuesday, September 19, 2023.

The following information must be provided when registering:

- Name.
- Agency and duty station.
- Email address.
- Your topic of interest.

Members of the press, in addition to registering for this event, must also RSVP to [media@opm.gov](mailto:media@opm.gov) by September 19, 2023.

A confirmation email will be sent upon receipt of the registration. Audio teleconference information for participation will be sent to registrants the morning of the virtual meeting.

Office of Personnel Management.

**Kayyonne Marston,**

*Federal Register Liaison.*

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## POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. MC2023-234 and CP2023-237]

### New Postal Products

**AGENCY:** Postal Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission is noticing a recent Postal Service filing for the Commission's consideration concerning a negotiated service agreement. This notice informs the public of the filing, invites public comment, and takes other administrative steps.

**DATES:**

*Comments are due:* August 28, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit comments electronically via the Commission's Filing Online system at <http://www.prc.gov>. Those who cannot submit comments electronically should contact the person identified in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section by telephone for advice on filing alternatives.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** David A. Trissell, General Counsel, at 202-789-6820.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

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**I. Introduction**

The Commission gives notice that the Postal Service filed request(s) for the Commission to consider matters related to negotiated service agreement(s). The request(s) may propose the addition or removal of a negotiated service agreement from the Market Dominant or the Competitive product list, or the modification of an existing product currently appearing on the Market Dominant or the Competitive product list.

Section II identifies the docket number(s) associated with each Postal