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2003-1. The provisions included in 10 CFR 30.35, 40.36 and the same compatibility designations. The Statements of Consindicate that the requirements for these sections were intended analyzed this issue and has concluded that paragraphs 30.35 were intended to be designated as hH&ysteed that para	70.25 are identical yet do not have sideration for this amendment ed to be the same. The NRC staff
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## **NRC Point**

As explained above, paragraphs 30.35(e), 40.36(d) and 70.25(e) describe the requirements for decommissioning funding plans, including the requirement that these plans be periodically updated over the life of a facility at intervals not to exceed 3 years. However, these paragraphs do not specify dollar amounts that are required to provide adequate financial assurance for decommissioning. Specific dollar amounts are, however, specified in paragraphs 30.35(d) and 70.25(d). Therefore, according to the rationales quoted above, paragraphs 30.35(e) and 70.25(e), as well as 40.36(d), should be designated "H&S," not com(70.2)Tj1.956 0 T 0 Td((e 0 Td(o)Tj0.557 0 Td)).