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ALL AGREEMENT STATES

PROJECTED INTEGRATED MATERIALS PERFORMANCE EVALUATION PROGRAM SCHEDULES FOR FISCAL YEARS 2016–2018 (STC-15-014)

Purpose: To inform Agreement State program staff of upcoming Integrated Materials Performance Evaluation Program (IMPEP) reviews.

Background: Annually, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission provides the projected IMPEP schedule to the Agreement States to ensure that Agreement State personnel have advanced notice of upcoming IMPEP reviews.

Discussion: We would appreciate receiving any comments* regarding the timing of an IMPEP review projected for fiscal year (FY) 2016, as listed in the enclosure, within 30 days from the date of this letter. Once we have received any comments on the proposed schedule for FY 2016, we will issue a more complete draft schedule that includes designation of team members and estimated dates for Management Review Board meetings.

If you have any questions regarding this communication, please contact me at (301) 415-3340 or the individual named below:

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Enclosure:
Projected IMPEP Schedules
for Fiscal Years 2016-2018

*This information request has been approved by OMB 3150-0029 expiration 2/28/2018. The estimated burden per response to comply with this voluntary collection is approximately 8 hours. Send comments regarding the burden estimate to the FOIA, Privacy, and Information Collections Branch (T-5F53), U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, or by Internet e-mail to infocollects.resource@nrc.gov, and to the Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, NEOB-10202 (3150-0200), Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503. If a means used to impose an information collection does not display a currently valid OMB control number, the NRC may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, the information collection.

PROJECTED IMPEP SCHEDULE		
FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
Nebraska*	Minnesota*	Illinois*
California	South Carolina*	Washington*
Rhode Island	lowa*	Arkansas
Maryland	New Hampshire	North Carolina
Arizona	NRC RIII* +	New York
Tennessee	Mississippi	Colorado
Louisiana	Nevada	Texas
Georgia	New Mexico	Kansas
Kentucky	Oregon	Massachusetts
		Oklahoma

^{*} Received one year extension per IMPEP Self-Assessment Recommendation.

⁺ NRC is considering conducting one IMPEP that would include the three NRC regional materials programs, and NRC's Sealed Source and Device Evaluation and Uranium Recovery Programs. The projected schedule for the NRC IMPEP is FY 2019.

DRAFT SCHEDULE FOR IMPEP REVIEWS FY 2016		
Program	Proposed Date	
Nebraska	October 2015	
California	October 2015	
Rhode Island	November 2015	
Maryland	November 2015	
Arizona	March 2016	
Tennessee	April 2016	
Louisiana	April 2016	
Georgia	May 2016	
Kentucky	June 2016	