

secured or controlled until such time as it was administered to a patient. By giving the I-131 capsules to patients to take to their residence for self administration at a later time, the Licensee failed to secure or control the licensed material as required.

With respect to the Licensee's comment regarding the NMSS Licensee Newsletter 95-1 issued March/April 1995, and the Federal Register notice on January 25, 1995 (60 FR 4872), these documents describe a proposed NRC rulemaking concerning errors in administering radiation or radioactive materials for medical purposes. That rulemaking, if adopted in final form, would clarify that the dose limits for individual members of the public in 10 CFR 20.1301 do not apply to the exposure that the individual receives from such an error.¹ There is nothing in the proposed rulemaking that would exempt the medical use of licensed material from 10 CFR 20.1801 and 20.1802, which are the requirements that are cited in the violation. 10 CFR Part 35 does not take precedence over 10 CFR Part 20. 10 CFR 20.1002, "Scope", specifically states that the regulations in 10 CFR Part 20 apply to persons licensed pursuant to 10 CFR Parts 30 through 36, which includes 10 CFR Part 35, "Medical Use of Byproduct Material." Similarly, 10 CFR 35.1, "Purpose and scope", states that the requirements and provisions of 10 CFR Part 20 apply to licensees subject to 10 CFR Part 35, unless specifically exempted.

Therefore, the NRC maintains that the violation occurred as stated in the Notice.

With respect to the Licensee's statement that dispensing of capsules containing between 14 and 129 microcuries of I-131 could not have caused any unnecessary exposure to members of the public anymore than if the patient had ingested the same capsule prior to leaving the premises, the NRC disagrees. Because of the Licensee's lack of security or control over the capsule (i.e., after the capsule had been given to the patient to take to the patient's home), the capsule could have been ingested inadvertently by someone other than the patient. Such an event would result in an unnecessary radiation exposure to an unintended person far in excess of the regulatory limits for radiation exposure to members of the public. Therefore, the violation was properly categorized at Severity Level III in accordance with the Enforcement Policy because of the potential safety hazard.

NRC Conclusion

The NRC has concluded that the violation assessed a penalty occurred as stated in the Notice. In addition, the NRC has concluded that the Licensee did not provide an adequate basis for withdrawal of the civil penalty. Accordingly, the proposed civil penalty in the amount of \$750 should be imposed.

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¹ Currently, 10 CFR 20.1002 provides that the limits of that Part do not apply to doses due to exposure of patients to radiation for the purpose of medical diagnosis or therapy.

[Docket No. 72-1]

General Electric Company; Notice of Issuance of Amendment to Materials License SNM-2500

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has issued Amendment No. 9 to Materials License No. SNM-2500 held by the General Electric Company for the receipt and storage of spent fuel at the Morris Operation, located at 7555 East Collins Road, Morris, Illinois. The amendment is effective as of the date of issuance.

The amendment revises the General Electric Physical Security Plan making administrative changes which do not affect fuel receipt, handling, and storage safety.

The application for the amendment complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations. The Commission has made appropriate findings as required by the Act and the Commission's rules and regulations in 10 CFR Chapter I, which are set forth in the license amendment. Prior public notice of the amendment was not required since the amendment does not involve a significant hazards consideration.

The Commission has determined that the issuance of the amendment will not result in any significant environmental impact and that, pursuant to 10 CFR 51.22(c)(12), an environmental assessment need not be prepared in connection with issuance of the amendment.

For further details with respect to this action, see (1) the application for amendment dated December 28, 1994, as supplemented by letter dated March 10, 1995, and (2) Amendment No. 9 to Materials License No. SNM-2500 with the Commission's letter to the licensee. All of these items are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, The Gelman Building, Lower Level, 2120 L Street, NW., Washington, DC., and the Local Public Document Room at the Morris Area Public Library District, 604 Liberty Street, Morris, Illinois, 60450.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 16 day of June 1995.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

William D. Travers,

Director, Spent Fuel Project Office, Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards.

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OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

Federal Salary Council; Meeting

AGENCY: Office of Personnel Management.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: According to the provisions of section 10 of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), notice is hereby given that the forty-fifth meeting of the Federal Salary Council will be held at the time and place shown below. At the meeting the Council will continue discussing issues relating to locality based comparability payments authorized by the Federal Employees Pay Comparability Act of 1990 (FEPCA). The meeting is open to the public.

DATE: July 31, 1995, at 9 a.m.

ADDRESS: Office of Personnel Management, 1900 E Street NW., Room 7B09, Washington, DC.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ruth O'Donnell, Chief, Salary Systems Division, Office of Personnel Management, 1900 E Street NW., Room 6H31, Washington, DC 20415-0001. Telephone number: (202) 606-2838.

For the President's Pay Agent.

Lorraine A. Green,

Deputy Director.

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OFFICE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY POLICY

Meeting of the President's Committee of Advisors on Science and Technology

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice sets forth the schedule and summary agenda for a meeting of the President's Committee of Advisors on Science and Technology (PCAST), and describes the functions of the Committee. Notice of this meeting is required under the Federal Advisory Committee Act.

DATES AND PLACE: July 11 and 12, 1995. The White House Conference Center, Truman Room, Third Floor, 726 Jackson Place NW., Washington, DC 20500.

TYPE OF MEETING: Open.

PROPOSED SCHEDULE AND AGENDA: The President's Committee of Advisors on Science and Technology (PCAST) will meet in open session on Tuesday, July 11, 1995, at approximately 9 a.m. to be briefed on the findings and recommendations of the PCAST Review