

RD-1 respondents: 1,600 respondents
× 1 response × 18 burden hours = 28,800
hours/year.

All respondents: 51,400 burden hours
hours/year during CY 2002, 2003, and
2004.

Dated: September 18, 2001.

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NSF Reports Clearance Officer.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Documents Containing Reporting or Recordkeeping Requirements; Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Review

AGENCY: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory
Commission (NRC).

ACTION: Notice of the OMB review of
information collection and solicitation
of public comment.

SUMMARY: The NRC has recently
submitted to OMB for review the
following proposal for the collection of
information under the provisions of the
Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44
U.S.C. Chapter 35).

1. *Type of submission, new, revision,
or extension:* New.

2. *The title of the information
collection:* 10 CFR part 63—Disposal of
High-Level Radioactive Wastes in a
Proposed Geologic Repository at Yucca
Mountain, Nevada.

3. *The form number if applicable:* Not
applicable.

4. *How often the collection is
required:* One time.

5. *Who will be required or asked to
report:* The State of Nevada, local
governments, or Indian Tribes, or their
representatives, requesting consultation
with the NRC staff regarding review of
the potential high-level waste geologic
repository site, or wishing to participate
in a license application review for the
potential geologic repository.

6. *An estimate of the number of
responses:* 9

7. *The estimated number of annual
respondents:* 3

8. *An estimate of the total number of
hours needed annually to complete the
requirement or request:* An average of 40
hours per response for consultation
requests, 80 hours per response for
license application review participation
proposals, and one hour per response
for statements of representative
authority. The total burden for all
responses is estimated to be 363 hours
annually.

9. *An indication of whether Section
3507(d), Pub. L. 104-13 applies:*
Applicable.

10. *Abstract:* 10 CFR part 63 requires
the State of Nevada, local governments,
or Indian Tribes to submit certain
information to the NRC if they request
consultation with the NRC staff
concerning the review of the potential
repository site, or wish to participate in
a license application review for the
potential repository. Representatives of
the State of Nevada, local governments,
or Indian Tribes must submit a
statement of their authority to act in
such a representative capacity. The
information submitted by the State,
local governments, and Indian Tribes is
used by the Director of the Office of
Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards
as a basis for decisions about the
commitment of NRC staff resources to
the consultation and participation
efforts.

A copy of the supporting statement
may be viewed free of charge at the NRC
Public Document Room, One White
Flint North, 11555 Rockville Pike, Room
O-1 F23, Rockville, MD 20852. OMB
clearance packages are available at the
NRC worldwide web site: [http://
www.nrc.gov/NRC/PUBLIC/OMB/
index.html](http://www.nrc.gov/NRC/PUBLIC/OMB/index.html). The document will be
available on the NRC home page site for
60 days after the signature date of this
notice.

Comments and questions should be
directed to the OMB reviewer by
October 25, 2001:

Byron Allen, Office of Information
and Regulatory Affairs (3150-),
NEOB-10202, Office of Management
and Budget, Washington, DC 20503.

Comments can also be submitted by
telephone at (202) 395-3087.

The NRC Clearance Officer is Brenda
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Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 20th day
of September, 2001.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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Information Officer.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. 50-369 and 50-370]

Duke Energy Corporation McGuire Nuclear Station, Unit Nos. 1 and 2; Notice of Consideration of Approval of Transfer of Operating Authority Under Facility Operating Licenses and Conforming Amendments and Opportunity for a Hearing

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory
Commission (the Commission) is
considering the issuance of an order
under 10 CFR 50.80 approving the
transfer of operating authority under
Facility Operating Licenses Nos. NPF-9
and NPF-17 for McGuire Nuclear
Station, Unit Nos. 1 and 2, (McGuire)
currently held by Duke Energy
Corporation (DEC), which is the owner
of McGuire. DEC would continue to
own McGuire. The transfer of authority
to operate McGuire would be to a new
limited liability company, Duke Energy
Nuclear, LLC (DEN LLC). DEN LLC will
be a subsidiary of DEC, as a result of a
corporate restructuring of DEC. The
Commission is further considering
amending the licenses for
administrative purposes to reflect the
proposed transfer. If authorized to
operate the facility, DEN LLC will also
become a general licensee for the
Independent Spent Fuel Storage
Installation at McGuire, pursuant to 10
CFR 72.210. The facility is located in
Mecklenburg County, North Carolina.

According to an application for
approval filed by DEC, DEC's ownership
of McGuire would be unchanged and
DEC would continue to be responsible
for the costs associated with operating
and maintaining McGuire and for
decommissioning funding assurance.
DEN LLC would become a licensee,
authorized to operate the units. No
physical changes to the facility or
operational changes are being proposed
in the application.

The proposed amendments would
replace references to DEC in the licenses
as the operator of McGuire with
references to DEN LLC.

Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.80, no license
shall be transferred, directly or
indirectly, through transfer of control of
the license, unless the Commission
gives its consent in writing. The
Commission will approve an
application for the transfer of a license
if the Commission determines that the
proposed transferee is qualified to hold
the license, and that the transfer is
otherwise consistent with applicable
provisions of law, regulations, and
orders issued by the Commission
pursuant thereto.