

Number of Respondents: 55.
Estimated Time Per Respondent: 90 hours.

Total Burden Hours: 4,950.
Total Annualized capital/startup costs: 0.

Total Annual Costs: 0.

Description: This State plan is needed to assist in determining each State's compliance with the enabling statute, and to provide information for the IMLS Director's Report to Congress on the status of library services nationwide.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Mamie Bittner, Institute of Museum and Library Services, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, DC 20506, telephone (202) 606-8539.

Mamie Bittner,

Director of Legislative and Public Affairs.

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Institute of Museum and Library Services; Submission for OMB Review, Comment Request

January 24, 1997.

SUMMARY: The Institute of Museum and Library Services has submitted the following public information collection request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (P.L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). A copy of this ICR with applicable supporting documentation may be obtained by calling the Institute of Museum and Library Services, Director of Public and Legislative Affairs, Mamie Bittner (202) 606-8536. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TTY/TDD) may call (202) 606-8636 between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

COMMENTS: Comments must be on or before March 6, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be sent to Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn.: OMB Desk Officer for the Institute of Museum and Library Services, NEOB, Washington, DC 20503, (202) 395-7316.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The OMB is particularly interested in comments which:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the

proposed collection of information including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

- Enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g. permitting electronic submissions of responses.

Agency: Institute of Museum and Library Services.

Title: Final Financial Status Report.

OMB Number: 3137-0025.

Agency Number: 3137.

Frequency: Once.

Affected Public: Parties affected by this information collection are museums that have received grants from the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

Number of Respondents: 624.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 1 hour.

Total Burden Hours: 624.

Total Annualized capital/startup costs: 0.

Total Annual Costs: 0.

Description: This form is an abbreviated version of the OMB SF 269 (Financial Status Report). It is needed for use of museums unfamiliar with federal government requirements. Only the information required by IMLS is requested on this form.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Dr. Rebecca Danvers, Institute of Museum and Library Services, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20506, telephone (202) 606-8539.

Dated: January 24, 1997.

Diane Frankel,

Director.

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National Endowment for the Arts

Federal Advisory Committee on International Exhibitions Advisory Meeting

Pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), as amended, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Federal Advisory Committee on International Exhibitions will be held on February 11, 1997 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. This meeting will be held in Room 716, at the Nancy Hanks Center, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC, 20506.

Portions of this meeting will be open to the public from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. for welcome and introductions and from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. for a policy discussion.

The remaining portion of this meeting from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. is for the purpose of Panel review, discussion, evaluation, and recommendation on applications for financial assistance under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including information given in confidence to the agency by grant applicants. In accordance with the determination of the Chairman of June 22, 1995, this session will be closed to the public pursuant to subsection (c)(4), (6) and (9)(B) of section 552b of Title 5, United States Code.

Any person may observe meetings, or portions thereof, of advisory panels which are open to the public, and may be permitted to participate in the panel's discussions at the discretion of the panel chairman and with the approval of the full-time Federal employee in attendance.

If you need special accommodations due to a disability, please contact the Office of AccessAbility, National Endowment for the Arts, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506, 202/682-5532, TDY-TDD 202/682-5496, at least seven (7) days prior to the meeting.

Further information with reference to this meeting can be obtained from Ms. Kathy Plowitz-Worden, Committee Management Officer, National Endowment for the Arts, Washington, DC, 20506, or call 202/682-5691.

Dated: January 28, 1997.

Kathy Plowitz-Worden,

Panel Coordinator, Panel Operations, National Endowment for the Arts.

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Institute of Museum and Library Services; Name Change

AGENCY: Institute of Museum and Library Services.

ACTION: Notice of name change for Institute of Museum Services.

SUMMARY: The Museum and Library Services Act of 1996, Public Law 104-208 (H.R. 3610) enacted on September 30, 1996 established within the National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities, an Institute of Museum and Library Services. The Act reauthorizes Federal library programs through the Library Services and Technology Act and Federal museum programs through the

Museum Services Act. It moves the administration of library programs from the Department of Education to the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

DATES: The action is effective September 30, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mamie Bittner, mbittner@ims.fed.us, Director of Legislative and Public Affairs, 1100 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20506.

Dated: January 24, 1997.

Diane B. Frankel,
Director.

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NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD

Sunshine Act Meeting

TIME: 9:30 a.m., Tuesday, February 11, 1997.

PLACE: The Board Room, 5th Floor, 490 L'Enfant Plaza, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20594.

STATUS: Open.

MATTERS TO BE DISCUSSED:

6804 Aviation Accident Report: Continental Airlines Flight 1943, Douglas DC-9-32, Wheels-Up Landing at Houston, Texas, February 19, 1996.

NEWS MEDIA CONTACT: Telephone: (202) 314-6100.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: Bea Hardesty, (202) 314-6065.

Dated: January 31, 1997.

Bea Hardesty,

Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. 50-286]

Power Authority of the State of New York (Indian Point Nuclear Generating Unit No. 3); Amendment to Exemption

I

The Power Authority of the State of New York (the licensee) is the holder of Facility Operating License No. DPR-64, which authorizes operation of the Indian Point Nuclear Generating Unit No. 3 (IP3). The license provides that the licensee is subject to all rules, regulations, and orders of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) now or hereafter in effect.

The facility consists of a pressurized-water reactor at the licensee's site located in Westchester County, New York.

II

By letter dated October 1, 1996, as supplemented December 5, 1996, the licensee requested an amendment to the Technical Specifications (TSs) and an amendment to an existing exemption issued on February 19, 1993. The TS and existing exemption allow the licensee to conduct Type C containment isolation valve leak tests (Type C tests or LLRTs) at intervals up to 30 months as opposed to the 2-year interval specified by 10 CFR Part 50, Appendix J, Paragraph III.D.3. The requested amendments to the TS and to this exemption would allow a one-time extension of 4½ months to the Type C test interval.

The TS and the existing exemption allow the licensee to operate with a 24-month fuel cycle. Due to a lengthy outage period, the current fuel cycle has been extended by several months. The amendments to the TS and to the exemption would allow the licensee to complete the current fuel cycle without another outage. The next refueling outage is scheduled to begin in April 1997.

III

Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.12, the Commission may, upon application by any interested person or upon its own initiative, grant exemptions from the requirements of 10 CFR Part 50 when (1) the exemptions are authorized by law, will not present any undue risk to public health and safety, and are consistent with the common defense and security and (2) when special circumstances are present. Special circumstances are present whenever, according to 10 CFR 50.12(a)(2)(ii), "Application of the regulation in the particular circumstance would not serve the underlying purpose of the rule or is not necessary to achieve the underlying purpose of the rule. * * *"

The underlying purpose of the requirement to perform Type C tests at intervals not to exceed 2 years is to ensure that any potential leakage pathways through the containment boundary are identified within a time span that is short enough to detect significant degradation and long enough to allow the tests to be conducted during scheduled refueling outages. This interval was originally published in Appendix J when refueling cycles were conducted at approximately annual intervals and has not been changed to reflect 2-year operating

cycles; therefore, the staff issued Generic Letter 91-04, "Changes in Technical Specification Surveillance Intervals to Accommodate a 24-Month Fuel Cycle." This generic letter provides guidance to licensees on how to prepare requests for TS amendments and exemptions that are needed to accommodate a 24-month cycle. Enclosure 3 to Generic Letter 91-04 noted that two issues should be addressed when justifying the extended Type C test interval: (1) a possible reduction in the combined leakage limit for Type B and Type C leakage tests, and (2) the basis for concluding that the containment leakage rate would be maintained within the acceptable limits with an extended test interval. The licensee's letters of July 17, 1992, and December 23, 1992, in which it applied for the existing exemption, addressed both of these issues. The licensee's letter of December 5, 1996, addressed both issues in light of the 4½ month extension.

The first issue is a reduction in the combined containment penetration and isolation valve leakage rate limit for Type B and Type C tests that increases the margin to the maximum allowable leakage rate. The maximum allowable leakage rate, which is referred to as L_a , is specified in the facility's TS. The acceptance criterion for Type B and C tests is that the combined leakage rate shall be less than $0.60 L_a$. This constitutes a margin of $0.40 L_a$ (40 percent of L_a). Enclosure 3 to Generic Letter 91-04 states that in order to justify an exemption to the Appendix J requirements and extend Type C test intervals up to 30 months, licensees should either (1) use leakage test data to demonstrate that the margin of $0.40 L_a$ will not be reduced as a result of the test interval increase or (2) propose an acceptance criterion limit of less than $0.60 L_a$ as a TS change. The licensee has proposed an acceptance criterion limit of $0.50 L_a$ for IP3. This constitutes a 25 percent increase in margin (40 percent to 50 percent). The staff has reviewed the proposed reduction in the combined leakage rate limit to $0.50 L_a$ and finds it is consistent with the recommendations of Enclosure 3 to Generic Letter 91-04 and is, therefore, acceptable. A one-time extension of the test interval by 4½ months does not change the staff's determination in this matter.

The second issue is the basis for concluding that containment leakage will be maintained within acceptable limits with an extended test interval. At the time of issuance of the existing amendment, ten LLRTs had been performed during the lifetime of IP3.