

students with disabilities majoring in other fields, and students without disabilities majoring in SEMT. Interviews with SEMT faculty at each institution will also be conducted. This approach will allow for exploration of the ways in which students with disabilities majoring in SEMT are similar to and different from other groups of students, as well as the views of faculty toward students with disabilities. The project is planned as a one-time data collection that will occur in the spring of 1996.

Response time: There are 1675 respondents with an average of 25 minutes per response.

Dated: March 11, 1996.

Herman G. Fleming,

NSF Clearance Officer.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Number 40-1162]

Federal Register Notice of Amendment To Change Reclamation Milestone Dates in Source Material License SUA-56 Held by Western Nuclear, Inc., for the Split Rock, Wyoming Site

AGENCY: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Amendment of Source Material License SUA-56 to change reclamation milestone dates.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission has amended Western Nuclear, Inc.'s (WNI's) Source Material License SUA-56 to change the reclamation milestone dates. This amendment was requested by WNI by letter dated October 18, 1995, and its receipt by NRC was noticed in the Federal Register on January 22, 1996.

The license amendment modifies License Condition 75 to change the completion dates for several site-reclamation milestones. The new dates approved by the NRC extend completion of (1) placement of final radon barrier on portions of the disposal cells by up to three years, (2) placement of erosion protection by up to three years, and (3) projected completion of groundwater corrective actions by two years. WNI attributes the delays to the following factors: (1) Continued settlement in the tailings area containing extensive slime profiles, thus lengthening the time for pre-cover consolidation; (2) inclement weather creating a limited construction period

having warmer weather conditions conducive to placement of the radon barrier within density and moisture specifications; (3) materials handling issues, i.e., difficulty in obtaining specified soil moisture and density for clay placement during summer 1995 construction, resulting in construction delays; and (4) continued operations of the groundwater corrective action program.

An environmental assessment is not required since this action is categorically excluded under 10 CFR 51.22(c)(11), and an environmental report from the licensee is not required by 10 CFR 51.60(b)(2).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: WNI's license, including an amended License Condition 75, and the NRC staff's technical evaluation of the amendment request are being made available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room at 2120 L Street, NW (Lower Level), Washington, DC 20555.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Mohammad W. Haque, Uranium Recovery Branch, Division of Waste Management, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555. Telephone (301) 415-6640.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 8th day of March 1996.

Joseph J. Holonich,

Chief, Uranium Recovery Branch, Division of Waste Management, Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards.

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Decommissioning of Sequoyah Fuels Corporation Uranium Conversion Facility in Gore, Oklahoma: Extension of Comment Period on Notice of Intent To Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement and To Conduct a Scoping Process

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

SUMMARY: This notice informs the public about an extension of the public comment period on the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's intent to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the decommissioning of the Sequoyah Fuels Corporation's (SFC) uranium conversion facility located in Gore, Oklahoma. NRC noticed its intent to prepare the EIS in the Federal Register on October 20, 1995 (60 FR 54260) and conducted a public meeting on the proposed scope of the EIS on November 15, 1995, in Gore. The comment period was originally supposed to close on March 29, 1996.

At the time of the original notice, NRC indicated that the public comment period was lengthened to allow public consideration of important site characterization information, which was expected to be submitted to NRC in December 1995 and January 1996. SFC was supposed to have submitted its Site Characterization Report for NRC review in January 1996. However, SFC delayed submission of the report until February 2, 1996. Reproduction of the report and distribution to interested parties has been further delayed.

Consequently, NRC is extending the public comment period on the notice to prepare the EIS until May 17, 1996, to allow time for distribution and public review of the site characterization information. In addition, NRC will conduct a public information roundtable meeting in Webbers Falls, Oklahoma on the evening of March 26, 1996.

DATES: Written comments received by May 17, 1996, on NRC's notice of intent to prepare an EIS on the decommissioning of the SFC's uranium conversion facility in Gore, Oklahoma, as described in the Federal Register on October 20, 1995 (60 FR 54260), will be considered in developing the scope of the EIS. Comments received after this date will be considered if practical to do so, but NRC is able to assure consideration only for comments received on or before this date.

A public information roundtable meeting will be held at the Town Hall in Webbers Falls, Oklahoma on March 26, 1996, from 7 to 10 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Written comments on the matters covered by this notice should be sent to the Rules Review and Directives Branch, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555. Hand deliver.

Comments to 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland 20852, between 7:45 a.m. and 4:15 p.m., on Federal workdays.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: James C. Shepherd, Project Manager, Low-Level Waste and Decommissioning Projects Branch, Division of Waste Management, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Mail Stop T7F27, Washington, DC 20555, Telephone: (301) 415-6712.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland this 9th day of March, 1996.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.
Michael F. Weber,
*Chief, Low-Level Waste and Decommissioning
Projects Branch, Division of Waste
Management, Office of Nuclear Material
Safety and Safeguards.*
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OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE

[Docket No. 301-102]

Initiation of Section 302 Investigation and Request for Public Comment: Canadian Practices Affecting Periodicals

AGENCY: Office of the United States
Trade Representative.

ACTION: Notice of initiation of
investigation; request for written
comments.

SUMMARY: The United States Trade
Representative (USTR) has initiated an
investigation under section 302(b)(1) of
the Trade Act of 1974, as amended (the
Trade Act) (19 U.S.C. 2412(b)(1)), with
respect to certain acts, policies and
practices of the Government of Canada
that restrict or prohibit imports of
certain periodicals into Canada and
apply discriminatory treatment to
certain imported periodicals. USTR
invites written comments from the
public on the matters being investigated.
DATES: This investigation was initiated
on March 11, 1996. Written comments
from the public are due on or before
noon on April 12, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Office of the United States
Trade Representative, 600 17th Street
NW., Washington, DC 20508.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
Claude Burcky, Director for Canadian
Affairs, (202) 395-3412, or James
Southwick, Assistant General Counsel,
(202) 395-7203.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section
302(b)(1) of the Trade Act authorizes
the USTR to initiate an investigation
under chapter 1 of Title III of the Trade
Act (commonly referred to as "section
301"), with respect to any matter in
order to determine whether the matter is
actionable under section 301. Matters
actionable under section 301 include,
inter alia, the denial of rights of the
United States under a trade agreement,
or acts, policies, and practices of a
foreign country that violate or are
inconsistent with the provisions of, or
otherwise deny benefits to the United
States under, any trade agreement.

On March 11, 1996, having consulted
with the appropriate private sector

advisory committees, the USTR
determined that an investigation should
be initiated to determine whether
certain laws and regulations of Canada
affecting periodicals are actionable
under section 301(a). The measures in
question prohibit or restrict the
importation into Canada of so-called
"split-run" periodicals, provide for
discriminatory tax treatment of split-run
periodicals and apply favorable postage
rates to Canadian periodicals.

Investigation and Consultations

As required in section 303(a) of the
Trade Act, the USTR has requested
consultations with the Government of
Canada regarding the issues under
investigation. The request is pursuant to
Article XXIII of the General Agreement
on Tariffs and Trade 1994 (GATT 1994)
and Article 4 of the Understanding on
Rules and Procedures Governing the
Settlement of Disputes (DSU) (which
applies to dispute settlement under
GATT 1994 and other agreements under
the World Trade Organization (WTO)).
If the consultations do not result in a
satisfactory resolution of the matter, the
USTR will request the establishment of
a panel pursuant to Article 6 of the
DSU.

Under section 304 of the Trade Act,
the USTR must determine within 18
months after the date on which this
investigation was initiated, or within 30
days after the conclusion of WTO
dispute settlement procedures,
whichever is earlier, whether any act,
policy, or practice or denial of trade
agreement rights described in section
301 of the Trade Act exists and, if that
determination is affirmative, the USTR
must determine what action, if any, to
take under section 301 of the Trade Act.

Public Comment: Requirements for Submissions

Interested persons are invited to
submit written comments concerning
the acts, policies and practices of
Canada which are the subject of this
investigation, the amount of burden or
restriction on U.S. commerce caused by
these acts, policies and practices, and
the determinations required under
section 304 of the Trade Act. Comments
must be filed in accordance with the
requirements set forth in 15 CFR
2006.8(b) (55 FR 20593) and must be
filed on or before noon on April 12,
1996. Comments must be in English and
provided in twenty copies to: Sybia
Harrison, Staff Assistant to the Section
301 Committee, Room 223, Office of the
U.S. Trade Representative, 600 17th
Street NW., Washington, DC 20508.

Comments will be placed in a file
(Docket 301-102) open to public

inspection pursuant to 15 CFR 2006.13,
except confidential business
information exempt from public
inspection in accordance with 15 CFR
2006.15. Confidential business
information submitted in accordance
with 15 CFR 2006.15 must be clearly
marked "BUSINESS CONFIDENTIAL"
in contrasting color ink at the top of
each page on each of 20 copies, and
must be accompanied by a
nonconfidential summary of the
confidential information. The
nonconfidential summary shall be
placed in the file that is open to public
inspection. An appointment to review
the docket (Docket No. 301-102) may be
made by calling Brenda Webb (202)
395-6186. The USTR Reading Room is
open to the public from 10:00 a.m. to 12
noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.,
Monday through Friday, and is located
in Room 101.

Irving A. Williamson,
Chairman, Section 301 Committee.
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OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee Open Committee Meeting

According to the provisions of section
10 of the Federal Advisory Committee
Act (Pub. L. 92-463), notice is hereby
given that meetings of the Federal
Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee
will be held on—

Thursday, April 11, 1996
Thursday, May 2, 1996
Thursday, May 16, 1996

The meetings will start at 10:45 a.m.
and will be held in Room 5A06A, Office
of Personnel Management Building,
1900 E Street, NW., Washington, DC.

The Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory
Committee is composed of a Chairman,
five representatives from labor unions
holding exclusive bargaining rights for
Federal blue-collar employees, and five
representatives from Federal agencies.
Entitlement to membership on the
Committee is provided for in 5 U.S.C.
5347.

The Committee's primary
responsibility is to review the Prevailing
Rate System and other matters pertinent
to establishing prevailing rates under
subchapter IV, chapter 53, 5 U.S.C., as
amended, and from time to time advise
the Office of Personnel Management.

These scheduled meetings will start
in open session with both labor and
management representatives attending.
During the meeting either the labor