

BURDEN—Continued

Cite/reference	Total respondents	Total responses	Average time per response	Burden hours	Cost
1998	1,261,450	862,830	0.84 min	6,160	410,000
1999	1,261,450	1,008,810	0.52 min	1,830	210,000

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval of the ICRs; they will also become a matter of public record.

Dated: October 28, 1997.

Gerald B. Lindrew,

Deputy Director, Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration, Office of Policy and Research.

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NATIONAL INDIAN GAMING COMMISSION

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: National Indian Gaming Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, this notice announces that the following information collection activities have been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and comment: (1) Compliance and Enforcement under the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act (IGRA); (2) Privacy Act Regulations; (3) Approval of Class II and Class III Gaming Ordinances; (4) National Environmental Policy Act Procedures; and (5) Annual Fees Payable by Class II Gaming Operations. The National Indian Gaming Commission (NIGC) is requesting approval for revision and three-year extension for each information collection activity.

DATES: Comments on this notice must be received by December 1, 1997.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR COMMENTS: Comments should be addressed to Desk Officer for National Indian Gaming Commission, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20503.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Compliance and Enforcement Under the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act.

OMB Number: 3141-0001.

Abstract: The Indian Gaming Regulatory Act (25 U.S.C. 2701 et. seq.) governs the regulation of gaming on Indian lands. Although the IGRA places primary responsibility on tribes to regulate gaming, section 2706(b) of the IGRA directs the NIGC to monitor gaming conducted on Indian lands on a continuing basis. The IGRA authorizes the NIGC to demand access to and inspect all papers, books and records relating to gaming conducted on Indian lands. In accordance with this statutory responsibility, 25 CFR 571.7 requires Indian gaming operations to keep permanent financial records.

Respondents: Indian gaming owners or operators.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 220.

Estimated Annual Responses: 665.

Estimated Annual Burden Hours: 1090.

Estimated Burden Hours Per Response: 2.5.

Title: Privacy Act Procedures.

OMB Number: 3141-0002.

Abstract: To implement the IGRA, it is necessary for the NIGC to collect, maintain and use personal information gathered on certain individuals. Under 25 CFR 556.4 and 556.6, tribes must submit to the NIGC information regarding key employees and management officials employed at a tribal gaming operation. The NIGC compiles and stores this information in a system of records. Pursuant to the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a) agencies must promulgate regulations regarding the collection, maintenance, use and dissemination of records within a system. Under 25 CFR 515.3 individuals can request information on whether they are subject to any record. Individuals may also request access to those records. The regulations promulgated by the NIGC sets forth certain exemptions that would otherwise authorize the NIGC to withhold certain information made available under the Privacy Act.

Respondents: Individuals requesting access to records.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 45.

Estimated Annual Responses: 50.

Estimated Annual Burden Hours: 105.

Estimated Burden Hours Per Response: 2.

Title: Approval of class II and class III ordinances.

OMB Number: 3141-0003.

Abstract: The IGRA establishes the National Indian Gaming Commission as an independent regulatory agency to oversee Indian gaming. The IGRA sets standards for the regulations of gaming, including requirements for approval or disapproval of tribal gaming ordinances. IGRA Section 2705(a)(3) requires the Chairman to review all class II and class III tribal gaming ordinances and resolutions. In accordance with this provision, 25 CFR 552.2 of the NIGC's regulations require tribes to submit to the NIGC (1) a copy of all gaming ordinances and resolutions adopted after the effective date of the regulation; (2) background investigations for key employees or primary management officials; (4) copies of all gaming regulations; (5) copies of tribal-state compacts; (6) a description of dispute resolution procedures for disputes arising between the gaming public and the tribe or management contractor; (7) an independent audit; and (8) a request for approval of the ordinance or resolution. Under 25 CFR 522.3 tribes must submit amendments to the ordinance or resolution.

Respondents: Tribal gaming owners and operators.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 220.

Estimated Annual Responses: 977.

Estimated Annual Burden Hours: 70,922.

Estimated Burden Hours Per Response: 72.5.

Title: National Environmental Policy Act Procedures.

OMB Number: 3141-0006.

Abstract: The National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (42 U.S.C. 4321 et seq) was enacted to encourage a national policy of protecting, enhancing, and restoring the quality of the human environment. The Council on Environmental Policy (CEQ), established pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) promulgated implementing regulations at 40 CFR 1501 et seq. NEPA and CEQ's regulations require every federal agency to establish procedures and strategies that consider the environmental consequences of federal agency actions. Under NEPA, federal agencies are

required to prepare or cause to be prepared environmental documents relating to actions by the agency that have significant impacts on the environment. The Commission believes that the NEPA process will be triggered when a tribe and management contractor seek approval of a management contract under 25 CFR 533.

Respondents: Applicants seeking approval of a management contract and/or third party contractor.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 11.

Estimated Annual Responses: 11.

Estimated Annual Burden Hours: 5000.

Estimated Burden Hours Per Response: 455.

Title: Annual Fees Payable by Class II Gaming Operations.

OMB Number: 3141-0007.

Abstract: The IGRA authorizes the NIGC to establish a schedule of fees to be paid to the Commission by each class II gaming operation regulated by the IGRA. Fees are computed using rates set by the NIGC and the assessable gross revenues of each gaming operation. The total of all fees assessed annually cannot exceed \$1,500,000. The required information is needed for the NIGC to

both set and adjust rates and to support the computation of fees paid by each gaming operation.

Respondents: Class II gaming operations.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 201.

Estimated Annual Responses: 404.

Estimated Burden Hours Per Response: 5.

FOR COPIES AND FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Copies of documents submitted to OMB may be obtained from the National Indian Gaming Commission, 1441 L Street NW, Suite 9100, Washington, DC 20005.

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Chairman, National Indian Gaming Commission.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Application for a License To Import Nuclear Waste

Pursuant to 10 CFR 110.70(b) "Public notice of receipt of an application", please take notice that the Nuclear

NRC IMPORT LICENSE APPLICATION

Name of applicant, date of application, date received, application no.	Description of material			Country of origin
	Material type	Total qty	End use	
Chem-Nuclear Systems, October 14, 1997, October 20, 1997, IW005.	Contaminated Condenser tubes and tube plates.	1.4 million	Decontamination and recycling	Taiwan.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Dated this 24th day of October 1997 at Rockville, Maryland.

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Director, Division of Nonproliferation, Exports and Multilateral Relations, Office of International Programs.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. STN 50-457]

Commonwealth Edison Company; Braidwood Station, Unit 2 Environmental Assessment and Finding Of No Significant Impact

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) is considering issuance of an exemption from certain requirements of its regulations for Facility Operating License No. NPF-77, issued to

Commonwealth Edison Company, (ComEd, the licensee), for operation of the Braidwood Station, Unit 2, located in Will County, Illinois.

Environmental Assessment

Identification of the Proposed Action

The proposed action would permit the licensee to use the alternate methodology in American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code (Code) Case N-514, "Low Temperature Overpressure Protection," to determine the low temperature overpressure protection (LTOP) system setpoints. By application dated November 30, 1994, as supplemented by letter dated May 11, 1995, the licensee requested an exemption from certain requirements of 10 CFR 50.60, "Acceptance Criteria for Fracture Prevention Measures for Lightwater Nuclear Power Reactors for Normal Operation." The exemption would allow application of an alternate

Regulatory Commission has received the following application for an import license. Copies of the application are on file in the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's Public Document Room located at 2120 L Street, N.W., Washington, D.C..

A request for a hearing or petition for leave to intervene may be filed within 30 days after publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**. Any request for hearing or petition for leave to intervene shall be served by the requestor or petitioner upon the applicant, the Office of the General Counsel, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington D.C. 20555; the Secretary, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C. 20555; and the Executive Secretary, U.S. Department of State, Washington, D.C. 20520.

The information concerning the application follows.

methodology to determine the LTOP system setpoints for Braidwood, Unit 2. The proposed alternate methodology is consistent with guidelines developed by the ASME Working Group on Operating Plant Criteria to define pressure limits during LTOP events that avoid certain unnecessary operational restrictions, provide adequate margins against failure of the reactor pressure vessel, and reduce the potential for unnecessary activation of pressure relieving devices used for LTOP. These guidelines have been incorporated into the 1993 Addenda to the ASME Code, Section XI, Appendix G. However, 10 CFR 50.55a, "Codes and Standards," has not been updated to reflect the acceptability of the 1993 Addenda to the ASME Code.

The Need for the Proposed Action

Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.60, all lightwater nuclear power reactors must meet the fracture toughness requirements for the reactor coolant pressure boundary as set forth in 10 CFR