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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Office of the Secretary

7 CFR Part 2

Delegations of Authority by the Secretary of Agriculture and General Officers of the Department

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary, USDA.
ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This document amends the delegations of authority from the Secretary of Agriculture (the Secretary) and the General Officers of the Department to the Under Secretary for International Affairs and Commodity Programs and from the Under Secretary for International Affairs and Commodity Programs to the Administrator of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) concerning the commodity, conservation, disaster assistance, and other programs of ASCS under the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended, the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended, the Food Security Act of 1985, as amended and other authorities in order to update and revise the regulations to reflect current legislation and remove obsolete references.

EFFECTIVE DATE: March 25, 1994.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Larry A. Walker, Acting Deputy Administrator, Policy Analysis, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, United States Department of Agriculture, 14th and Independent Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20250-0500; telephone (202) 720-3451.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Sections 101B, 103B, 105B, 107B, and 208 of the Agricultural Act of 1949, as added by sections 601, 501, 401, 301, and 1126, respectively, of the Food, Agriculture, Conservation, and Trade Act of 1990 (FACT Act), provide for disaster

assistance payments to producers of rice, cotton, feed grains, wheat, peanuts, soybeans, sugar beets, and sugarcane for losses due to drought, flood, or other natural disaster, as determined by the Secretary.

Title VI of the Agricultural Act of 1949 (the Emergency Livestock Feed Assistance Act of 1988), as added by section 101(a) of the Disaster Assistance Act of 1988, provides for emergency livestock feed assistance to livestock producers where, because of disease, insect infestation, flood, drought, fire, hurricane, earthquake, storm, hot weather, or other natural disaster, the Secretary determines that a livestock emergency exists.

Section 205 of the Agricultural Act of 1949, as added by section 701(2) of the FACT Act, requires the Secretary to support the prices of oilseeds through loans and payments.

Sections 359aa-jj of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as added by section 902 of the FACT Act, require the Secretary to operate a sugar production adjustment program, including, under certain conditions, the implementation of marketing allotments for sugar and crystalline fructose.

The Beef Research and Information Act, as amended, and Title XIX of the FACT Act, as amended (the Agricultural Promotion and Research Act of 1990), require the Secretary to conduct producer referenda regarding the operations of agricultural promotion plans using ASCS county offices.

Sections 1230-56 of the Food Security Act of 1985, as added or amended by sections 1431-46 of the FACT Act, require the Secretary to implement a Conservation Reserve Program, Wetlands Reserve Program, Agricultural Water Quality Incentives Program, Environmental Easement Program, and other conservation programs.

Section 1451 of the FACT Act, as amended, requires the Secretary to establish a voluntary Integrated Farm Management Program designed to assist producers of agricultural commodities in adopting integrated, multiyear, site-specific farm management plans by reducing farm program barriers to resource stewardship practices and systems.

Section 326 of the Food and Agriculture Act of 1962, as amended, provides for Secretarial discretion in the acceptance of a "good faith"

performance, made in reliance on an action or advice of an authorized representative of the Secretary, as the basis for meeting the requirements of ASCS-administered programs.

Sections 1151-56 of the FACT Act, as amended, require the Secretary to conduct an Options Pilot Program to determine whether regulated agricultural commodity options trading can be used by producers to obtain protection from fluctuations in the market prices of the commodities they produce and the impact of such trading on the prices of the commodities.

Section 1764 of the Food Security Act of 1985 requires the Secretary to formulate and administer regulations regarding program ineligibility resulting from convictions for certain controlled substance violations.

The delegations of authority of the Department of Agriculture are amended to delegate to the Under Secretary for International Affairs and Commodity Programs the Secretary's authorities described above and to further delegate these authorities to the Administrator, ASCS, and to make related conforming amendments and deletions of obsolete references.

This rule relates to internal agency management. Therefore, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 553, notice of proposed rulemaking and opportunity for public comment are not required, and this rule may be made effective less than 30 days after publication in the *Federal Register*. Further, since this rule relates to internal agency management, it is exempt from the provisions of Executive Orders 12778 and 12866.

This action is not a rule as defined by Public Law 96-354, the Regulatory Flexibility Act, and thus is exempt from the provisions of that Act.

List of Subjects in 7 CFR Part 2

Authority delegations (Government agencies).

Accordingly, part 2, title 7, Code of Federal Regulations is amended as follows:

PART 2—DELEGATIONS OF AUTHORITY BY THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE AND GENERAL OFFICERS OF THE DEPARTMENT

1. The authority citation for 7 CFR part 2 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 5 U.S.C. 301 and Reorganization Plan No. 2 of 1953.

Subpart C—Delegations of Authority to the Deputy Secretary, the Under Secretary for International Affairs and Commodity Programs, the Under Secretary for Small Community and Rural Development, and Assistant Secretaries

2. Section 2.21 is amended by revising paragraphs (b)(1), (b)(6), (b)(8), (b)(10), (b)(11), (b)(13), (b)(14), (b)(15), (b)(19), (b)(20), (b)(21), (b)(24), (b)(31), (b)(36), and (b)(39), and by adding new paragraphs (b)(40), (b)(41), (b)(42), and (b)(43) to read as follows:

§ 2.21 Under Secretary for International Affairs and Commodity Programs.

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(b) * * *

(1) Administer the tobacco acreage allotment and farm marketing quota programs under the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1311, et seq.).

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(6) Administer the forestry incentives program under section 4 of the Cooperative Forestry Assistance Act of 1978 (16 U.S.C. 2103).

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(8) Administer the emergency conservation program under the Agricultural Credit Act of 1978, as amended (16 U.S.C. 2201, et seq.).

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(10) Administer the feed grain program under the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1444f, et seq.).

(11) Administer the wheat program under the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1445b-3a, et seq.).

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(13) Administer the upland and extra long staple cotton programs under the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1444, 1444-2, et seq.).

(14) Administer the rice program under the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1441-2, et seq.).

(15) Administer the milk price support program, the milk price reduction program, the milk production termination program, and the milk diversion program under the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1446e, et seq.), and enforce the milk manufacturing allowance requirements of section 102 of the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1446e-1, et seq.).

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(19) Administer emergency crop loss assistance programs in accordance with the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1421 note, 1427, et seq., 1441-2, 1444-2, 1444f, 1445b-3a,

and 1446i), the Commodity Credit Corporation Charter Act, as amended (15 U.S.C. 714b and 714c), the Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act of 1974, as amended (42 U.S.C. 5121, et seq.), and appropriations Acts that provide for the implementation of such programs by the Commodity Credit Corporation.

(20) Administer the emergency livestock assistance programs under the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1427, et seq., 1471 et seq.), the Commodity Credit Corporation Charter Act, as amended (15 U.S.C. 714b and 714c), and the Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act of 1974, as amended (42 U.S.C. 5121, et seq.).

(21) Administer the oilseeds price support program under the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1446f, et seq.).

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(24) Administer the sugar production adjustment program under the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1359aa-jj), and the sugar price support program under the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1446g, et seq.).

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(31) Conduct producer referenda of commodity promotion programs under the Beef Research and Information Act, as amended (7 U.S.C. 2901, et seq.), and the Agricultural Promotion Programs Act of 1990, as amended (7 U.S.C. 6001, et seq.).

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(36) Conduct the honey price support program under the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1446h, et seq.).

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(39) Formulate and carry out an agricultural resources conservation program, including a Conservation Reserve Program, Wetlands Reserve Program, Agricultural Water Quality Incentives Program, Environmental Easement Program, and other conservation programs under the Food Security Act of 1985, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1231 et seq.).

(40) Administer the Integrated Farm Management Program under the Food, Agriculture, Conservation, and Trade Act of 1990, as amended (7 U.S.C. 5822).

(41) Administer the provisions of section 326 of the Food and Agricultural Act of 1962, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1339c), as they relate to any Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service-administered program.

(42) Conduct an Options Pilot Program pursuant to sections 1151-1156 of the Food, Agriculture, Conservation,

and Trade Act of 1990, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1421 note).

(43) Formulate and administer regulations regarding program ineligibility resulting from convictions under Federal or State law of planting, cultivating, growing, producing, harvesting, or storing a controlled substance, as required under section 1764 of the Food Security Act of 1985 (21 U.S.C. 881a).

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Subpart H—Delegations of Authority by the Under Secretary for International Affairs and Commodity Programs

3. Section 2.65 is amended by revising paragraphs (a)(1), (a)(6), (a)(9), (a)(11), (a)(12), (a)(14), (a)(15), (a)(16), (a)(20), (a)(21), (a)(22), (a)(25), (a)(32), (a)(37), and (a)(40), redesignating the second paragraph (a)(42) as paragraph (a)(43), and by adding new paragraphs (a)(44), (a)(45), (a)(46), and (a)(47) to read as follows:

§ 2.65 Administrator, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

(a) * * *

(1) Administer the tobacco acreage allotment and farm marketing quota programs under the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1311, et seq.).

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(6) Administer the forestry incentives program under section 4 of the Cooperative Forestry Assistance Act of 1978 (16 U.S.C. 2103).

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(9) Administer the emergency conservation program under the Agricultural Credit Act of 1978, as amended (16 U.S.C. 2201, et seq.).

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(11) Administer the feed grain program under the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1444f, et seq.).

(12) Administer the wheat program under the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1445b-3a, et seq.).

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(14) Administer the upland and extra long staple cotton programs under the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1444, 1444-2, et seq.).

(15) Administer the rice program under the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1441-2, et seq.).

(16) Administer the milk price support program, the milk price reduction program, the milk production termination program, and the milk diversion program under the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1446e, et seq.), and enforce the

milk manufacturing allowance requirements of section 102 of the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1446e-1, et seq.).

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(20) Administer emergency crop loss assistance programs in accordance with the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1421 note, 1427, et seq., 1441-2, 1444-2, 1444f, 1445b-3a and 1446i), the Commodity Credit Corporation Charter Act, as amended (15 U.S.C. 714b and c), and the Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act of 1974, as amended (42 U.S.C. 5121, et seq.).

(21) Administer the emergency livestock assistance programs under the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1427, et seq., 1471 et seq.), the Commodity Credit Corporation Charter Act, as amended (15 U.S.C. 714b and 714c), the Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act of 1974, as amended (42 U.S.C. 5121, et seq.), and appropriation Acts that provide for the implementation of such programs by the Commodity Credit Corporation.

(22) Administer the oilseeds price support program under the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1446f, et seq.).

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(25) Administer the sugar production adjustment program under the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1359aa-jj), and the sugar price support program under the Agricultural Act of 1949 (7 U.S.C. 1446g, et seq.), as amended.

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(32) Conduct producer referenda of commodity promotion programs under the Beef Research and Information Act, as amended (7 U.S.C. 2901, et seq.) and the Agricultural Promotion Programs Act of 1990, as amended (7 U.S.C. 6001, et seq.).

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(37) Conduct the honey price support program under the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1446h, et seq.).

* * * * *

(40) Formulate and carry out an agricultural resources conservation program, including a Conservation Reserve Program, Wetlands Reserve Program, Agricultural Water Quality Incentives Program, Environmental Easement Program, and other conservation programs under the Food Security Act of 1985, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1231, et seq.).

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(44) Administer the Integrated Farm Management Program under section

1451 of the Food, Agriculture, Conservation, and Trade Act of 1990, as amended (7 U.S.C. 5822).

(45) Administer the provisions of section 326 of the Food and Agricultural Act of 1962, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1339c), as they relate to any agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service-administered program.

(46) Conduct an Options Pilot Program pursuant to sections 1151-1156 of the Food, Agriculture, Conservation, and Trade Act of 1990, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1421 note).

(47) Formulate and administer regulations regarding program ineligibility resulting from convictions under Federal or State law of planting, cultivating, growing, producing, harvesting, or storing a controlled substance, as required under section 1764 of the Food Security Act of 1985 (21 U.S.C. 881a).

For subpart C:

Dated: March 7, 1994.

Mike Espy,

Secretary of Agriculture.

For subpart H:

Dated: March 7, 1994.

Eugene Moos,

Under Secretary for International Affairs and Commodity Programs.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

10 CFR Parts 20, 21, 30, 35, 40, 50, 70, 72, and 73

RIN 3150-AE84

NRC Operations Center Commercial Telephone Number Change

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is amending its regulations to reflect a change in the NRC Operations Center commercial telephone and facsimile number. These amendments are necessary to inform the public of these administrative changes to the NRC's regulations.

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 31, 1994, 12 noon EDT.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jean Trefethen, Office for Analysis and Evaluation of Operational Data, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington DC 20555, Telephone (301) 492-8985.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In June 1994, the NRC is scheduled to move its

Operations Center from the Maryland National Bank Building in Bethesda, Maryland, to the Two White Flint North Building in Rockville, Maryland. When this move occurs, it will be necessary to use new telephone and facsimile numbers to reach the NRC Operations Center. For a minimum of 90 days following the move, calls made to the old telephone number will automatically transfer to the new Operations Center. NRC licensees shall revise their procedures and any other affected documentation to show the proper telephone and facsimile numbers for the NRC Operations Center. This notice is being published to inform the public and NRC licensees of the commercial telephone and facsimile number changes.

Because this amendment deals with agency procedures, the notice and comment provisions of the Administrative Procedures Act (APA) do not apply pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 553(b)(A). The amendment is effective 12 noon EDT May 31, 1994.

Environmental Impact: Categorical Exclusion

The NRC has determined that this final rule is the type of action described in categorical exclusion 10 CFR 51.22(c)(2). Therefore, neither an environmental impact statement nor an environmental assessment has been prepared for this final rule.

Paperwork Reduction Act Statement

This final rule contains no information collection requirements and, therefore, is not subject to the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980 (44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.).

Regulatory Analysis

A regulatory impact analysis has not been prepared for this amendment because it is an administrative action that merely changes the telephone and facsimile numbers that are currently being used by licensees under the existing regulations.

Backfit Analysis

The NRC has determined that the backfit rule, 10 CFR 50.109, does not apply to this final rule because this rule does not involve any provisions which would impose a backfit as defined in § 50.109(a)(1). Therefore, a backfit analysis is not required for this rule.

List of Subjects

10 CFR Part 20

Byproduct material, Criminal penalties, Licensed material, Nuclear materials, Nuclear power plants and

reactors, Occupational safety and health, Packaging and containers, Radiation protection, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Source material, Special nuclear material, Waste treatment and disposal.

10 CFR Part 21

Nuclear power plants and reactors, Penalties, Radiation protection, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

10 CFR Part 30

Byproduct material, Criminal penalties, Government contracts, Intergovernmental relations, Isotopes, Nuclear materials, Radiation protection, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

10 CFR Part 35

Byproduct material, Criminal penalties, Drugs, Health facilities, Health professions, Medical devices, Nuclear materials, Occupational safety and health, Radiation protection, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

10 CFR Part 40

Criminal penalties, Government contracts, Hazardous materials transportation, Nuclear materials, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Source material, Uranium.

10 CFR Part 50

Antitrust, Classified information, Criminal penalties, Fire protection, Intergovernmental relations, Nuclear power plants and reactors, Radiation protection, Reactor siting criteria, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

10 CFR Part 70

Criminal penalties, Hazardous materials transportation, Material control and accounting, Nuclear materials, Packaging and containers, Radiation protection, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Scientific equipment, Security measures, Special nuclear material.

10 CFR Part 72

Manpower training programs, Nuclear materials, Occupational safety and health, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Security measures, Spent fuel.

10 CFR Part 73

Criminal penalties, Hazardous materials transportation, Export, Import, Nuclear materials, Nuclear power plants and reactors, Reporting and

recordkeeping requirements, Security measures.

For the reasons set out in the preamble and under the authority of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, the Energy Reorganization Act of 1974, as amended, and 5 U.S.C. 552 and 553, the NRC is adopting the following amendments to 10 CFR parts 20, 21, 30, 35, 40, 50, 70, 72, and 73.

PART 20—STANDARDS FOR PROTECTION AGAINST RADIATION

1. The authority citation for Part 20 continues to read as follows:

Authority: Secs. 53, 63, 65, 81, 103, 104, 161, 182, 186, 68 Stat. 930, 933, 935, 936, 937, 948, 953, 955, as amended (42 U.S.C. 2073, 2093, 2095, 2111, 2133, 2134, 2201, 2232, 2236), secs. 201, as amended, 202, 206, 88 Stat. 1242, as amended, 1244, 1246 (42 U.S.C. 5841, 5842, 5846).

2. Section 20.2202(d)(2) is revised to read as follows:

§ 20.2202 Notification of Incidents.

* * * * *

(d) * * *

(2) All other licensees shall make the reports required by paragraph (a) and (b) of this section by telephone to the NRC Operations Center (301) 816-5100 and by telegram, mailgram, or facsimile to the Administrator of the appropriate NRC Regional Office listed in appendix D to 10 CFR part 20.

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PART 21—REPORTING OF DEFECTS AND NONCOMPLIANCE

3. The authority citation for part 21 continues to read as follows:

Authority: Sec. 161, 68 Stat. 948, as amended, sec. 234, 83 Stat. 444, as amended (42 U.S.C. 2201, 2282); secs. 201, as amended, 206, 88 Stat. 1242, as amended, 1246 (42 U.S.C. 5841, 5846).

Section 21.2 also issued under secs. 135, 141, Pub. L. 97-425, 96 Stat. 2232, 2241 (42 U.S.C. 10155, 10161).

§ 21.2 [Amended]

4. In § 21.2(d), the commercial telephone number of the NRC Operations Center is revised from "(301) 951-0550" to "(301) 816-5100."

§ 21.21 [Amended]

5. In § 21.21(c)(3)(i), the NRC Operations Center commercial facsimile number is revised from "(301) 492-8187" to "(301) 816-5151" and the telephone number from "(301) 951-0550" to "(301) 816-5100."

PART 30—RULES OF GENERAL APPLICABILITY TO DOMESTIC LICENSING OF BYPRODUCT MATERIAL

6. The authority citation for part 30 continues to read as follows:

Authority: Secs. 81, 82, 161, 182, 183, 186, 68 Stat. 935, 948, 953, 954, 955, as amended, sec. 234, 83 Stat. 444, as amended (42 U.S.C. 2111, 2112, 2201, 2232, 2233, 2236, 2282); secs. 201, as amended, 202, 206, 88 Stat. 1242, as amended, 1244, 1246 (42 U.S.C. 5841, 5842, 5846).

Section 30.7 also issued under Pub. L. 95-601, sec. 10, 92 Stat. 2951 (42 U.S.C. 5851). Section 30.34(b) also issued under sec. 184, 68 Stat. 954, as amended (42 U.S.C. 2234). Section 30.61 also issued under sec. 187, 68 Stat. 955 (42 U.S.C. 2237).

§ 30.50 [Amended]

7. In footnote 1 to § 30.50(c)(1), the commercial telephone number of the NRC Operations Center is revised from "(301) 951-0550" to "(301) 816-5100."

PART 35—MEDICAL USE OF BYPRODUCT MATERIAL

8. The authority citation for part 35 continues to read as follows:

Authority: Secs. 81, 161, 182, 183, 68 Stat. 935, 948, 953, 954, as amended (42 U.S.C. 2111, 2201, 2232, 2233); sec. 201, 88 Stat. 1242, as amended (42 U.S.C. 5841).

§ 35.33 [Amended]

9. In footnote 2 to § 35.33(a)(1), the commercial telephone number of the NRC Operations Center is revised from "(301) 951-0550" to "(301) 816-5100."

PART 40—DOMESTIC LICENSING OF SOURCE MATERIAL

10. The authority citation for part 40 continues to read as follows:

Authority: Secs. 62, 63, 64, 65, 81, 161, 182, 183, 186, 68 Stat. 932, 933, 935, 948, 953, 954, 955, as amended, secs. 11e(2), 83, 84, Pub. L. 95-604, 92 Stat. 3033, as amended, 3039, sec. 234, 83 Stat. 444, as amended (42 U.S.C. 2014(e)(2), 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2111, 2113, 2114, 2201, 2232, 2233, 2236, 2282); sec. 274, Pub. L. 86-373, 73 Stat. 688 (42 U.S.C. 2021); secs. 201, as amended, 202, 206, 88 Stat. 1242, as amended, 1244, 1246 (42 U.S.C. 5841, 5842, 5846); sec. 275, 92 Stat. 3021, as amended by Pub. L. 97-415, 96 Stat. 2067 (42 U.S.C. 2022).

Section 40.7 also issued under Pub. L. 95-601, sec. 10, 92 Stat. 2951 (42 U.S.C. 5851). Section 40.31(g) also issued under sec. 122, 68 Stat. 939 (42 U.S.C. 2152). Section 40.46 also issued under sec. 184, 68 Stat. 954, as amended (42 U.S.C. 2234). Section 40.71 also issued under sec. 187, 68 Stat. 955 (42 U.S.C. 2237).

§ 40.60 [Amended]

11. In footnote 1 to § 40.60(c)(1), the commercial telephone number of the

NRC Operations Center is revised from "(301) 951-0550" to "(301) 816-5100."

PART 50—DOMESTIC LICENSING OF PRODUCTION AND UTILIZATION FACILITIES

12. The authority citation for part 50 continues to read as follows:

Authority: Secs. 102, 103, 104, 105, 161, 182, 183, 186, 189, 68 Stat. 936, 937, 938, 948, 953, 954, 955, 956, as amended, sec. 234, 83 Stat. 1244, as amended (42 U.S.C. 2132, 2133, 2134, 2135, 2201, 2232, 2233, 2236, 2239, 2282); secs. 201, as amended, 202, 206, 88 Stat. 1242, as amended, 1244, 1246 (42 U.S.C. 5841, 5842, 5846).

Section 50.7 also issued under Pub. L. 95-601, sec. 10, 92 Stat. 2951 (42 U.S.C. 5851). Section 50.10 also issued under secs. 101, 185, 68 Stat. 955, as amended (42 U.S.C. 2131, 2235); sec. 102, Pub. L. 91-190, 83 Stat. 853 (42 U.S.C. 4332). Sections 50.13, 50.54(dd), and 50.103 also issued under sec. 108, 68 Stat. 939, as amended (42 U.S.C. 2138). Sections 50.23, 50.35, 50.55, and 50.56 also issued under sec. 185, 68 Stat. 955 (42 U.S.C. 2235). Sections 50.33a, 50.55a and Appendix Q also issued under sec. 102, Pub. L. 91-190, 83 Stat. 853 (42 U.S.C. 4332). Sections 50.34 and 50.54 also issued under sec. 204, 88 Stat. 1245 (42 U.S.C. 5844). Sections 50.58, 50.91, and 50.92 also issued under Pub. L. 97-415, 96 Stat. 2073 (42 U.S.C. 2239). Section 50.78 also issued under sec. 122, 68 Stat. 939 (42 U.S.C. 2152). Sections 50.80-50.81 also issued under sec. 184, 68 Stat. 954, as amended (42 U.S.C. 2234). Section 50.120 is also issued under section 306 of the NWPA of 1982, 42 U.S.C. 10226. Appendix F also issued under sec. 187, 68 Stat. 955 (42 U.S.C. 2237).

§ 50.55 [Amended]

13. In § 50.55(e)(6)(i), the NRC Operations Center commercial facsimile number is revised from "(301) 492-8187" to "(301) 816-5151" and the telephone number from "(301) 951-0550" to "(301) 816-5100."

§ 50.72 [Amended]

14. In footnote 3 to § 50.72(a)(2), the commercial telephone number of the NRC Operations Center is revised from "(301) 951-0550" to "(301) 816-5100."

PART 70—DOMESTIC LICENSING OF SPECIAL NUCLEAR MATERIAL

15. The authority citation for part 70 continues to read as follows:

Authority: Secs. 51, 53, 161, 182, 183, 68 Stat. 929, 930, 948, 953, 954, as amended, sec. 234, 83 Stat. 444, as amended (42 U.S.C. 2071, 2073, 2201, 2232, 2233, 2282); secs. 201, as amended, 202, 204, 206, 88 Stat. 1242, as amended, 1244, 1245, 1246 (42 U.S.C. 5841, 5842, 5845, 5846).

Sections 70.1(c) and 70.20a(b) also issued under secs. 135, 141, Pub. L. 97-425, 96 Stat. 2232, 2241 (42 U.S.C. 10155, 10161). Section 70.7 also issued under Pub. L. 95-601, sec. 10, 92 Stat. 2951 (42 U.S.C. 5851). Section

70.21(g) also issued under sec. 122, 68 Stat. 939 (42 U.S.C. 2152). Section 70.31 also issued under sec. 57d, Pub. L. 93-377, 88 Stat. 475 (42 U.S.C. 2077). Sections 70.36 and 70.44 also issued under sec. 184, 68 Stat. 954, as amended (42 U.S.C. 2234). Section 70.61 also issued under secs. 186, 187, 68 Stat. 955 (42 U.S.C. 2236, 2237). Section 70.62 also issued under sec. 108, 68 Stat. 939, as amended (42 U.S.C. 2138).

§ 70.50 [Amended]

16. In footnote 1 to § 70.50(c)(1), the commercial telephone number of the NRC Operations Center is revised from "(301) 951-0550" to "(301) 816-5100."

§ 70.52 [Amended]

17. In footnote 1 to § 70.52(a), the commercial telephone number of the NRC Operations Center is revised from "(301) 951-0550" to "(301) 816-5100."

PART 72—LICENSING REQUIREMENTS FOR THE INDEPENDENT STORAGE OF SPENT NUCLEAR FUEL AND HIGH-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE

18. The authority citation for part 72 continues to read as follows:

Authority: Secs. 51, 53, 57, 62, 63, 65, 69, 81, 161, 182, 183, 184, 186, 187, 189, 68 Stat. 929, 930, 932, 933, 934, 935, 948, 953, 954, 955, as amended, sec. 234, 83 Stat. 444, as amended (42 U.S.C. 2071, 2073, 2077, 2092, 2093, 2095, 2099, 2111, 2201, 2232, 2233, 2234, 2236, 2237, 2238, 2282); sec. 274, Pub. L. 86-373, 73 Stat. 688, as amended (42 U.S.C. 2021); sec. 201, as amended, 202, 206, 88 Stat. 1242, as amended, 1244, 1246 (42 U.S.C. 5841, 5842, 5846); Pub. L. 95-601, sec. 10, 92 Stat. 2951 (42 U.S.C. 5851); sec. 102, Pub. L. 91-190, 83 Stat. 853 (42 U.S.C. 4332); secs. 131, 132, 133, 135, 137, 141, Pub. L. 97-425, 96 Stat. 2229, 2230, 2232, 2241, sec. 148, Pub. L. 100-203, 101 Stat. 1330-235 (42 U.S.C. 10151, 10152, 10153, 10155, 10157, 10161, 10168).

Section 72.44(g) also issued under secs. 142(b) and 148 (c), (d), Pub. L. 100-203, 101 Stat. 1330-232, 1330-236 (42 U.S.C. 10162(b), 10168 (c), (d)). Section 72.46 also issued under sec. 189, 68 Stat. 955 (42 U.S.C. 2239); sec. 134, Pub. L. 97-425, 96 Stat. 2230 (42 U.S.C. 10154). Section 72.96(d) also issued under sec. 145(g), Pub. L. 100-203, 101 Stat. 1330-235 (42 U.S.C. 10165(g)). Subpart J also issued under secs. 2(2), 2(15), 2(19), 117(a), 141(h), Pub. L. 97-425, 96 Stat. 2202, 2203, 2204, 2222, 2244 (42 U.S.C. 10101, 10137(a), 10161(h)). Subparts K and L are also issued under sec. 133, 98 Stat. 2230 (42 U.S.C. 10153) and sec. 218(a), 96 Stat. 2252 (42 U.S.C. 10198).

§ 72.74 [Amended]

19. In footnote 1 to § 72.74(a), the commercial telephone number of the NRC Operations Center is revised from "(301) 951-0550" to "(301) 816-5100."

PART 73—PHYSICAL PROTECTION OF PLANTS AND MATERIALS

20. The authority citation for part 73 continues to read as follows:

Authority: Secs. 53, 161, 68 Stat. 930, 948, as amended, sec. 147, 94 Stat. 780 (42 U.S.C. 2073, 2167, 2201); sec. 201, as amended, 204, 88 Stat. 1242, as amended, 1245 (42 U.S.C. 5841, 5844).

Section 73.1 also issued under secs. 135, 141, Pub. L. 97-425, 96 Stat. 2232, 2241 (42 U.S.C. 10155, 10161). Section 73.37(f) also issued under sec. 301, Pub. L. 96-295, 94 Stat. 789 (42 U.S.C. 5841 note). Section 73.57 is issued under sec. 606, Pub. L. 99-399, 100 Stat. 876 (42 U.S.C. 2169).

§ 73.67 [Amended]

21. In footnote 1 to § 73.67 (e)(3)(vii) and (g)(3)(iii), the commercial telephone number of the NRC Operations Center is revised from "(301) 951-0550" to "(301) 816-5100."

§ 73.71 [Amended]

22. In footnote 1 to § 73.71(a)(1), the commercial telephone number of the NRC Operations Center is revised from "(301) 951-0550" to "(301) 816-5100."

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Emergency Planning and Preparedness Exercise Requirements for Nuclear Power Plants

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is amending its emergency planning regulations in order to update the Commission's emergency planning exercise requirements for nuclear power plants and clarify ambiguities that have surfaced in the implementation of the regulations. These amendments also make the NRC regulations consistent with FEMA regulations.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 23, 1994.

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