

(e.g., smear papers or contaminated packaging material). The amount of waste would not be changed by the exemption.

The change will not increase the probability or consequences of accidents, no changes are being made in the types or amounts of any effluents that may be released offsite, and there is no significant increase in the allowable individual or cumulative occupational radiation exposure. Accordingly, the Commission concludes that there are no significant radiological environmental impacts associated with the proposed action.

With regard to potential nonradiological impacts, the proposed action does involve features located entirely within the restricted area as defined in 10 CFR Part 20. It does not affect nonradiological plant effluents and has no other environmental impact. Accordingly, the Commission concludes that there are no significant nonradiological environmental impacts associated with the proposed action.

#### *Alternatives to the Proposed Action*

Since the Commission has concluded there is no measurable environmental impact associated with the proposed action, any alternatives with equal or greater environmental impact need not be evaluated. As an alternative to the proposed action, the NRC staff considered denial of the proposed action. Denial of the application would result in no change in current environmental impacts. The environmental impacts of the proposed action and the alternative action are similar.

#### *Alternative Use of Resources*

This action does not involve the use of any resources not previously considered in the Final Environmental Statement for D.C. Cook, Units 1 and 2, dated August 1973.

#### *Agencies and Persons Consulted*

In accordance with its stated policy, on July 8, 1996, the NRC staff consulted with the Michigan State official, Dennis Hahn, of the Michigan Department of Public Health, Nuclear Facilities and Environmental Monitoring, regarding the environmental impact of the proposed action. The State official had no comments.

#### *Finding of No Significant Impact*

Based upon the environmental assessment, the Commission concludes that the proposed action will not have a significant effect on the quality of the human environment. Accordingly, the Commission has determined not to

prepare an environmental impact statement for the proposed action.

For further details with respect to the proposed action, see the licensee's letter dated April 8, 1996, which is available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, The Gelman Building, 2120 L Street, NW., Washington, DC, and at the local public document room located at the Maud Preston Palenske Memorial Library, 500 Market Street, St. Joseph, Michigan 49085.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 24th day of July 1996.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission,  
John B. Hickman,  
*Project Manager, Project Directorate III-1,  
Division of Reactor Projects—III/IV, Office of  
Nuclear Reactor Regulation.*  
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#### **Sunshine Act Meeting**

**AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING:** Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**DATE:** Weeks of July 29, August 5, 12, and 19, 1996.

**PLACE:** Commissioners' Conference Room, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

**STATUS:** Public and Closed.

#### **MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:**

Week of July 29

*Monday, July 29*

10:00 a.m.

Briefing on Uranium Recovery Program  
(Public Meeting)  
(Contact: Joe Holonich, 301-415-6643)

*Tuesday, July 30*

10:00 a.m.

Briefing by Nuclear Waste Technical  
Review Board (Public Meeting)

11:30 a.m.

Affirmation Session (Public Meeting) (if  
needed)

2:00 p.m.

Briefing on Status of Staff Actions on  
Industry Restructuring and Deregulation  
(Public Meeting)  
(Contact: Dave Mathews, 301-415-1282)

*Wednesday, July 31*

2:00 p.m.

Briefing on EEO Program (Public Meeting)  
(Contact: Ed Tucker, 301-415-7382)

*Thursday, August 1*

3:00 p.m.

Briefing on Spent Fuel Pool Cooling Issues  
(Public Meeting)  
(Contact: George Hubbard, 301-415-2870)

Week of August 5—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the  
Week of August 5.

Week of August 12—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the  
Week of August 12.

Week of August 19—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the  
Week of August 19.

The schedule for Commission meetings is subject to change on short notice. To verify the status of meetings call (Recording)—(301) 415-1292.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:**  
Bill Hill (301) 415-1661.

The NRC Commission Meeting Schedule can be found on the Internet at: <http://www.nrc.gov/SECY/smj/schedule.htm>.

This notice is distributed by mail to several hundred subscribers: if you no longer wish to receive it, or would like to be added to it, please contact the Office of the Secretary, Attn: Operations Branch, Washington, D.C. 20555 (301-415-1963).

In addition, distribution of this meeting notice over the internet system is available. If you are interested in receiving this Commission meeting schedule electronically, please send an electronic message to [alb@nrc.gov](mailto:alb@nrc.gov) or [dkwnrc.gov](mailto:dkwnrc.gov).

Dated: July 27, 1996.

William M. Hill, Jr.,  
*SECY Tracking Officer, Office of the  
Secretary.*

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#### **Notice of Removal of the Frome Investment Company (Brooks & Perkins Corporation) Site From the Site Decommissioning Management Plan**

**AGENCY:** Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**SUMMARY:** This notice is to inform the public that the U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) is removing the Frome Investment Company (Brooks & Perkins Corporation (BP)) site in Detroit, Michigan, from the Site Decommissioning Management Plan (SDMP). BP used thorium at this site from 1957 through the late 1960s under license from the Atomic Energy Commission. BP requested and received license termination in 1971. More recent surveys at the site revealed increased radiation levels in the soil outside the garage/warehouse. Analysis on soil samples indicate thorium concentrations approaching but not exceeding NRC unrestricted release limits. However, a fragment of magnesium thorium sheet metal found at the site required proper transfer and disposal. This fragment was removed from Frome Investment Company property on February 16, 1996 and disposed of at the Barnwell, South

Carolina, low-level radioactive waste disposal site.

Based on (1) remedial actions taken by Frome Investment Company, and (2) the results of NRC Region III surveys, the Commission concludes that decommissioning activities are complete and the site is suitable for unrestricted use.

The SDMP describes four criteria that make a site eligible for removal from the SDMP list, including (1) termination of a license after successful remediation, (2) completion of remediation of an inactive area and modification of the active license to reflect the remediation, (3) completion of remediation at an unlicensed site, or (4) transferral of regulatory jurisdiction for remediation. The Frome Investment Company site has satisfied the third criterion because the site owner has successfully remediated the contaminated portion of the site. Consequently, the NRC staff intends to remove the Frome Investment Company site in Detroit, Michigan, from the SDMP.

Removal from the SDMP will be reopened only if additional contamination, or noncompliance with remediation commitments is found, indicating a significant threat to public health and safety.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 24th day of July 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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## POSTAL SERVICE

### Privacy Act of 1974; System of Records

**AGENCY:** Postal Service.

**ACTION:** Notice of revisions to an existing system of records.

**SUMMARY:** This document publishes notice of modifications to Privacy Act system of records USPS 030.010, Personnel Records—Equal Employment Opportunity—EEO Discrimination Complaint Files. The proposed modifications expand the system location and categories of individuals, add a routine use, and make editorial revisions that clarify the categories of records, purpose(s), and storage sections of this notice.

**DATES:** This proposal will become effective without further notice on September 9, 1996, unless comments

received on or before that date result in a contrary determination.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments on this proposal should be mailed or delivered to Payroll Accounting and Records, United States Postal Service, 475 L'Enfant Plaza SW., Room 8650, Washington, DC 20260-5243. Copies of all written comments will be available at the above address for public inspection and photocopying between 8 a.m. and 4:45 p.m., Monday through Friday.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Rubenia Carter, (202) 268-4872.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Privacy Act system of records USPS 030.010 contains records that relate to complaint processing activities under the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) regulations. The editorial modifications provide clarity to the categories of records, purpose(s), and storage sections of the system description. The changes to those sections do not expand or otherwise alter the character or use of information contained in the system.

The Postal Service is proposing to use mediators to resolve complaints at the precomplaint stage. The mediator will serve as a bridge between employees and management, attempt to facilitate an amicable solution to employee problems, and inform employees of their right to file a formal complaint with the EEO appeals review specialist when attempts at informal resolution fail. The use of a mediator at the precomplaint stage will decrease the number of formal EEO complaints. The Postal Service plans to use postal employees (ad hoc), employees of other federal agencies, and employees of a contractor as mediators. The effectiveness of the mediators will be determined by the number of complaints handled and the outcome of each case resolved at the precomplaint stage. To track the success of each mediator, the Postal Service will maintain and retrieve the following information about each mediator: Number of cases mediated, dates available, and results of each mediation. The use of mediators and the need to maintain information about mediators require us to expand the categories of individuals covered by the system and also require us to add a routine use to this system.

The proposed routine use will permit disclosure of information to an employee of another federal agency and to a contractor serving as a mediator to resolve EEO complaints.

The proposed routine use is compatible with the purpose for

collecting the information; that is, to facilitate the resolution of an EEO complaint. Because the disclosure allowed by this routine use will enable the Postal Service to expedite processing of EEO complaints, it will ensure equal employment opportunity for all persons in accordance with EEOC's regulations found in 29 CFR part 1614.

All records within Privacy Act system USPS 030.010 continue to be kept in a secured environment, with automated data processing (ADP) physical and administrative security and technical software applied to data on computer media. Paper records are kept in a secured area and are only made available on an official need-to-know basis. Mediators of an entity under contract with the Postal Service who maintain data collected by the Postal Service are subject to the Privacy Act in accordance with subsection (m) and are required to apply appropriate protections subject to the audit and inspection of the Postal Inspection Service. In view of these factors, the Postal Service has determined that this system amendment is a matter of practice and procedure that will not substantially affect the rights or obligations of private parties.

Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552a(a)(e)(11), interested persons are invited to submit written data, views, or arguments on the proposed part of this notice. A report of the proposed system changes has been sent to Congress and to the Office of Management and Budget for their evaluation.

USPS Privacy Act system USPS 030.010 was last published in its entirety in the Federal Register on October 26, 1989 (54 FR 43663-43664) and amended in the Federal Register on October 11, 1990 (55 FR 41399).

### USPS 030.010

#### SYSTEM NAME:

Equal Employment Opportunity—EEO Discrimination Complaint Files, 030.010.

#### SYSTEM LOCATION:

[CHANGE TO READ] "EEO Compliance & Appeals, Labor Relations, Headquarters; EEO Compliance and Appeals Processing Centers, area offices; districts; and contractor sites."

#### CATEGORIES OF INDIVIDUALS COVERED BY THE SYSTEM:

[CHANGE TO READ] "Current and former postal employees, applicants for positions within the Postal Service, third-party complainants, and mediators (postal employees, other federal agency employees and contract employees)."