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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

10 CFR Parts 20, 30, 40, 50, 70, and 72

[NRC–2011–0162]

Decommissioning Planning During Operations

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting, webinar and opportunity to provide comment.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC or the Commission) is seeking input from the public, licensees, Agreement States, non-Agreement States, and other stakeholders on revised draft regulatory guide (DG) 4014, “Decommissioning Planning During Operations.” This guide describes a method that the NRC staff considers acceptable for use in complying with the NRC’s Decommissioning Planning Rule. The NRC will hold a public meeting and concurrent Webinar to facilitate the public’s and other stakeholders’ comments.

DATES: The public meeting and Webinar will be held at the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Two White Flint North, Room T–8A01, 11554 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland 20852 on July 12, 2012, from 11:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (EDT). The revised draft guide will be issued by a separate notice that will contain information on submitting written comments.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. James Shepherd, Office of Federal and State Materials and Environmental Management Programs, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555–0001; telephone: 301–415–6712; email: james.shepherd@nrc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

In 2011, the NRC published the Decommissioning Planning Rule (DPR) (June 17, 2011, 76 FR 33512). The DPR

applies to the operational phase of a licensed facility, and requires licensees to operate in a way to minimize spills, leaks, and other unplanned releases of radioactive contaminants into the environment. It also requires licensees to check periodically for radiological contamination throughout the site, including subsurface soil and groundwater. Subsequently, to describe and make available to the public information on methods that are acceptable to the NRC staff for implementing this part of the regulations, the NRC published for comment DG–4014, “Decommissioning Planning During Operations” (December 13, 2011, 76 FR 77431). The NRC received more than 100 comments on the draft guide resulting in modifications to the draft on which the NRC staff believes public comment is appropriate. Therefore, the NRC is issuing a revision to the draft guidance (ML12179A246) that responds to the comments on the initial version.

II. Discussion

Many of the comments provided during the initial comment period on DG–4014 stated that more information about specific actions for different types of licensee should be included in the regulatory guide. Additionally, some of the comments also called for more information on how a licensee could determine in which category it fell and what actions it must take. Some commenters indicated that the NRC should identify conditions that would, in effect, exempt certain licensees with limited activities or inventories from the sampling requirements of the rule. One comment stated the guidance should not, *de facto*, impose backfit requirements on licensees, and others stated the guide should address restricted release of a site. In response to the comments received, the NRC staff has revised the draft guide.

III. Public Webinar

To facilitate the understanding of the public and other stakeholders of the issues addressed in the draft guide and the procedures for the submission of comments, the NRC staff has scheduled a public Webinar from 11:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (EDT) on July 12, 2012. Webinar participants will be able to view the presentation slides prepared by the NRC and electronically submit

comments over the Internet. Participants must register to participate in the Webinar. Registration information may be found in the meeting notice (ML12179A347). The meeting notice is also available on the NRC’s public Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/public-involve/public-meetings/index.cfm>. Additionally, the final agenda for the public Webinar and the revised draft regulatory guide will be posted no fewer than 10 days prior to the Webinar at this Web site. Those who are unable to participate via Webinar may also participate via teleconference. For details on how to participate via teleconference, please contact Sarah Achten, telephone: 301–415–6009; email: sarah.achten@nrc.gov; or T.R. Rowe, telephone: 301–415–8008; email: t.rowe@nrc.gov.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 2nd day of July 2012.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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FEDERAL HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY

12 CFR Part 1254

RIN 2590–AA53

Enterprise Underwriting Standards

AGENCY: Federal Housing Finance Agency.

ACTIONS: Proposed rulemaking; extension of comment period.

SUMMARY: On June 15, 2012, the Federal Housing Finance Agency (FHFA) published in the **Federal Register** a notice of proposed rulemaking for public comment concerning underwriting standards for the Federal National Mortgage Association (Fannie Mae) and the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation (Freddie Mac), relating to mortgage assets affected by Property Assessed Clean Energy (PACE) programs. The comment period was to end on July 30, 2012 (45 days after publication of the proposal in the

Federal Register). This document extends the comment period to September 13, 2012 to allow the public additional time to comment on the proposed rule.

DATES: Written comments must be received on or before September 13, 2012. For additional information, see **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**.

ADDRESSES: You may submit your comments, identified by regulatory information number (RIN) 2590-AA53, by any of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>: Follow the instructions for submitting comments. If you submit your comment to the *Federal eRulemaking Portal*, please also send it by email to FHFA at RegComments@fhfa.gov to ensure timely receipt by FHFA. Please include "RIN 2590-AA53" in the subject line of the message.

- *Email:* Comments to Alfred M. Pollard, General Counsel may be sent by email to RegComments@fhfa.gov. Please include "RIN 2590-AA53" in the subject line of the message.

- *U.S. Mail, United Parcel Service, Federal Express, or Other Mail Service:* The mailing address for comments is: Alfred M. Pollard, General Counsel, Attention: Comments/RIN 2590-AA53, Federal Housing Finance Agency, Eighth Floor, 400 Seventh Street SW., Washington, DC 20024.

- *Hand Delivered/Courier:* The hand delivery address is: Alfred M. Pollard, General Counsel, Attention: Comments/RIN 2590-AA53, Federal Housing Finance Agency, Eighth Floor, 400 Seventh Street SW., Washington, DC 20024. The package should be logged at the Seventh Street entrance Guard Desk, First Floor, on business days between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Alfred M. Pollard, General Counsel, (202) 649-3050 (not a toll-free number), Federal Housing Finance Agency, Eighth Floor, 400 Seventh Street SW., Washington, DC 20024. The telephone number for the Telecommunications Device for the Hearing Impaired is (800) 877-8339.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On June 15, 2012, FHFA published for comment in the **Federal Register** a proposed rule, and invited comments. See 77 FR 36086. The comment period for the proposed rule was originally scheduled to close on July 30, 2012; but, FHFA determined to extend the comment period an additional 45 days, changing the deadline for submitting comments on the proposed rule from July 30, 2012 to September 13, 2012.

Dated: July 6, 2012.

Edward J. DeMarco,

Acting Director, Federal Housing Finance Agency.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

14 CFR Part 71

[Docket No. FAA-2012-0617; Airspace Docket No. 12-ANM-18]

Proposed Establishment of Class E Airspace; Fort Garland, CO

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM).

SUMMARY: This action proposes to establish Class E airspace at Trinchera Ranch Airstrip Airport, Fort Garland, CO. Controlled airspace is necessary to accommodate aircraft using new Area Navigation (RNAV) Global Positioning System (GPS) standard instrument approach procedures at Trinchera Ranch Airstrip Airport. The FAA is proposing this action to enhance the safety and management of aircraft operations at the airport.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before August 27, 2012.

ADDRESSES: Send comments on this proposal to the U.S. Department of Transportation, Docket Operations, M-30, West Building Ground Floor, Room W12-140, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE., Washington, DC 20590; telephone (202) 366-9826. You must identify FAA Docket No. FAA-2012-0617; Airspace Docket No. 12-ANM-18, at the beginning of your comments. You may also submit comments through the Internet at <http://www.regulations.gov>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Eldon Taylor, Federal Aviation Administration, Operations Support Group, Western Service Center, 1601 Lind Avenue SW., Renton, WA 98057; telephone (425) 203-4537.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Comments Invited

Interested parties are invited to participate in this proposed rulemaking by submitting such written data, views, or arguments, as they may desire. Comments that provide the factual basis supporting the views and suggestions presented are particularly helpful in developing reasoned regulatory decisions on the proposal. Comments

are specifically invited on the overall regulatory, aeronautical, economic, environmental, and energy-related aspects of the proposal.

Communications should identify both docket numbers (FAA Docket No. FAA 2012-0617 and Airspace Docket No. 12-ANM-18) and be submitted in triplicate to the Docket Management System (see **ADDRESSES** section for address and phone number). You may also submit comments through the Internet at <http://www.regulations.gov>.

Commenters wishing the FAA to acknowledge receipt of their comments on this action must submit with those comments a self-addressed stamped postcard on which the following statement is made: "Comments to FAA Docket No. FAA-2012-0617 and Airspace Docket No. 12-ANM-18". The postcard will be date/time stamped and returned to the commenter.

All communications received on or before the specified closing date for comments will be considered before taking action on the proposed rule. The proposal contained in this action may be changed in light of comments received. All comments submitted will be available for examination in the public docket both before and after the closing date for comments. A report summarizing each substantive public contact with FAA personnel concerned with this rulemaking will be filed in the docket.

Availability of NPRMs

An electronic copy of this document may be downloaded through the Internet at <http://www.regulations.gov>. Recently published rulemaking documents can also be accessed through the FAA's web page at http://www.faa.gov/airports_airtraffic/air_traffic/publications/airspace_amendments/.

You may review the public docket containing the proposal, any comments received, and any final disposition in person in the Dockets Office (see the **ADDRESSES** section for the address and phone number) between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except federal holidays. An informal docket may also be examined during normal business hours at the Northwest Mountain Regional Office of the Federal Aviation Administration, Air Traffic Organization, Western Service Center, Operations Support Group, 1601 Lind Avenue SW., Renton, WA 98057.

Persons interested in being placed on a mailing list for future NPRMs should contact the FAA's Office of Rulemaking, (202) 267-9677, for a copy of Advisory Circular No. 11-2A, Notice of Proposed