July 25, 2008

MEMORANDUM TO: R. W. Borchardt

**Executive Director for Operations** 

FROM: Annette L. Vietti-Cook, Secretary /RA/

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS – SECY-08-0080 – PROPOSED

RULE: MEDICAL USE OF BYPRODUCT MATERIAL – AMENDMENTS/MEDICAL EVENT DEFINITIONS (RIN 3150-

AI26)

The Commission has approved publication of a proposed rule in the *Federal Register* to amend 10 CFR Part 35 related to reporting and notification of medical events and to clarify requirements for permanent implant brachytherapy as recommended by the staff. The staff should continue its engagement with the ACMUI, Agreement States, and other interested stakeholders as it proceeds with finalizing this rule.

(EDO) (SECY Suspense: 8/8/08)

In parallel with drafting the final rule, the staff should also work with the Agreement States to develop revised guidance documents that reflect the new requirements in order to ensure that they can be distributed to affected external stakeholders and be made publicly available prior to the effective date of the final rule.

cc: Chairman Klein

Commissioner Jaczko Commissioner Lyons Commissioner Svinicki

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