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Two-Year Trial Program for Conducting Open Enforcement Conferences; Availability of Toll-Free Phone Number

**AGENCY:** Nuclear Regulatory

Commission.

**ACTION:** Policy statement; supplement.

SUMMARY: The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is issuing a supplement to its policy statement that

supplement to its policy statement that establishes a two-year trial program for conducting open enforcement conferences. The purpose of this supplement is to inform the public of the toll-free phone number that may be used to get information on upcoming open enforcement conferences.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 9, 1992.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On July 10, 1992 (57 FR 30762), the Commission published a policy statement on the implementation of a two-year trial program to allow selected enforcement conferences to be open to public observation. The policy statement explained that the NRC would announce open enforcement conferences to the public normally at least 10 working days in advance of the enforcement conference through the following mechanisms:

- (1) Notices posted in the Public Document Room;
  - (2) Toll-free telephone messages; and
- (3) Toll-free electronic bulletin board messages.

At the time the policy statement was published, the toll-free message systems were not available and a commercial phone number was provided pending establishment of the toll-free message systems. Although the toll-free electronic bulletin board message system is still unavailable, the public may call (800) 952–9674 to obtain a recording of upcoming open enforcement conferences. The NRC will issue another Federal Register notice after the toll-free electronic bulletin board message system is established.

Dated at Rockville, MD, this 2d day of September 1992.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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