

M12E) to a burnup of 69,000 MWD/MTU, will not have a significant effect on the quality of the human environment. Accordingly, the NRC has determined not to prepare an environmental impact statement for the proposed actions.

For further details with respect to the proposed action, see the licensee's letters dated January 17 and March 24, 2003. Documents may be examined, and/or copied for a fee, at the NRC Public Document Room, located at One White Flint North, 11555 Rockville Pike (first floor), Rockville, Maryland. Publicly available records will be accessible electronically from the ADAMS Public Library component of NRC's Web site, <http://www.nrc.gov> (the Public Electronic Reading Room). If you do not have access to ADAMS or if there are problems in accessing the documents located in ADAMS, contact the NRC Public Document Room (PDR) Reference staff at 1 (800) 397-4209, or (301) 415-4737, or by e-mail to pdr@nrc.gov.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 9th day of September, 2003.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Anthony J. Mendiola,

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Division of Licensing Project Management,
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation.*

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Regulatory Guide; Issuance, Availability

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has issued a revision of a guide in its Regulatory Guide Series and its conforming Standard Review Plan Chapter. This series has been developed to describe and make available to the public such information as methods acceptable to the NRC staff for implementing specific parts of the NRC's regulations, techniques used by the staff in its review of applications for permits and licenses, and data needed by the NRC staff in its review of applications for permits and licenses.

Revision 1 of Regulatory Guide 1.178, "An Approach for Plant-Specific Risk-Informed Decisionmaking for Inservice Inspection of Piping," provides an approach for plant-specific risk-informed decisionmaking for inservice inspection of piping.

Standard Review Plan Chapter 3.9.8, "Standard Review Plan for the Review of Risk-Informed Inservice Inspection of Piping," is a chapter in NUREG-0800,

"Standard Review Plan for the Review of Safety Analysis Reports for Nuclear Power Plants." Chapter 3.9.8 describes review procedures and acceptance guidelines for NRC staff reviews of proposed plant-specific, risk-informed changes to a licensee's inservice inspection program for piping.

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Dated at Rockville, MD this 29th day of August 2003.

For The Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Ashok C. Thadani,

Director, Office of Nuclear Regulatory Research.

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POSTAL SERVICE

Board of Governors; Sunshine Act Meeting; Notification of Item Added to Meeting Agenda

DATE OF MEETING: September 8, 2003.

STATUS: Closed.

PREVIOUS ANNOUNCEMENT: 68 FR 52065, August 29, 2003.

ADDITION: Postal Rate Commission Opinion and Recommended Decision in

Docket No. MC2003-2, Experimental Parcel Return Services.

At its meeting on September 8, 2003, the Board of Governors of the United States Postal Service voted unanimously to add this item to the agenda of its closed meeting and that no earlier announcement was possible. The General Counsel of the United States Postal Service certified that in her opinion discussion of this item could be properly closed to public observation.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: William J. Johnstone, Secretary of the Board, U.S. Postal Service, 475 L'Enfant Plaza, SW., Washington, DC 20260-1000.

William T. Johnstone,

Secretary.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Issuer Delisting; Notice of Application To Withdraw From Listing and Registration on the American Stock Exchange LLC (ALARIS Medical Systems, Inc., Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value) File No. 1-10207

September 10, 2003.

ALARIS Medical Systems, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Issuer"), has filed an application with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission"), pursuant to section 12(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act")¹ and rule 12d2-2(d) thereunder,² to withdraw its Common Stock, \$.01 par value ("Security"), from listing and registration on the American Stock Exchange LLC ("Amex" or "Exchange").

The Issuer states that it wishes to withdraw its Security from listing and registration on the Amex and to list its Security on the New York Stock Exchange, Inc. ("NYSE"). The Issuer believes that the global recognition of the NYSE will be beneficial to the Issuer and its shareholders. The Issuer states that it intends to list the Security on the NYSE on September 25, 2003.

The Issuer stated in its application that it has met the requirements of Amex Rule 18 by complying with all applicable laws in the State of Delaware, in which it is incorporated, and with the Amex's rules governing an issuer's voluntary withdrawal of a security from listing and registration.

¹ 15 U.S.C. 78j(d).

² 17 CFR 240.12d2-2(d).