

206(g)(7) of the Federal Credit Union Act. Closed pursuant to exemptions (6) and (8).

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NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

National Endowment for the Arts; Arts Advisory Panel

Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463), as amended, notice is hereby given that six meetings of the Arts Advisory Panel to the National Council on the Arts will be held at the Nancy Hanks Center, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506 as follows:

Folk and Traditional Arts (Infrastructure): January 11, 2005, Room 730. A portion of this meeting, from 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., will be for policy discussion and will be open to the public. The remainder of the meeting, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m., will be closed.

Media Arts (Arts on Radio and Television): January 12-14, 2005, Room 716. This meeting, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. on January 12th and 13th, and from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on January 14th, will be closed.

Arts Education (Summer Schools in the Arts): January 13-14, 2005, Room 714. A portion of this meeting, from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. on January 14th, will be for policy discussion and will be open to the public. The remainder of the meeting, from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on January 13th and from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. and 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. on January 14th, will be closed.

Partnership (State Partnership Agreements): January 18-19, 2005, Room 716. This meeting, from 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. on January 18th, and from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on January 19th, will be open to the public.

Accessibility (Leadership Initiatives): January 19, 2005, Room 724. This meeting, which will be held by teleconference from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m., will be closed.

Folk and Traditional Arts (National Heritage Fellowships): January 25-28, 2005, Room 716. This meeting, from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. on January 25th and 26th, from 9 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. on January

27th, and from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. on January 28th, will be closed.

The closed portions of meetings are for the purpose of Panel review, discussion, evaluation, and recommendation on applications for financial assistance under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including information given in confidence to the agency by grant applicants. In accordance with the determination of the Chairman of April 14, 2004, these sessions will be closed to the public pursuant to subsection (c)(6) of 5 U.S.C. 552b.

Any person may observe meetings, or portions thereof, of advisory panels that are open to the public, and if time allows, may be permitted to participate in the panel's discussions at the discretion of the panel chairman.

If you need special accommodations due to a disability, please contact the Office of AccessAbility, National Endowment for the Arts, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506, (202) 682-5532, TDY-TDD (202) 682-5496, at least seven (7) days prior to the meeting.

Further information with reference to these meetings can be obtained from Ms. Kathy Plowitz-Worden, Office of Guidelines & Panel Operations, National Endowment for the Arts, Washington, DC 20506, or call (202) 682-5691.

Dated: December 7, 2004.

Kathy Plowitz-Worden,

*Panel Coordinator, Panel Operations,
National Endowment for the Arts.*

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. 030-30416]

Notice of Availability of Environmental Assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact for License Amendment for APPTec Laboratory Services, Inc.'s Facility in Camden, NJ

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Notice of Availability.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
Donna M. Janda, Materials Security and Industrial Branch, Division of Nuclear Materials Safety, Region I, 475 Allendale Road, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania, 19406, telephone (610) 337-5371, fax (610) 337-5269; or by e-mail: dmj@nrc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Introduction

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is issuing a license amendment to AppTec Laboratory Services, Inc. (AppTec) for Materials License No. 29-28152-01, to terminate the license and authorize release of its facility in Camden, New Jersey, for unrestricted use. NRC has prepared an Environmental Assessment (EA) in support of this action in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR Part 51. Based on the EA, the NRC has concluded that a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) is appropriate. The amendment will be issued following the publication of this Notice.

II. EA Summary

The purpose of the action is to authorize the release of the licensee's Camden, New Jersey, facility for unrestricted use. AppTec was authorized by NRC from April 7, 1988, to use radioactive materials for research and development purposes at the site. On July 28, 2004, AppTec requested that NRC release the facility for unrestricted use. AppTec has conducted surveys of the facility and provided information to the NRC to demonstrate that the site meets the license termination criteria in Subpart E of 10 CFR Part 20 for unrestricted use.

The NRC staff has prepared an EA in support of the license amendment. The facility was remediated and surveyed prior to the licensee requesting the license amendment. The NRC staff has reviewed the information and final status survey submitted by AppTec. Based on its review, the staff has determined that there are no additional remediation activities necessary to complete the proposed action. Therefore, the staff considered the impact of the residual radioactivity at the facility and concluded that since the residual radioactivity meets the requirements in Subpart E of 10 CFR Part 20, a Finding of No Significant Impact is appropriate.

III. Finding of No Significant Impact

The staff has prepared the EA (summarized above) in support of the license amendment to terminate the license and release the facility for unrestricted use. The NRC staff has evaluated AppTec's request and the results of the surveys and has concluded that the completed action complies with the criteria in Subpart E of 10 CFR Part 20. The staff has found that the environmental impacts from the action are bounded by the impacts evaluated by NUREG-1496, Volumes 1-3,

“Generic Environmental Impact Statement in Support of Rulemaking on Radiological Criteria for License Termination of NRC-Licensed Facilities” (ML042310492, ML042320379, and ML042330385). On the basis of the EA, the NRC has concluded that the environmental impacts from the action are expected to be insignificant and has determined not to prepare an environmental impact statement for the action.

IV. Further Information

Documents related to this action, including the application for the license amendment and supporting documentation, are available electronically at the NRC’s Electronic Reading Room at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>. From this site, you can access the NRC’s Agencywide Document Access and Management System (ADAMS), which provides text and image files of NRC’s public documents. The ADAMS accession numbers for the documents related to this Notice are: the Environmental Assessment (ML043410104); Decommissioning Report for AppTec Laboratory Services, Inc. (ML042320058); and Letter from New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (ML043290287). Please note that on October 25, 2004, the NRC terminated public access to ADAMS and initiated an additional security review of publicly available documents to ensure that potentially sensitive information is removed from the ADAMS database accessible through the NRC’s web site. Interested members of the public may obtain copies of the referenced documents for review and/or copying by contacting the Public Document Room pending resumption of public access to ADAMS. The NRC Public Documents Room is located at NRC Headquarters in Rockville, MD, and can be contacted at (800) 397-4209, (301) 415-4737 or by e-mail to: pdr@nrc.gov.

These documents may be viewed electronically at the NRC Public Document Room (PDR), 0 1 F21, One White Flint North, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD 20852. The PDR reproduction contractor will copy documents for a fee. The PDR is open from 7:45 a.m. to 4:15 p.m., Monday through Friday, except on Federal holidays.

Dated at King of Prussia, Pennsylvania this 6th day of December, 2004.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

James P. Dwyer,

Chief, Commercial and R&D Branch, Division of Nuclear Materials Safety, Region I.

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OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET

Interim Final Revision of OMB Circular A-127, “Financial Management Systems”

AGENCY: Office of Management and Budget (OMB), Executive Office of the President.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: OMB Circular No. A-127, “Financial Management Systems,” dated July 23, 1993, prescribes policies and standards for executive departments and agencies to follow in developing, operating, evaluating, and reporting on financial management systems. This Circular was modified on August 9, 1999 to establish a process for certifying off-the-shelf financial management software for agency use. OMB is issuing this interim final revision to Circular A-127 to incorporate a realignment of responsibilities for issuing financial system requirements and certifying software. These changes revise Sections 7g, 7i, 8d, 9b, and 9c, delete Section 9a(3); and add new Sections 8g and 9d.

DATES: The interim final revision is effective December 7, 2004. Comments on the interim final revision must be received on or before January 3, 2005.

ADDRESSES: Comments on this interim final revision should be in writing and addressed to Wayne Leiss, Chief, Federal Financial Systems Branch, Office of Federal Financial Management, Office of Management and Budget, 725 17th Street, NW., Room 6025, Washington, DC 20503. You are encouraged to submit your comments by facsimile to 202-395-3952, or by e-mail to wleiss@omb.eop.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Wayne Leiss using the address information above. You may also call (202) 395-3993.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: OMB is revising Circular A-127, “Financial Management Systems,” to improve coordination among the operators of agency financial management systems, vendors of financial management software, E-Gov shared services, and the Department of Treasury. The revisions incorporate the transfer of responsibilities from the Joint Financial Management Improvement Program to

the Chief Financial Officers Council and the Office of Federal Financial Management. These updates are effective immediately.

A revised version of the entire Circular will be made available on the OMB Web site (<http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb>). All questions or inquiries concerning OMB Circular A-127 should be addressed to the Office of Federal Financial Management, Federal Financial Systems Branch, telephone number 202-395-3993.

Joshua B. Bolten,

Director.

Transmittal Memorandum No. 3 Revisions to OMB Circular A-127

This Transmittal Memorandum replaces and rescinds Circular A-127 Transmittal Memorandum No. 2, dated June 10, 1999, which revised Circular A-127, “Financial Management Systems” dated July 23, 1993. Transmittal Memorandum No. 2 revised Sections 8d and 9b of A-127 and added new Sections 9a(3) and 9c. This Transmittal Memorandum revises Sections 7g, 7i, 8d, 9b, and 9c. It deletes Section 9a(3) and adds new Sections 8g and 9d.

The changes to Circular A-127 are as follows:

- Section 7g: “Joint Financial Management Improvement Program (JFMIP)” is replaced by “Office of Federal Financial Management (OFFM).”
- Section 7i: “JFMIP” is replaced by “OFFM.”
- Section 8d is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:
 - 8d(1) Use of “Off-the-Shelf” Software. Agencies replacing software to meet core financial system requirements must use “off-the-shelf” software that has been tested and certified through the Chief Financial Officers Council (CFOC) software certification process as meeting OFFM core financial system requirements. Agencies may purchase this software or contract for a service that operates this software using the strategy and procurement vehicle they believe will best enable them to meet their needs in a timely and effective manner following the competition requirements associated with the procurement vehicle being used to conduct the acquisition.

OMB policy pertaining to using “off-the-shelf” software is contained in OMB Circular A-130 and must be followed when replacing financial management systems.

8d(2) Software Certification Testing. “Off-the-shelf” software will be tested to