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RADIOACTIVE SOURCES REGULATORY PARTNERSHIP WEBSITE NOW AVAILABLE (FSME-12-046)

Purpose: To announce the availability of website that provides information on U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) radioactive source-related assistance efforts.

Background: The Radiation Sources Regulatory Partnership (RSRP) is an NRC funded program that assists member country partners to strengthen regulatory control over the use of radiation sources and X-ray generators. The purpose of RSRP is to supplement the efforts of domestic regulatory authorities to improve safe and secure use of radiation sources. RSRP program elements follows major recommendations of Code of Conduct for Safe and Secure Use of Radiation Sources (IAEA, 2004). The RSRP website is the sister site to another NRC assistance initiative, the International Regulatory Development Partnership (IRDP)--http://irdpon line.org.

Discussion: The RSRP website can be found at: http://rsrp-online.org. If you are interested in the information on the website, you may register in order to receive access to downloadable material and periodic e-mail notifications.

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