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DRAFT REPORT FOR COMMENT: DECOMMISSIONING GUIDANCE UPDATES TO IMPLEMENT THE LICENSE TERMINATION RULE ANALYSIS (STP-05-074)

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has issued NUREG-1757, Supplement 1, Consolidated NMSS Decommissioning Guidance: Updates to Implement the License Termination Rule Analysis, Draft Report for Comment, for public comment. This draft Supplement is the first of periodic updates to NUREG-1757, "Consolidated NMSS Decommissioning Guidance," to reflect current NRC decommissioning policy. The draft supplement may be accessed on the NRC webpage at: www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/nuregs/staff/sr1757.

Draft Supplement 1 provides proposed additions and updates to guidance addressing the following issues, which were explored in an NRC staff analysis of the implementation of the License Termination Rule: restricted use and institutional controls; onsite disposal of radioactive materials; scenario justification based on reasonably foreseeable land use; intentional mixing of contaminated soil; and removal of material after license termination. It also provides new and revised guidance to address several other issues.

Please provide comments on this draft document, via email, to the contact named below by COB, December 30, 2005. Comments received after that date will be considered, if it is practical to do so. NRC will review public comments received on the draft document. Suggested changes will be incorporated, where appropriate, and a final document will be issued for use.

For further information and methods to submit comments, please refer to the September 29, 2005, Federal Register notice (70 FR 56940).

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