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ALL AGREEMENT STATES, MINNESOTA AND PENNSYLVANIA

**UPDATE ON STATUS OF AGREEMENT STATE ADOPTION OF 10 CFR PART 35
(STP-05-070)**

On April 24, 2002, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) published 10 CFR Part 35 "Medical Use of Byproduct Material" in the Federal Register. This regulation was revised in its entirety, along with selected sections of 10 CFR Parts 20 and 32. The regulation became effective for NRC licensees on October 24, 2002, and is located on the STP website at: <http://www.hsr.d.ornl.gov/nrc/home.html>, select "Everything Medical," then scroll down to the regulations section. Under Commission implementing procedures, Agreement States should adopt a compatible rule within three years of the effective date of NRC's rule; by October 24, 2005.

You should also note that on March 29, 2003, NRC amended 10 CFR Part 35, as published in the Federal Register, to address Training and Experience (T&E) issues. This amendment became effective for NRC licensees on April 29, 2005. Subpart J (the 10 CFR Part 35 T&E criteria) expires for NRC licensees on October 24, 2005. Agreement States should adopt a compatible 10 CFR Part 35 (T&E) amendment no later than April 29, 2008, three years following the April 29, 2005 effective date of NRC's rule.

Please take a moment to review and update the enclosed table on the current status of your State's 10 CFR Part 35 regulation. We would appreciate receiving your response no later than **October 21, 2005.***

If you have any questions on this correspondence, please contact me or the individual named below.

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Enclosure: As stated

* This information request has been approved by OMB 3150-0029, expiration 06/30/07. The estimated burden per response to comply with this voluntary collection is approximately 8 hours. Send comments regarding the burden estimate to the Records and FOIA/Privacy Services Branch (T-5F52), U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, or by Internet e-mail to infocollects@nrc.gov, and to the Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, NEOB-10202 (3150-0029), Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503. If a means used to impose an information collection does not display a currently valid OMB control number, the NRC may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, the information collection.

10 CFR Part 35 Medical Use of Byproduct Material Adoption Due Date 10/24/2005

| STATE | Status as of 10/21/2005 | Adopted (Y or N) | Date Adopted | Status NRC Review | Status Comments |
|--------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|--------------|---------------------------------|-----------------|
| ALABAMA | | NO | | | |
| ARIZONA | | NO | | | |
| ARKANSAS | | NO | | | |
| CALIFORNIA | | NO | | | |
| COLORADO | | NO | | | |
| FLORIDA | | NO | | | |
| GEORGIA | | YES | | Final Rule Reviewed 7/31/03 | |
| ILLINOIS | | YES | | Final Rule Reviewed 9/16/03 | |
| IOWA | | YES | | Final Rule Reviewed 2/4/04 | |
| KANSAS | | NO | | | |
| KENTUCKY | | YES | | Proposed Rule Reviewed 10/28/04 | |
| LOUISIANA | | NO | | | |
| MAINE | | YES | | Final Rule Reviewed 10/31/03 | |
| MARYLAND | | NO | | | |
| MASSACHUSETTS | | NO | | | |
| MINNESOTA (Negotiating) | | YES | | Final Rule Reviewed 9/9/04 | |
| MISSISSIPPI | | NO | | | |
| NEBRASKA | | NO | | | |
| NEVADA | | NO | | | |
| NEW HAMPSHIRE | | NO | | | |
| NEW MEXICO | | NO | | | |
| NY City Dept. of HEALTH | | NO | | | |
| NY State Dept. of HEALTH | | NO | | | |
| NY State Dept. of LABOR | | NO | | | |
| NORTH CAROLINA | | NO | | | |
| NORTH DAKOTA | | YES | | Final Rule Reviewed 4/28/03 | |
| OHIO | | YES | | Proposed Rule Reviewed 10/14/04 | |
| OKLAHOMA | | NO | | | |
| OREGON | | NO | | | |
| RHODE ISLAND | | YES | | Final Rule Reviewed 10/25/04 | |
| SOUTH CAROLINA | | NO | | | |
| TENNESSEE | | NO | | | |
| TEXAS | | NO | | | |
| UTAH | | NO | | | |
| WASHINGTON | | NO | | | |
| WISCONSIN | | YES | | Final Rule Reviewed 12/20/02 | |