

NRC INSPECTION MANUAL

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REMARKS: IMC 2515 (Light-water Reactor Inspection Program—Operations Phase) is revised to address changes to the inspection program in the event of a pandemic and to clarify baseline inspection program completion reporting requirements by the regions and the Office of Nuclear Safety and Incident Response (NSIR).

IMC 2515 Appendix A (Risk-informed Baseline Inspection Program) is revised to change the regional planning requirement from 12-month look-ahead to 18-month and to delete Attachment 3 - "Resource Estimates" since each inspection procedure contains a more up-to-date resource estimate.

IMC 2515 Appendix B (Supplemental Inspection Program) is revised to add Inspection Procedure 61726, "Surveillance Observations," to the list of inspection procedures to be used for assessing extent of condition.

IMC 2515 Appendix D (Plant Status) is revised to include a reference to Inspection Procedure 61706 for evaluating reactor power fluctuations and to update the Plant Status resource estimate. Also added is guidance to inspectors on being sensitive to licensee actions taken to address security concerns not adversely affecting reactor safety and emergency preparedness and guidance to inspectors on licensee actions taken to address reactor safety concerns not adversely affecting plant security.

IMC 2515 Appendix E (Inspection Program Modifications During a Pandemic) is issued to provide direction for modifying the baseline inspection program in the event of a pandemic.

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