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OMB Control No: 3150-0178**ICR Reference No:** 200608-3150-001**Status:** Received in OIRA**Previous ICR Reference No:** [200607-3150-005](#)**Agency/Subagency:** NRC**Agency Tracking No:****Title:** Nuclear material Events Database (NMED) for the Collection of Event Report, Response, Analyses, and Follow-up Data on Events Involving the Use of Atomic Energy Act Radioactive Material**Type of Information Collection:** Revision of a currently approved collection**Type of Review Request:** Regular**Date Submitted to OIRA:** 08/07/2006

	Requested	Previously Approved
Expiration Date	36 Months From Approved	07/31/2009
Responses	741	620
Time Burden (Hours)	756	1,240
Cost Burden (Dollars)	0	0

Abstract: NRC regulation require NRC regulations require licensees to report incidents and events involving the use of radioactive by-product material, and source material, such as those involving a radiation over-exposure, leaking or contaminated sealed source(s), release of excessive contamination of radioactive material, lost or stolen radioactive material, equipment failures, and abandoned well logging sources. NRC is requesting that the Agreement States provide information on the initial notification, response actions, and follow-up investigations on all events involving the use of nuclear materials regulated pursuant to the AEA. The event information should be provided in a uniform electronic format, for assessment and identification of any facilities/site specific or generic safety concerns that could have the potential to impact public health and safety. The identification and review of safety concerns may result in lessons learned, and may also identify generic issues for further study which could result in proposals for changes or revisions to technical or regulatory designs, processes, standards, guidance or requirements. Reporting is on a monthly basis except for significant events which must be reported within 24 hours because of safety or health concerns.

Authorizing Statute(s):**Citations for New Statutory Requirements:**

None

Associated Rulemaking Information

RIN:	Stage of Rulemaking:	Federal Register Citation:	Date:
	Not associated with rulemaking		

Federal Register Notices & Comments

60-day Notice:	Federal Register Citation:	Citation Date:
	71 FR 25861	05/02/2006
30-day Notice:	Federal Register Citation:	Citation Date:
	71 FR 44720	08/07/2006

Did the Agency receive public comments on this ICR? No

Number of Information Collection (IC) in this ICR: [1](#)

ICR Summary of Burden

	Total Request	Previously Approved	Change Due to New Statute	Change Due to Agency Discretion	Change Due to Adjustment in Estimate	Change Due to Violation of the PRA
Annual Number of Responses	741	620	0	0	121	0
Annual Time Burden (Hr)	756	1,240	0	0	-484	0
Annual Cost Burden (\$)	0	0	0	0	0	0

Burden increases because of Program Change due to Agency Discretion: No

Burden Increase Due to:

Burden decreases because of Program Change due to Agency Discretion: No

Burden Reduction Due to:

Short Statement: The overall burden hours for the Agreement States has decreased by 484 hours from 1,240 to 756. The 756 burden hours are based on an annual average of the number of reported events and associated event updates, as reported by the NMED contractor for fiscal years 2002, 2003, 2004, and 2005 and the increase of two Agreement States. The time required to respond to the information collection has been re-estimated and decreased from 2.0 hours to 1.0 hour based on increased Agreement State operational familiarity with the NMED software; decreased time associated with evaluating response activities and requests for Federal assistance; and increased familiarity with reporting requirements. This decrease in burden hours is based on information gathered from Agreement States and the NMED contractor responsible for data sorting, data entry, record review for completeness of information, and request from Agreement States for additional information, as necessary.

Annual Cost to Federal Government: \$737,039

Does this IC contain surveys, censuses, or employ statistical methods? No

Is the Supporting Statement intended to be a Privacy Impact Assessment required by the E-Government Act of 2002? No

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On behalf of this Federal agency, I certify that the collection of information encompassed by this request complies with [5 CFR 1320.9](#) and the related provisions of [5 CFR 1320.8\(b\)\(3\)](#).

The following is a summary of the topics, regarding the proposed collection of information, that the certification covers:

- ☒ (a) It is necessary for the proper performance of agency functions;
- ☒ (b) It avoids unnecessary duplication;
- ☒ (c) It reduces burden on small entities;
- ☒ (d) It uses plain, coherent, and unambiguous language that is understandable to respondents;
- ☒ (e) Its implementation will be consistent and compatible with current reporting and recordkeeping practices;
- ☐ (f) It indicates the retention periods for recordkeeping requirements;
- ☒ (g) It informs respondents of the information called for under 5 CFR 1320.8 (b)(3) about:
 - (i) Why the information is being collected;
 - (ii) Use of information;
 - (iii) Burden estimate;
 - (iv) Nature of response (voluntary, required for a benefit, or mandatory);
 - (v) Nature and extent of confidentiality; and
 - (vi) Need to display currently valid OMB control number;
- ☒ (h) It was developed by an office that has planned and allocated resources for the efficient and effective management and use of the information to be collected.
- ☒ (i) It uses effective and efficient statistical survey methodology (if applicable); and
- ☒ (j) It makes appropriate use of information technology.

If you are unable to certify compliance with any of these provisions, identify the item(s) and explain the reason in the Supporting Statement.

Certification Date: 08/07/2006

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