

WEEKLY REPORT TO THE COMMISSION  
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Letter to Be Signed by Executive Director for Operations

On June 22, 2012, the Executive Director for Operations (EDO) signed a letter to Ms. Penelope Randall of the Technical Associates/Overhoff Technology Corporation. Ms. Randall had requested that the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) amend its regulations to require upgraded and new technology in radionuclide monitoring instrumentation in nuclear power plants. The EDO informed Ms. Randall that her request did not meet the acceptance criteria for a petition for rulemaking.

Ms. Randall's request does not meet the NRC's acceptance criteria for a petition for rulemaking as codified in Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR), section 2.802, "Petition for Rulemaking," because it lacks the following: (1) grounds for the request; (2) a description of her interest in the requested action; (3) supporting documentation and other pertinent information with respect to relevant technical, scientific, or other data involved which is reasonably available and other pertinent information necessary to support the actions sought; and (4) any specific cases in which the petitioner is aware where the current rule is deficient or needs to be strengthened.

Ms. Randall has been advised that she must meet the criteria in 10 CFR 2.802 within 90 days from the date of the letter. The incoming petition for rulemaking and acceptance review letter to Ms. Randall are in the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System at Accession Nos. ML121280451 and ML121280539, respectively.