

This page provides an abstract, justification, and target dates for a potential rule that the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has prioritized in its Common Prioritization of Rulemaking listing.

Please visit the [Rulemaking Priorities](#) page on the NRC's public Web site for additional information about this page and to view the entire Common Prioritization of Rulemaking listing.

Low-Level Radioactive Waste Disposal				
Abstract				
The proposed regulations require Part 61 licensees to conduct site-specific analyses, including an intruder assessment, and make additional changes to the current regulations to reduce ambiguity and facilitate implementation.				
Justification				
<p>The rule scores 37 points (14,8,10,5) because of the following reasons:</p> <p>A. Moderate contributor toward one or more goals and implements multiple strategies in one or more goals (safety strategies 1 and 2).</p> <p>B. Moderate contributor toward multiple strategies (regulatory effectiveness strategies 1 and 2).</p> <p>C. Significant contributor toward one or more considerations. SRM-SECY-08-0147 directs staff to prepare this rule and it addresses a regulatory gap.</p> <p>D. There is significant interest in this rule from industry and stakeholders.</p>				
Start Dates	Reg Basis Completed	PR Sent to Comm/EDO	FR Sent to Comm/EDO	Publication Date
11/1/09	12/1/12	2/1/15	7/1/16	1/1/17