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NOTIFICATION OF AN UPCOMING WEBINAR ON SPENT FUEL STORAGE (STC-15-040)

Purpose: To provide notification that the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff will conduct an Introduction to Spent Fuel Storage Webinar on June 25, 2015, as part of the ongoing State Liaison Officers (SLOs) Webinar training series.

Background: As reactor spent fuel pools fill up, utilities turn to dry storage systems. Dry storage systems' designs vary. The NRC reviews and approves applications for dry storage systems and also inspects their usage. When fuel is stored for periods beyond their initial licensing term, utilities must demonstrate the management of environmental degradation on storage system components. This may be done through inspections or by performing analyses to show that a component can maintain its function, even in light of potential degradation.

Discussion: The NRC continues to seek ways to provide technical support for training and to engage States and Tribes on topics. This webinar will provide a broad overview of dry storage system designs, their licensing and oversight, and emerging regulatory and technical issues to the SLOs and radiological personnel.

This "Introduction to Spent Fuel Storage" webinar is scheduled for June 25, 2015, from 2 p.m. – 3 p.m. (ET). Participants must register in advance of the webinar at the following link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/4345088900003215618>.

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