

Nuclear Regulatory Commission
FOIA Officer
Mailstop: O-4 A15
Washington, DC 20555-0001

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT LETTER

Dear FOIA Officer,

This is a request under the Freedom of Information Act.

According to NUREG 1021 ES-205, section 2 paragraph (f):

Upon receiving the examination answer sheets from the facility licensees, the GFE [Generic Fundamentals Exam] contractor shall score, grade, and tabulate the overall item statistics, and generate facility and regional grade reports for each GFE examination. The contractor shall forward the regional and facility grade reports, including individual scores and copies of individual answer sheets, and corrected answer keys to the applicable regional office for distribution.

I request a copy of the *regional and facility grade reports, including individual scores* generated by the GFE grading contractor and submitted to the NRC regional offices from the March 2017 exam to the present. It is acceptable that individual names and individual docket numbers be redacted from the document. The main interest is to gather data on exam scores from each power station for each quarter to perform industry pass/fail trends and standard deviations based on each test associated with Generic Fundamentals Examination Series. If the regional and facility grade reports no longer include individual scores but rather just pass/fail information, I request a copy of the original individual answer sheets (with personal names and docket numbers redacted).

I am willing to pay fees for this request up to a maximum of \$150. If you estimate that the fees will exceed this limit, please inform me first.

Disclosure of the requested information to me is in the public interest because it is likely to contribute to public understanding of the operations or activities of the government.

Sincerely,



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