

From: [Jonathan Scott](#)
To: [Yin, Xiaosong](#)
Cc: [Mary Lou Dunzik-Gougar](#); [Schuster, William](#); [Tate, Travis](#); [Casto, Greg](#); [DeSouza, Michele](#)
Subject: [External_Sender] Re: FW: response needed
Date: Thursday, May 21, 2020 3:02:03 PM
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Mr. Yin,

The email covers all the topics and clarifications that we discussed on the phone call.

V/R,

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On May 21, 2020 at 12:36:29 PM, Yin, Xiaosong (xiaosong.yin@nrc.gov) wrote:

Jonathon,

I am forwarding this to you just in case Mary Lou is somewhere not in the office. We need your (ISU) response asap.

Thanks,

Xiaosong

From: Yin, Xiaosong
Sent: Thursday, May 21, 2020 11:48 AM
To: Mary Lou Dunzik-Gougar <mldg@isu.edu>
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Subject: response needed
Importance: High

Mary Lou,

This email is a follow-up to our recent telephone conversation. The NRC staff understood the conversation as you requesting that, in addition to 10 CFR 55.53(e), the NRC approve an exemption from 10 CFR 55.53(f) for licensed operators at ISU such that if they had failed, before the issuance of the 10 CFR 55.53(e) exemption, to perform licensed functions for a minimum of four hours per quarter due to the COVID-19 public health emergency, they would not have to meet the requirements of 10 CFR 55.53(f) before resuming licensed functions. The NRC staff also understood that you proposed the same compensatory measures for the 10 CFR 55.53(f) exemption as for the previously requested 10 CFR 55.53(e) exemption. Finally, the NRC staff understood that you were also requesting for these compensatory measures to satisfy the "Additional training" requirement of 10 CFR 55.59(b) in the event that licensed operators would not be able to comply with the active status and the resumption of licensed functions requirements of the ISU requalification program.

Please respond whether this is a correct understanding of your request and then the NRC will be able to complete its review of the request.

Thank,

Xiaosong Yin

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