



MISSISSIPPI STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

January 13, 2021

Theresa Clark, Deputy Director, MSST/NMSS
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555-0001

Dear Ms. Clark:

Revisions were made to the Mississippi State Department of Health regulations after the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's review identified several corrections that needed to be changed for compatibility in a letter dated October 25, 2018. The regulations have been revised again to incorporate the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's comments and requirements of the equivalent regulations to adopt by reference NRC regulations 10 CFR Parts 19, 20, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 39, 40, 70, 71, and 150.

As a result of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's review, three (3) comments were identified. We understand that by making the changes in the Mississippi State Department of Health regulations, and without any other significant change, they would meet the compatibility and health and safety categories established in the Office of Federal and State Materials and Environmental Management Programs (FSME) Procedure SA-200. We also made a change to Subchapter 16, where we deleted the reference to 10 CFR 37.43(d)(9) that it was not adopted by reference. Reviewed RATS 2018-1, 2018-2, 2018-3, 2019-1, and 2019-2 with no changes that appeared to be needed. The corrections and changes made to our regulations are being sent by email.

These corrections to the Mississippi State Department of Health Regulations for Control of Radiation were approved by the Mississippi State Board of Health on January 13, 2021, and filed with the Mississippi Secretary of State.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 601-987-6893.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "B. J. Smith".

B. J. Smith, Director
Division of Radiological Health
Mississippi State Department of Health