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### Subpart A—General Provisions

#### § 950.1 Purpose.

The purpose of this part is to facilitate the construction and full power operation of new advanced nuclear facilities by providing risk insurance for certain delays attributed to the Nu-

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clear Regulatory Commission regulatory process or to litigation.

#### § 950.2 Scope and applicability.

This part sets forth the policies and procedures for the award and administration of Standby Support Contracts between the Department and sponsors of new advanced nuclear facilities.

#### § 950.3 Definitions.

For the purposes of this part:

*Act* means the Energy Policy Act of 2005.

*Advanced nuclear facility* means any nuclear facility the reactor design for which is approved after December 31, 1993, by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (and such design or a substantially similar design of comparable capacity was not approved on or before that date).

*Available indemnification* means \$500 million with respect to the initial two reactors and \$250 million with respect to the subsequent four reactors.

*Claims administrator* means the official in the Department of Energy responsible for the administration of the Standby Support Contracts, including the responsibility to approve or disapprove claims submitted by a sponsor for payment of covered costs under the Standby Support Contract.

*Combined license* means a combined construction and operating license (COL) for an advanced nuclear facility issued by the Commission.

*Commencement of construction* means the point in time when a sponsor initiates the pouring of safety-related concrete for the reactor building.

*Commission* means the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC).

*Conditional Agreement* means a contractual agreement between the Department and a sponsor under which the Department will execute a Standby Support Contract with the sponsor if and only if the sponsor is one of the first six sponsors to satisfy the conditions precedent to execution of a Standby Support Contract, and if funding and other applicable contractual, statutory and regulatory requirements are satisfied.

*Construction* means the construction activities related to the advanced nuclear facility encompassed in the time