continued effectiveness in maintaining compliance with the applicable standard.

Agency: Mine Safety and Health Administration.

Type of Review: Extension of currently approved collection.

Title: Underground Retorts.

OMB Number: 1219–0096.

Frequency: On occasion.

Type of Response: Reporting.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit.

Number of Respondents: 1.

Estimated Number of Annual Responses: 1.

Average Response Time: 160 hours.

Estimated Annual Burden Hours: 160.

Total Annualized capital/startup costs: $0.

Total Annual Costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services): $0.

Description: This regulation pertains to the safety requirements to be followed by the mine operators in the use of underground retorts to extract oil from shale by heat or fire. Prior to ignition of retorts, the mine operator must submit a written plan indicating the acceptable levels of combustible gases and oxygen; specifications and location of off-gas monitoring procedures and equipment; procedures for ignition of retorts and details of area monitoring and alarm systems for hazardous gases and actions to be taken to assure safety of miners.

Plans for operating retorts are required because the retort process involves the use of fire in an underground mine in which hazardous gases may be present. Approved retort plans are monitored by MSHA to ensure that combustible gases are kept at acceptable levels and do not expose the miners to explosive or other hazardous conditions.

Ira L. Mills,

Departmental Clearance Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Office of the Secretary

Submission for OMB Review: Comment Request

June 21, 2006.

The Department of Labor (DOL) has submitted the following public information collection request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104–13, 44 U.S.C. chapter 35). A copy of this ICR, with applicable supporting documentation, may be obtained by contacting Ira Mills at the Department of Labor on 202–693–4122 (this is not a toll-free number) or E-Mail: *Mills.Ira@dol.gov.* This ICR can also be accessed online at *http://www.doleta.gov/OMBCN/OMBControlNumber.cfm.*

Comments should be sent to Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn: OMB Desk Officer for ETA, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503, 202–395–7316 (this is not a toll free number), within 30 days from the date of this publication in the **Federal Register**.

The OMB is particularly interested in comments which:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, *e.g.*, permitting electronic submission of responses.

Agency: Employment and Training Administration (ETA).

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Title: Unemployment Insurance Title XII Advances and Voluntary Repayment Process.

OMB Number: 1205–0199.

Frequency: On occasion.

Affected Public: State, local, or tribal government.

Type of Response: Reporting.

Number of Respondents: 7.

Annual Responses: 56.

Average Response Time: 1 hour.

Total Annual Burden Hours: 56.

Total Annualized Capital/Startup Costs: 0.

Total Annual Costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services): 37.

Description: This information collection is necessary to continue the process of requesting advances and repaying advances through correspondence from Governors and the Secretary of Labor.

Ira L. Mills,

Departmental Clearance Officer/Team Leader.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Committee Management Renewals

The NSF management officials having responsibility for the advisory committees listed below have determined that renewing these groups for another two years is necessary and in the public interest in connection with the performance of duties imposed upon the Director, National Science Foundation (NSF), by 42 U.S.C. 1861 et seq. This determination follows consultation with the Committee Management Secretariat, General Services Administration.

CNo	Committee name
1173	Committee on Equal Opportunities in Science and Engineering.
13853	Advisory Committee for GPRA Performance Assessment.
1171	Advisory Committee for Social Behavioral and Economic Sciences.
9956	Business and Operations Advisory Committee.
1209	Proposal Review Panel for Polar Programs.
1185	Proposal Review Panel for Cyberinfrastructure.
1115	Advisory Committee for Computer and Information Science and Engineering.
1192	Proposal Review Panel for Computing & Communication Foundations.
1200	Proposal Review Panel for Information and Intelligent Systems.
1207	Proposal Review Panel for Computer and Network Systems.
57	Proposal Review Panel for Graduate Education.
59	Proposal Review Panel for Elementary Secondary & Informal Education.

CNo	Committee name
1198	Proposal Review Panel for Experimental Programs to Stimulate Competitive Research.
1199	Proposal Review Panel for Human Resource Development.
1210	Proposal Review Panel for Research Evaluation and Communication.
1214	Proposal Review Panel for Undergraduate Education.
173	Proposal Review Panel for Engineering Education and Centers.
1189	Proposal Review Panel for Bioengineering and Environmental Systems.
1190	Proposal Review Panel for Chemical and Transport Systems.
1194	Proposal Review Panel for Design and Manufacturing Innovation.
1196	Proposal Review Panel for Electrical and Communications Systems.
1205	Proposal Review Panel for Civil and Mechanical Systems.
66	Advisory Committee for Mathematical and Physical Sciences.
1186	Proposal Review Panel for Astronomical Sciences.
1191	Proposal Review Panel for Chemistry.
1203	Proposal Review Panel for Materials Research.
1204	Proposal Review Panel for Mathematical Sciences.
1208	Proposal Review Panel for Physics.

Effective date for renewal is June 30, 2006. For more information, please contact Susanne Bolton, NSF, at (703) 292–7488.

Dated: June 23, 2006.

Susanne Bolton,

Committee Management Officer.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. 70–36, 70–1151]

Notice of Consideration of Request for Consent to Transfer of Materials Licenses Westinghouse Electric Company

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Notice of consideration of request from Westinghouse Electric Company for consent to transfer of materials licenses.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Introduction

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is considering approval of an application (the application) from Westinghouse Electric Company (Westinghouse), submitted on April 21, 2006, for consent to indirect change of control with respect to materials licenses, from its parent company British Nuclear Fuels PLC (BNFL) to Toshiba Corporation (Toshiba).

The filing and requested NRC consent is necessitated by the planned sale by BNFL of its entire interest in Westinghouse to Toshiba. The applicant described the transaction as follows: BNFL currently controls all interest in Westinghouse through its wholly owned holding company, BNFL USA Group, Inc. (BNFL USA). To accomplish the purchase of all of BNFL's interest in Westinghouse, Toshiba would form an intermediate holding company (NewCo), which would subsequently issue its shares to Toshiba and possibly other minority investors. Toshiba, however, would maintain ownership over a majority of shares in NewCo (51% or more of the membership interest). Once complete, BNFL will sell 100% of its shares of BNFL USA (and Westinghouse) to NewCo. Therefore, through its majority ownership of NewCo, and NewCo's entire ownership of Westinghouse, Toshiba would maintain indirect control of Westinghouse. The applicant stated that Toshiba would at all times maintain majority control of at least 51% of the membership interest in Westinghouse, and that no minority ownership would constitute a change of control of Westinghouse.

The application states that there would be no change to Westinghouse's operations, corporate structure, key operating personnel or licensed activities as a result of the transaction and the indirect change of control. Westinghouse would remain a U.S. company and would continue to be headquartered in Pittsburgh, PA. Westinghouse would continue to be the holder of the licenses, approvals, and certificates listed above after the closing of the transaction and the indirect change of control. Westinghouse will remain technically and financially qualified as the licensee and will continue to fulfill all responsibilities as the licensee. The application states that no amendments to the licenses, approvals, and certificates will be necessary in connection with this request for consent.

This license transfer, if approved, would affect Special Nuclear Material Licenses SNM–33 and SNM–1107. License SNM–33 authorizes Westinghouse to possess and use source, special nuclear, and byproduct material at its former fuel fabrication facility in Hematite, Missouri, for the purpose of decommissioning the facility. License SNM–1107 authorizes Westinghouse to possess and use source, special nuclear, and byproduct material at the Columbia Fuel Fabrication Facility in Columbia, South Carolina.

Pursuant to 10 CFR 70.36, no license granted under the regulations in Part 70 and no right to possess or utilize special nuclear material granted by any license issued pursuant to the regulations in Part 70 shall be transferred, assigned or in any manner disposed of, either voluntarily or involuntarily, directly or indirectly, through transfer of control of any license to any person unless the Commission shall, after securing full information, find that the transfer is in accordance with the provisions of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (AEA), and shall give its consent in writing. The Commission will approve an application for the transfer of a license if the Commission determines that the proposed transferee is qualified to hold the license, and that the transfer is otherwise consistent with applicable provisions of law, regulations, and orders issued by the Commission pursuant thereto. An Environmental Assessment (EA) will not be performed because this action is categorically excluded from the requirement to perform an EA pursuant to 10 CFR 51.22(c)(21).