



Public Notice

The New Mexico Environment Department, Environmental Protection Division, Radiation Control Bureau is announcing that it is scheduling a virtual meeting of the Radiation Technical Advisory Council on June 21, 2022 at 10:00 a.m. to discuss the NRC amendments to the Radiation Protection Rules, 20.3 NMAC.

Due to the concerns surrounding the Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) and in accordance with Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham's Declaration of a Public Health Emergency in Executive Order 2020-004, and subsequent executive orders; various Public Health Emergency Orders limiting mass gatherings due to COVID-19; and the Office of the Attorney General's Open Government Division's Guidance to Public Entities Regarding the Open Meetings Act and Inspection of Public Records Act Compliance During COVID-19 State of Emergency, this meeting will be held remotely.

The proposed revisions include the following five parts:

- 20.3.3 NMAC "Licensing of Radioactive Materials";
- 20.3.5 NMAC "Radiation Safety Requirements for Industrial Radiographers";
- 20.3.7 NMAC "General Regulatory Requirements"
- 20.3.12 NMAC "Licenses and Radiation Safety Requirements for Well Logging";
- and
- 20.3.15 NMAC "Licenses and Radiation Safety Requirements for Irradiators"

New Mexico must maintain a Radiation Protection Program compatible with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission ("NRC"). This includes revising New Mexico rules to conform to changes in the federal regulations. A copy of the proposed NRC amendments to the Radiation Protection Rules can be reviewed and downloaded from the Department website:

<https://www.env.nm.gov/rcb/public-notice-of-radioactive-material-licensing-actions/>.

A copy of the Agenda for the meeting can be reviewed and downloaded from the Department website:

<https://www.env.nm.gov/rcb/public-notice-of-radioactive-material-licensing-actions/>

The meeting will commence at 10:00 a.m. online via Zoom.

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