

b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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## NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

### Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC).

**ACTION:** Notice of pending NRC action to submit an information collection request to OMB and solicitation of public comment.

**SUMMARY:** The NRC is preparing a submittal to OMB for review of continued approval of information collection under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

Information pertaining to the requirement to be submitted.

- The title of the information collection:*  
NRC Form 4, "Cumulative Occupational Exposure History"  
NRC Form 5, "Occupational Exposure Record for a Monitoring Period"
- Current OMB approval number:*  
NRC Form 4: 3150-0005  
NRC Form 5: 3150-0006
- How often the collection is required:*  
NRC Form 4: Occasionally  
NRC Form 5: Annually
- Who is required or asked to report:*  
Licensees who are required to comply with 10 CFR Part 20.
- The number of annual respondents:*  
NRC Form 4: 286 (104 reactor sites and 182)  
NRC Form 5: 5,400 (104 reactor sites and 5,296 materials licensees)
- The number of hours needed annually to complete the requirement or request:*  
NRC Form 4: 11,531 hours or an average of 0.5 hours per response.  
NRC Form 5: 66,682 hours (55,242 hours for recordkeeping hours or an average of 10 hours per recordkeeper and 11,440 hours for reporting hours or an average of 40 hours per response).
- Abstract:* NRC Form 4 is used to record the summary of an individual's cumulative occupational radiation dose for the current year to ensure that dose does not exceed regulatory limits. NRC Form 5 is used to record and

report the results of individual monitoring for an occupational dose from radiation during a one-year period to ensure regulatory compliance with annual dose limits.

Submit, by July 17, 2001, comments that address the following questions:

1. Is the proposed collection of information necessary for the NRC to properly perform its functions? Does the information have practical utility?
2. Is the burden estimate accurate?
3. Is there a way to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected?
4. How can the burden of the information collection be minimized, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology?

A copy of the draft supporting statement may be viewed free of charge at the NRC Public Document Room, One White Flint North, 11555 Rockville Pike, Room O-1 F23, Rockville, MD 20852. OMB clearance requests are available at the NRC worldwide web site: <http://www.nrc.gov/NRC/PUBLIC/OMB/index.html>. The document will be available on the NRC home page site for 60 days after the signature date of this notice.

Comments and questions about the information collection requirements may be directed to the NRC Clearance Officer, Brenda Jo. Shelton, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission T-6 E6, Washington, DC 20555-0001, by telephone at 301-415-7233, or by Internet electronic mail at [BJS1@NRC.GOV](mailto:BJS1@NRC.GOV).

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 14th day of May 2001.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Release No. 35-27397]

### Filings Under the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, as Amended ("Act")

May 11, 2001.

Notice is hereby given that the following filing(s) has/have been made with the Commission pursuant to provisions of the Act and rules promulgated under the Act. All interested persons are referred to the application(s) and/or declaration(s) for

complete statements of the proposed transaction(s) summarized below. The application(s) and/or declaration(s) and any amendment(s) is/are available for public inspection through the Commission's Branch of Public Reference.

Interested persons wishing to comment or request a hearing on the application(s) and/or declaration(s) should submit their views in writing by June 5, 2001, to the Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, Washington, DC 20549-0609, and serve a copy on the relevant applicant(s) and/or declarant(s) at the address(es) specified below. Proof of service (by affidavit or, in the case of an attorney at law, by certificate) should be filed with the request. Any request for hearing should identify specifically the issues of facts or law that are disputed. A person who so requests will be notified of any hearing, if ordered, and will receive a copy of any notice or order issued in the matter. After June 5, 2001, the application(s) and/or declaration(s), as filed or as amended, may be granted and/or permitted to become effective.

#### National Grid USA, et al. (70-9089)

National Grid USA ("Grid"), a registered public utility holding company, and its electric public utility subsidiary companies, Massachusetts Electric Company, (The Narragansett Electric Company, New England Electric Transmission Corporation, New England Hydro-Transmission Electric Company, Inc., New England Hydro-Transmission Corporation, New England Power Company, New England Energy Incorporated, and National Grid USA Service Company, Inc. ("Service Company"), all located at 25 Research Drive, Westborough, Massachusetts 01582, and Granite State Electric Company, 407 Miracle Mile, Suite 1, Lebanon, New Hampshire 03766, Nantucket Electric Company, 25 Fairgrounds Road, Nantucket, Massachusetts 02554, and the Narragansett Electric Company, 280 Melrose Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02901 (collectively, "Applicants") have filed a post-effective amendment to their application-declaration under sections 6(a), 7, 9(a), 10 and 12 of the Act and rule 43, 45 and 54 under the Act. The Commission issued a notice describing various proposed financing transactions on January 26, 2001 (Holding Co. Act Release No. 27340), and a supplemental order authorizing those transactions was issued on April 19, 2001 (Holding Co. Act Release No. 27381) ("April Order"). This supplemental notice describes Applicants' proposal to engage in