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ALL AGREEMENT STATES, MICHIGAN, NEW JERSEY, VIRGINIA

**PROJECTED INTEGRATED MATERIALS PERFORMANCE EVALUATION PROGRAM
(IMPEP) SCHEDULES FOR FISCAL YEARS (FY) 2010-2012 (FSME-09-018)**

Purpose: To request comments from Agreement State program staff on upcoming Integrated Materials Performance Evaluation Program (IMPEP) reviews.

Background: Annually, NRC provides to the Agreement States the IMPEP schedules. This is to ensure that Agreement State personnel have advanced notice of the projected schedule for upcoming reviews.

Discussion: Enclosed for your review and comments are the Projected IMPEP Schedule: FY 2010-2012 and Draft Schedule for IMPEP Reviews: FY 2010. **We would appreciate receiving any comments regarding the timing of an IMPEP review projected for FY 2010 within 30 days from the date of this letter***. Once we have received any comments on the proposed schedule for FY 2010, we will issue a more complete draft schedule that includes designation of team members and estimated dates for Management Review Board meetings.

If you have any questions regarding this communication, please contact me at 301-415-3340 or the individual named below.

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Enclosure: Projected IMPEP Schedules

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PROJECTED IMPEP SCHEDULE FY 2010 – 2012		
FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012
NRC Region I	NRC Region III	AZ
AR	FL	CA
AL	IA	GA
CO	MD	KY
KS	ME	LA
MA	ND	MN
NE	NJ¹	NH
OK	NY	RI
PA	SC	TN
TX	UT	WA
	VA¹	

DRAFT SCHEDULE FOR IMPEP REVIEWS FY 2010	
Program	Proposed Date
Arkansas	October 19-23, 2009
Pennsylvania	November 2009
Texas	February 2010
NRC Region I	March 2010
Arizona (followup)	April 2010
Colorado	April 2010
Alabama	May 2010
Kansas	June 2010
Massachusetts	July 2010
Oklahoma	August 2010
Nebraska	September 2010

¹ Based on current projections for becoming an Agreement State.

Enclosure