

competitive energy production choices. TVA's integrated resource plan, Energy Vision 2020, identified the need for a flexible range of options and alternatives to meet, among other things, the Tennessee Valley region's new base-load power supply needs through the year 2020. Recent record-breaking energy demands in the Tennessee Valley have reinforced TVA's obligation to provide ample safe, economic, reliable, and environmentally responsible sources of electric power. Fulfilling this responsibility, TVA seeks to maintain a robust and flexible range of generating options. These uncertainties, and the delay due to the extended construction inactivity at the site, provide good cause for extending the construction permits for Bellefonte Nuclear Plant, Units 1 and 2.

The NRC notes that there is renewed interest in completing at least Bellefonte Unit 1, possibly with financial assistance from outside parties. Recent NRC inspections have also verified that TVA is appropriately maintaining the Bellefonte units in a condition for continuation of construction and ultimate licensing for operation.

II

The NRC staff has concluded that good cause has been shown for the delays, the extensions are sought for a reasonable period, and this action involves no significant hazards consideration. The basis for these conclusions is given in the staff's Safety Evaluation.

The NRC staff has prepared an Environmental Assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact, which was published in the **Federal Register** on January 24, 2003 (68 FR 3571). Pursuant to 10 CFR 51.32, the Commission has determined that extending the construction completion dates will have no significant impact on the environment.

For further details with respect to the proposed action, see the licensee's letter dated July 11, 2001. Documents may be examined, and/or copied for a fee, at the NRC's Public Document Room (PDR), located at One White Flint North, Public File Area O1 F21, 11555 Rockville Pike (first floor), Rockville, Maryland. Publicly available records will be accessible electronically from the Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) Public Electronic Reading Room on the Internet at the NRC Web site, <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>. Persons who do not have access to ADAMS or who encounter problems in accessing the documents located in ADAMS, should contact the NRC PDR

Reference staff by telephone at 1-800-397-4209 or 301-415-4737, or by e-mail to pdr@nrc.gov.

III

It is hereby ordered that the latest construction completion date for Construction Permit No. CPPR-122 is extended to October 1, 2011, and the latest construction completion date for Construction Permit No. CPPR-123 is extended to October 1, 2014.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.
Dated in Rockville, Maryland this 4th day of March, 2003.

Richard W. Borchardt,

Acting Director, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation.

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OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request for Reclearance of a Revised Information Collection: Forms RI 38-117, 38-118, and 37-22

AGENCY: Office of Personnel Management.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, May 22, 1995 and 5 CFR 1320), this notice announces that the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget a request for reclearance of a revised information collection. RI 38-117, Rollover Election, is used to collect information from each payee affected by a change in the tax code (Pub. L. 107-16) so that OPM can make payment in accordance with the wishes of the payee. RI 38-118, Rollover Information, explains the election. RI 37-22, Special Tax Notice Regarding Rollovers, provides more detailed information.

Approximately 1,500 RI 38-117 forms will be completed annually. We estimate it takes approximately 30 minutes to complete the form. The annual burden is 750 hours.

For copies of this proposal, contact Mary Beth Smith-Toomey on (202) 606-8358, FAX (202) 418-3251 or E-mail to mbtoomey@opm.gov. Please include your mailing address with your request.

DATES: Comments on this proposal should be received within 30 calendar days from the date of this publication.

ADDRESSES: Send or deliver comments to—

Ronald W. Melton, Chief, Operations Support Division, Retirement and

Insurance Service, U.S. Office of Personnel Management, 1900 E Street, NW, Room 3349A, Washington, DC 20415-3450. and Stuart Shapiro, OPM Desk Officer, Office of Information & Regulatory Affairs, New Executive Office Building, NW., Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503.

For information regarding administrative coordination— contact: Cyrus S. Benson, Team Leader, Desktop Publishing & Printing Team, Budget and Administrative Services Division, (202) 606-0623.

U.S. Office of Personnel Management.

Kay Coles James,

Director.

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OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

Excepted Service

AGENCY: Office of Personnel Management.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This gives notice of OPM decisions, granting authority to make appointments under Schedule C in the excepted service as required by 5 CFR 6.1 and 213.103.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Pam Shivery, Director, Washington Service Center, Employment Service (202) 606-1015.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Appearing in the listing below are the individual authorities established under Schedule C between January 1, 2003 and January 31, 2003. Future notices will be published on the fourth Tuesday of each month, or as soon as possible thereafter. A consolidated listing of all authorities as of June 30 is published each year.

Schedule C

Appalachian Regional Commission

Confidential Policy Advisor to the Federal Co-Chairman. Effective January 16, 2003.

Broadcasting Board of Governors

Special Assistant to the Chairman, Broadcasting Board of Governors. Effective January 21, 2003.

Special Assistant to the Chairman, Broadcasting Board of Governors. Effective January 23, 2003.

Commission on Civil Rights

Special Assistant to the Commissioner. Effective January 17, 2003.