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ALL AGREEMENT STATES  
MINNESOTA, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, WISCONSIN

**TECHNICAL INFORMATION: PILOT PROGRAM FOR STREAMLINING NUCLEAR MEDICINE INSPECTION AND ENFORCEMENT (SP-00-029)**

This is to announce the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (NRC's) upcoming training activities for the new Pilot Inspection Program. The Pilot Inspection Program was established to refocus the inspection efforts of NRC-licensed nuclear medicine programs on safety and program outcomes through examination of specific risk informed Focus Elements. This inspection program is described in the NRC staff's memorandum to the Commission, Pilot Program for Nuclear Materials Safety and Safeguards Initiative on Streamlining Inspection and Enforcement, SECY-00-0001, dated January 3, 2000. This SECY paper can be accessed at:  
<http://www.nrc.gov/NRC/COMMISSION/SECYS/index.html>.

During the recent All Agreement States meeting, many States expressed interest in the new inspection program and associated training. The training will be conducted by two teleconferences. One will be provided from NRC Region I in King of Prussia, Pennsylvania on April 10, 2000 at 9:00 a.m. and the second teleconference from NRC Headquarters in Rockville, Maryland on April 24, 2000 at 9:00 a.m. Both teleconferences are currently scheduled to run until noon. A videotape of one of the training sessions will also be available for viewing at a later date.

Should you be interested in attending this training at the indicated locations or by teleconference, or are interested in viewing the videotape of the session at a later date, please contact Mohamad Shanbaky at King of Prussia, Pennsylvania at 610-337-5209 or Internet: MMS1@NRC.GOV or Dr. Ronald Zelac at Rockville, Maryland at 301-415-6316 or Internet: REZ@NRC.GOV.

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