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GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN

PAKISTAN NUCLEAR REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NOTIFICATIONS

Islamabad, the 3rd November, 2008

S.R.O. 1150 (I) /2008 - In exercise of the powers conferred by section 56 read with sub-section 2(a) of section 16 of Pakistan Nuclear Regulatory Authority Ordinance, 2001 (III of 2001), Pakistan Nuclear Regulatory Authority is pleased to revise the "Regulations on Licensing Fee by Pakistan Nuclear Regulatory Authority – (PAK/900) (Rev. 0)". The revised regulations are promulgated as follows:

1. Short title, extent and commencement.—(1) These regulations may be called "Regulations on Licensing Fee by Pakistan Nuclear Regulatory Authority – (PAK/900) (Rev. 1)".

(2) These regulations shall come into force at once with effect from 1st July 2008.

(3) These regulations extend to the whole of Pakistan.

2. Definitions - In these regulations, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,

(a) "Authority" means Pakistan Nuclear Regulatory Authority established under section 3 of the Ordinance.

(b) "Chairman" means chairman of the Authority.

(c) "licence" means a licence issued under section 19 of the Ordinance.

(d) "Ordinance" means Pakistan Nuclear Regulatory Authority Ordinance 2001 (Ordinance No. III of 2001).

3. Interpretation - The decision of the Chairman regarding interpretation of any word or phrase of these regulations or applicability of these regulations shall be final and binding on the licensee.

4. Licensing fee - Licensing fee for installations requiring licence under section 19 of the Ordinance shall be as follows:

(a) **Licensing and Renewal Fee -**

| No. | Facility | Licence fee (Rupees) | Annual renewal Fee (Rupees) |
|-----|--|----------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 1. | Full-fledged medical centre which Include: a) Radiotherapy center where radiation apparatus such as Linear Accelerator, Betatron, Cobalt-60, Cesium-137, Deep X-ray therapy etc. are installed b) Nuclear Medical center, where diagnostic apparatus such as Gamma Camera, Linear Scanner, RIA equipment etc are installed | 300,000 | 150,000 |
| 2. | Radiotherapy Centre or Nuclear Medical Centre or Nuclear Cardiology Centre. | 200,000 | 100,000 |
| 3. | Laboratory used for Radio- Immunno-Assay (tests), research, teaching etc. | 40,000 | 20,000 |
| 4. | X-ray machine used for diagnosis in clinics, hospitals, nursing homes etc., have tube current of: | | |
| | a) 50 mA or less | 1,000 | 500 |
| | b) From 51 mA to 200 mA | 2,000 | 1,000 |
| | c) From 201mA to 500 mA | 3,000 | 1,500 |
| | d) More than 500 mA | 5,000 | 2,500 |
| | e) C.T Scanner | 10,000 | 5,000 |
| 5. | X-Ray therapy unit | 20,000 | 10,000 |
| 6. | Industrial Radiography unit and other related facility such as gas mantle manufacturer , oil well logging etc. | 150,000 | 75,000 |
| 7. | Nuclear Power Plant: | | |
| | a) Construction licence | 120 million | |
| | b) Operating licence per unit | 150 million | 12 million |
| 8. | Nuclear Research Reactor : | | |
| | a) Construction licence | 4.2 million | |
| | b) Operating licence per unit | 6.6 million | 600,000 |
| 9. | Nuclear fuel enrichment & fabrication facility: | | |
| | a) Construction licence | 48 million | |
| | b) Operating licence per unit | 60 million | 6 million |
| 10. | Mining and Milling Facility: | | |
| | a) Construction licence | 5.76 million | |
| | b) Operating licence per unit | 7.2 million | 1.2 million |

| No. | Facility | Licence fee (Rupees) | Annual renewal Fee (Rupees) |
|-----|--|---|-----------------------------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 11. | Conversion facility: | | |
| | a) Construction licence | 9.6 million | |
| | b) Operating licence per unit | 12 million | 3 million |
| 12. | Waste repository: | | |
| | a) Construction licence | 28.8 million | |
| | b) Operating licence per unit | 36 million | 1.2 million |
| 13. | Entry into Pakistan and stay of nuclear powered vehicle per visit per week or part of week thereof | 200,000 | |
| 14. | Food irradiation facility and sterilization of medical products facility. | 200,000 | 100,000 |
| 15. | Importers/exporters/manufacturers of radioisotopes/radiation apparatus | 100,000 | 50,000 |
| 16. | Nuclear Safety Class Equipment and Component Manufacturers | | |
| | a) Safety Class-I | 5.5 million + Actual Expenditure | 1.1 million |
| | b) Safety Class-II | 2.2 million + Actual Expenditure | 1.1 million |
| | c) Safety Class-III | 1.1 million + Actual Expenditure | 1.1 million |
| | Manufacturing Permit Fee For inspection of each type of equipment to be manufactured | As per actual expenditure (To be determined jointly) | |
| 17. | Licence amendment fee | Half the amount of the renewal fee of that licence | |
| 18. | Re-licence of nuclear installation (Sr. Nos. 7 to 12) | To be decided by PNRA on case to case basis but in any case not less than fifty per cent (50%) of the current fee for issuance of an operation licence. | |
| 19. | Any type of licence not covered above | To be decided by PNRA on case to case basis | |

(b) Late payment / surcharge:

(i) The fees described above are for calendar year January-December, and are due on 1st January of each year. In case of late payment of licence renewal fee, the following schedule shall apply.

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| 1 | Renewal fee credited to PNRA account in the month of February. | Renewal fee + 5% of the renewal fee as surcharge in the year in which it falls due. |
| 2 | Renewal fee credited to PNRA account in the month of March. | Renewal fee + 10% of the renewal fee as surcharge in the year in which it falls due. |
| 3 | Renewal fee credited to PNRA account in the month of April. | Renewal fee + 20% of the renewal fee as surcharge in the year in which it falls due. |
| 4 | Renewal fee credited to PNRA account in the month of May. | Renewal fee + 30% of the renewal fee as surcharge in the year in which it falls due. |
| 5 | Renewal fee credited to PNRA account in the month of June. | Renewal fee + 40% of the renewal fee as surcharge in the year in which it falls due. |

(ii) Thereafter, cases of non-payment of licence renewal fee will be dealt as per section 44 of the Ordinance.

5. Payment of licensing fee. – Each application for licence for which a fee is prescribed shall be accompanied by a remittance for the full amount of the fee in the name of “*Director (Finance), PNRA, Islamabad*”.

6. Increase in licensing fee. – An annual increase of 10% in the licensing fee shall be applicable for all the facilities and activities tabulated in regulation 4.

7. Repeal. – The SRO 373(I)/2007 and schedule-1 of SRO 957(I)/90 and its amendments SRO 694(I)/96, SRO 770(I)/2007 and SRO 901(I)/2003 are hereby repealed.

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