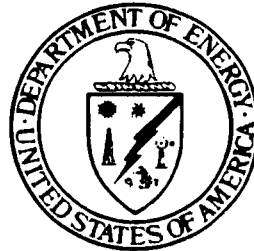


# **Status of Systems Safety and Human Factors Planning**

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# TOPICS

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- **SYSTEM SAFETY**
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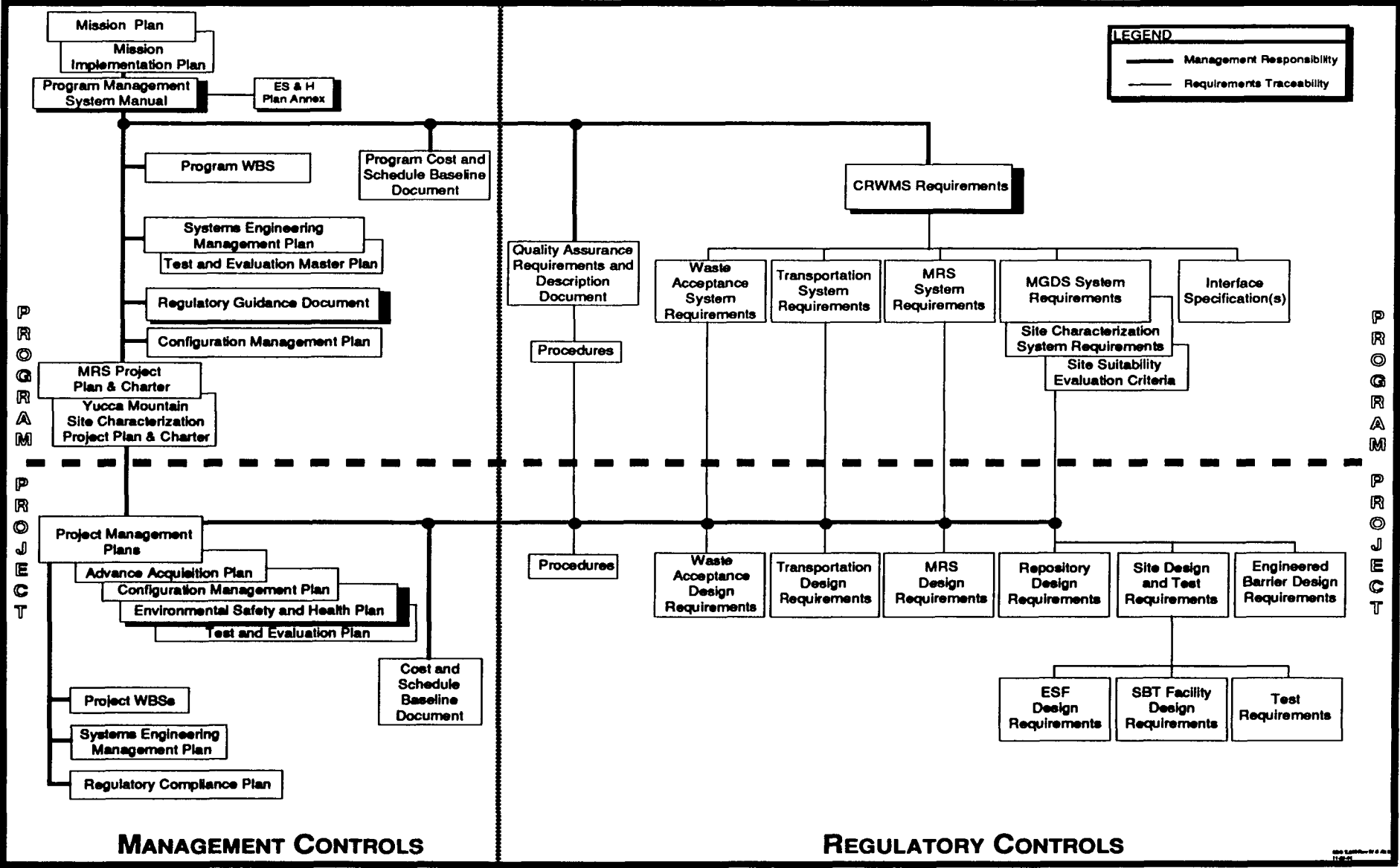
**ENVIRONMENTAL, HEALTH  
AND SAFETY PLAN**

# **ENVIRONMENTAL, HEALTH AND SAFETY PLAN**

- **IDENTIFIES SYSTEM SAFETY PROCESSES AND ORGANIZATIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES**
- **COORDINATED WITH THE M&O REQUIREMENTS AND LICENSING ORGANIZATION**
- **MODELED AFTER MIL-STD-882B AND COMPLIANT WITH DOE ES&H GUIDANCE\***
- **PROGRAM-LEVEL PLAN**
- **SCOPE - ALL ASPECTS OF SAFETY**

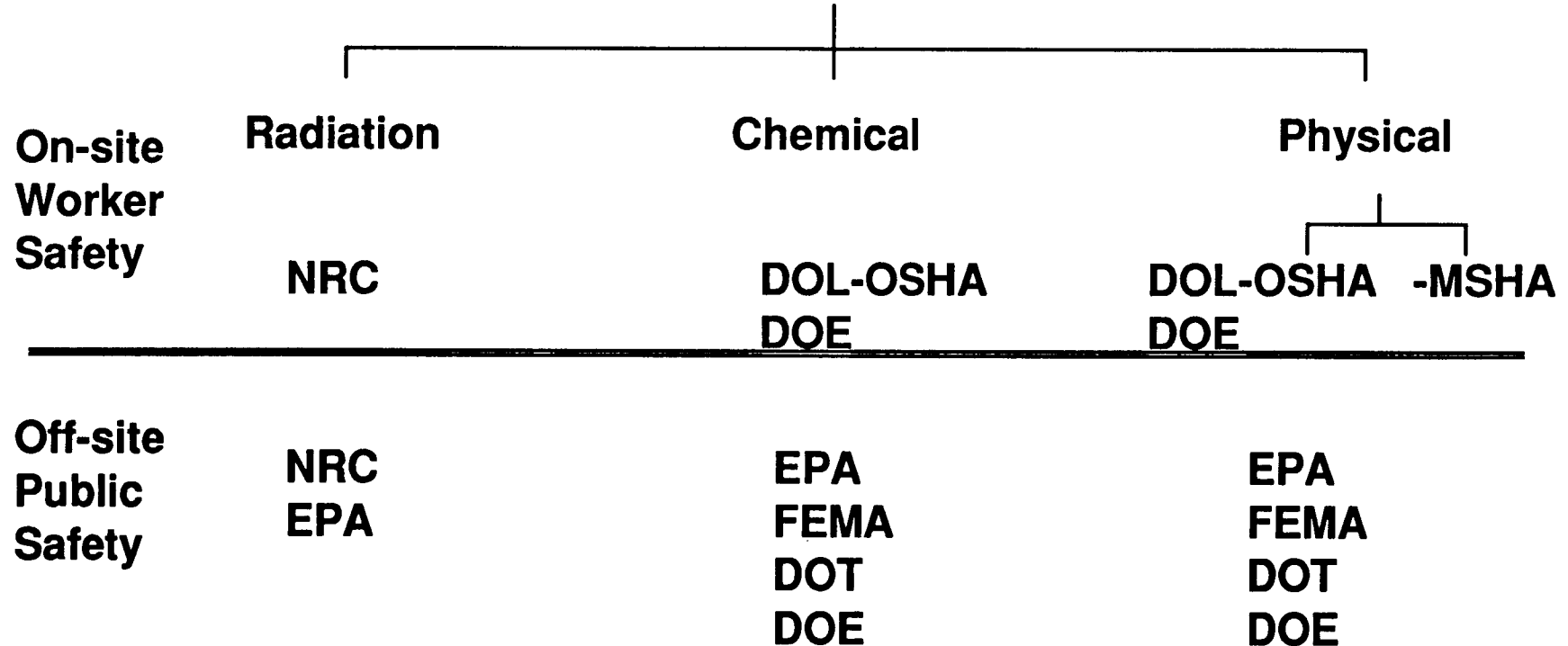
**\*Anticipating a transition to NRC regulations in Title 10 of CFR, Chapter I**

# DOCUMENT HIERARCHY



# FEDERAL REGULATORS\*

## SAFETY



\*Major regulators shown, not exhaustive. State and local regulators not shown, site specific.

# **SYSTEM SAFETY**

# **SAFETY DEFINITION**

- **FREEDOM FROM THOSE CONDITIONS THAT CAN CAUSE DEATH, INJURY, OCCUPATIONAL ILLNESS, HARM TO THE ENVIRONMENT, DAMAGE TO OR LOSS OF EQUIPMENT OR PROPERTY\***

**\*Adapted from SYSTEM SAFETY ENGINEERING AND MANAGEMENT  
by Roland and Moriarty**



# **SYSTEM SAFETY OBJECTIVES\***

- **POTENTIAL HAZARDS ARE SYSTEMATICALLY IDENTIFIED**
- **POTENTIAL CONSEQUENCES ARE ANALYZED**
- **REASONABLE MEASURES TO ELIMINATE, CONTROL, OR MITIGATE THE HAZARDS HAVE BEEN TAKEN, INCLUDING WHERE APPLICABLE, COMPLIANCE WITH COMMITMENTS MADE IN ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENTS AND IMPACT STATEMENTS**

**\* DOE Order 5481.1B**

# SYSTEM SAFETY APPROACH

- PERFORM AS AN INTEGRATED PART OF THE SYSTEMS ENGINEERING PROCESS
- INTEGRATION OF REQUIREMENTS FROM REGULATORY ANALYSIS
- ALLOCATION OF REQUIREMENTS TO PROJECTS
- WRITE PROJECT-LEVEL ES&H PLAN
- PERFORM HAZARD ANALYSES
- ESTABLISH SYSTEM SAFETY WORKING GROUP
- PARTICIPATE IN DESIGN ACTIVITIES
- AUDITS AND REVIEWS TO ENSURE VERIFICATION OF THE DESIGN REQUIREMENTS
- MODELED AFTER MIL-STD-882B\*

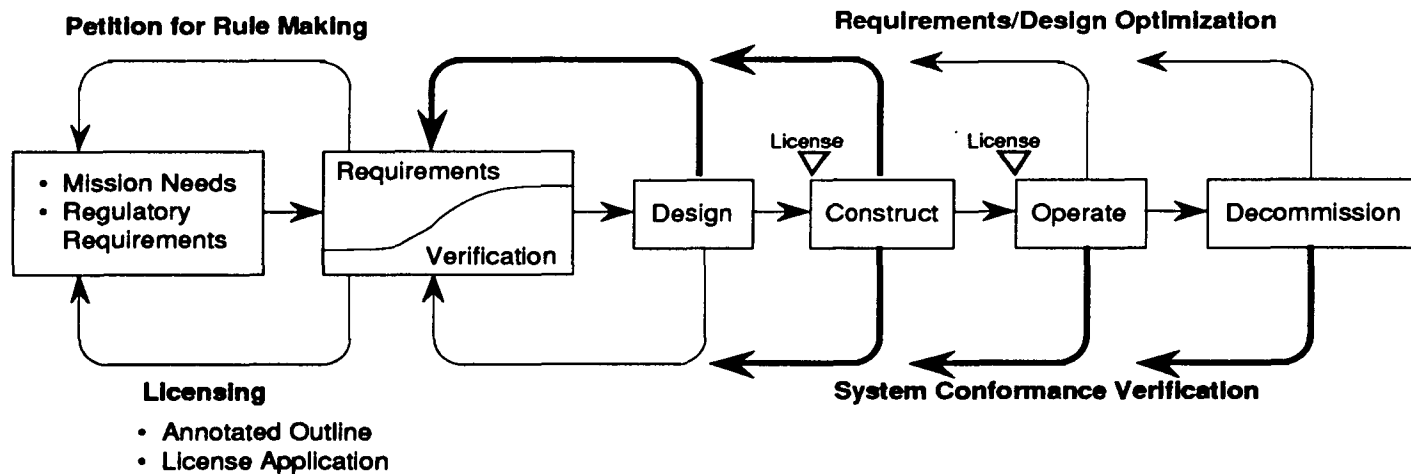
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\*Cited by DOE Order 5481.1B

# SYSTEMS ENGINEERING PROCESS

## Requirements Analysis

- Functional Analysis and Requirements Allocation
- Design Synthesis and Integration
- Evaluation and Optimization
- System Definition



## Verification

- Technical Reviews
- Risk Management
- Configuration Management
- Test and Evaluation
- Software V & V
- Regulatory Compliance
- Performance Assessment

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# **HAZARD ANALYSIS\***

**A SYSTEMATIC STUDY OF A SYSTEM OPERATION TO IDENTIFY HAZARDS AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THEIR ELIMINATION, CONTROL, OR MITIGATION DURING ALL LIFE-CYCLE PHASES**

**\* Adapted from DOE Order 5481.1B**

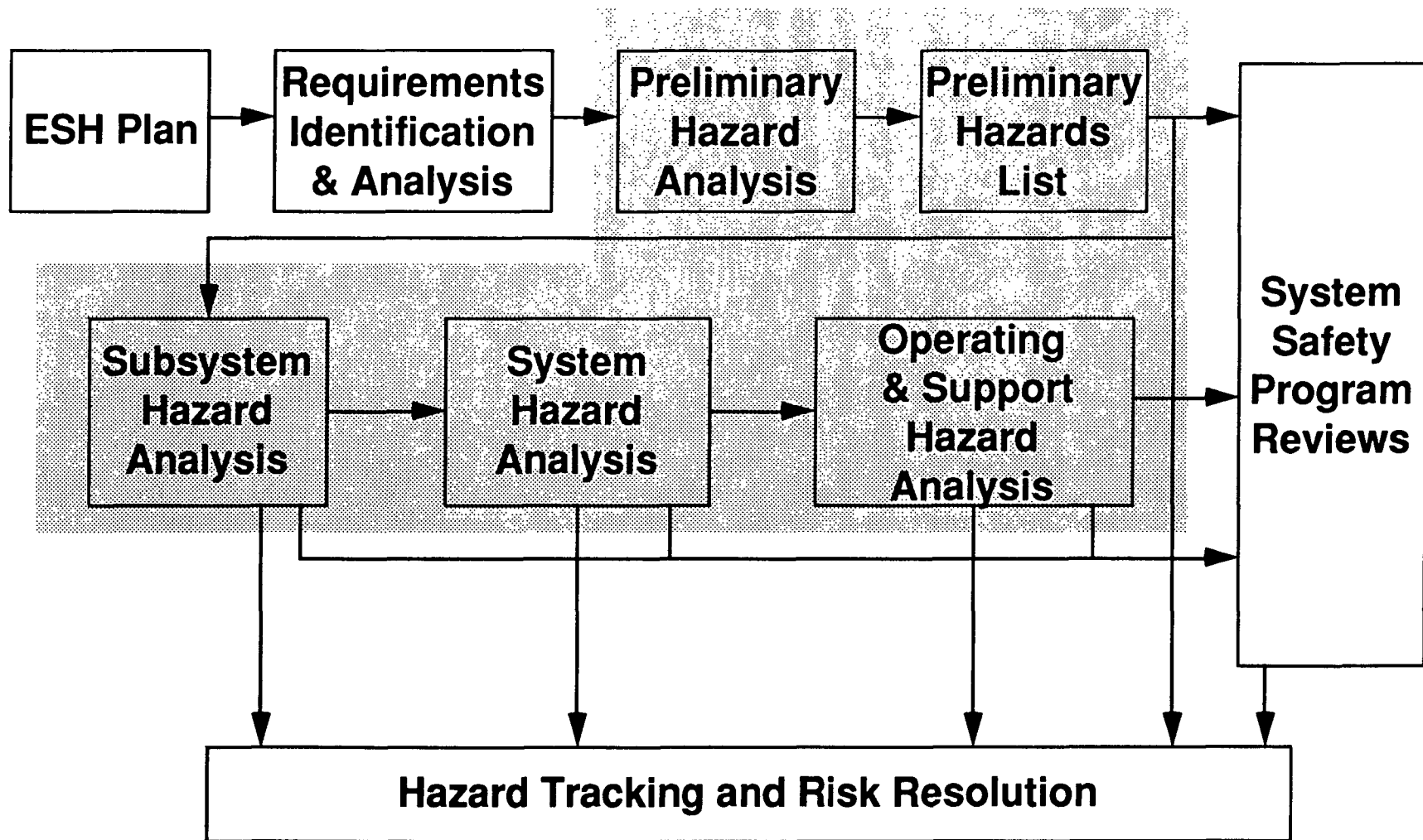
# **HAZARD ANALYSIS PROCESS**

- **IDENTIFY HAZARDS AND THE ROOT CAUSES**
- **DETERMINE HAZARD PROBABILITIES /CONSEQUENCES**
- **RECOMMEND CORRECTIVE ACTION TO RESOLVE DESIGN PROBLEMS AND CORRECT PROCEDURES**
- **PROVIDE DOCUMENTED EVIDENCE OF COMPLIANCE WITH DESIGN, CODE OR SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS TO MANAGEMENT**

# **HAZARDS WILL BE QUANTIFIED**

- **PROBABILISTIC RISK ASSESSMENT TECHNIQUES WILL BE USED**
- **HUMAN ERROR, EQUIPMENT FAILURE, AND EXTERNAL EVENTS WILL BE CONSIDERED**
- **REQUIRES STATISTICS ON ACCIDENTS, HUMAN ERROR, NATURAL EVENTS, AND DELIBERATE EVENTS**

# SYSTEM SAFETY ACTIVITIES



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# HAZARD ANALYSES & PROGRAM PHASES

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**Preliminary**



**Subsystem**



**System**



**Operating &  
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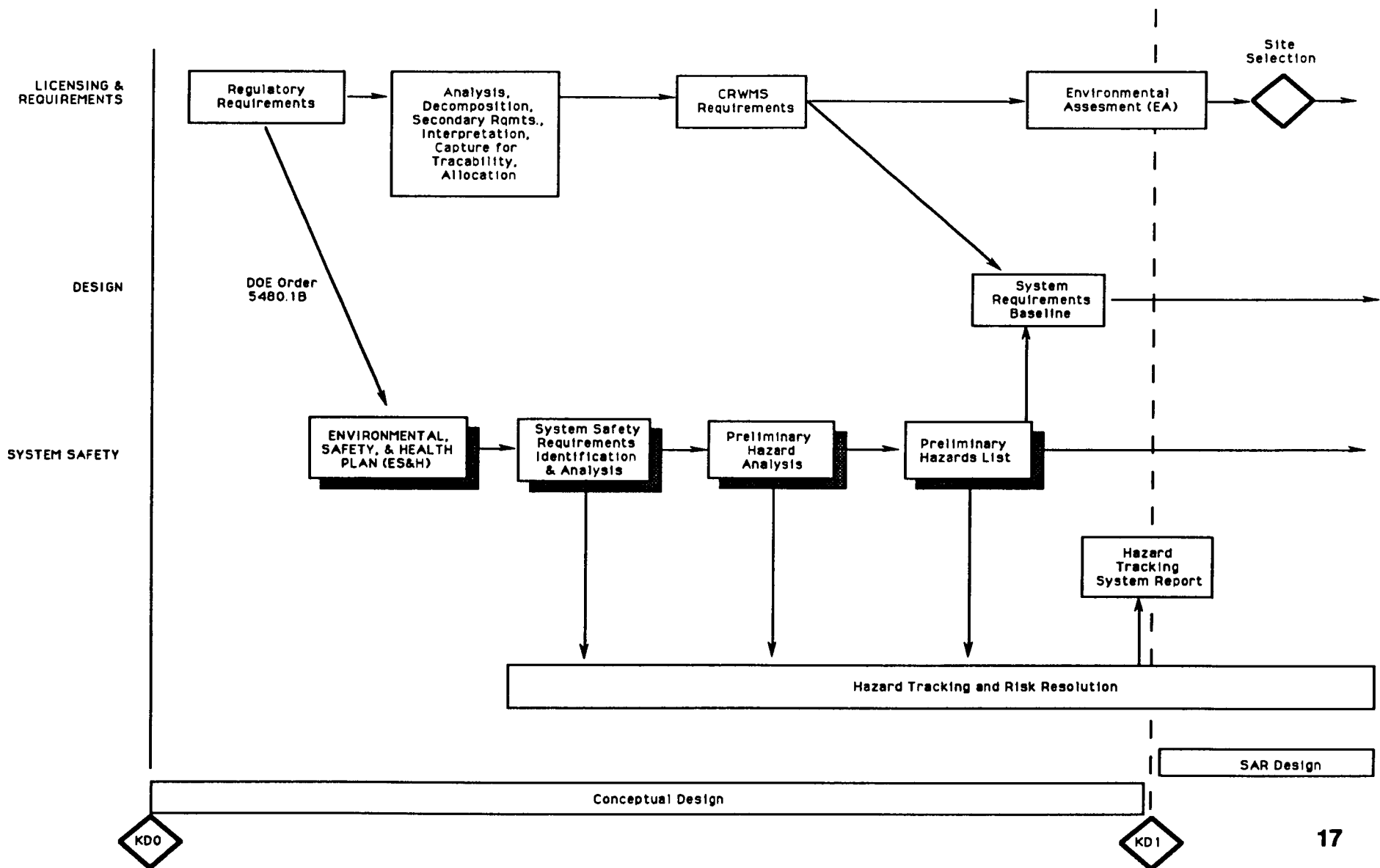


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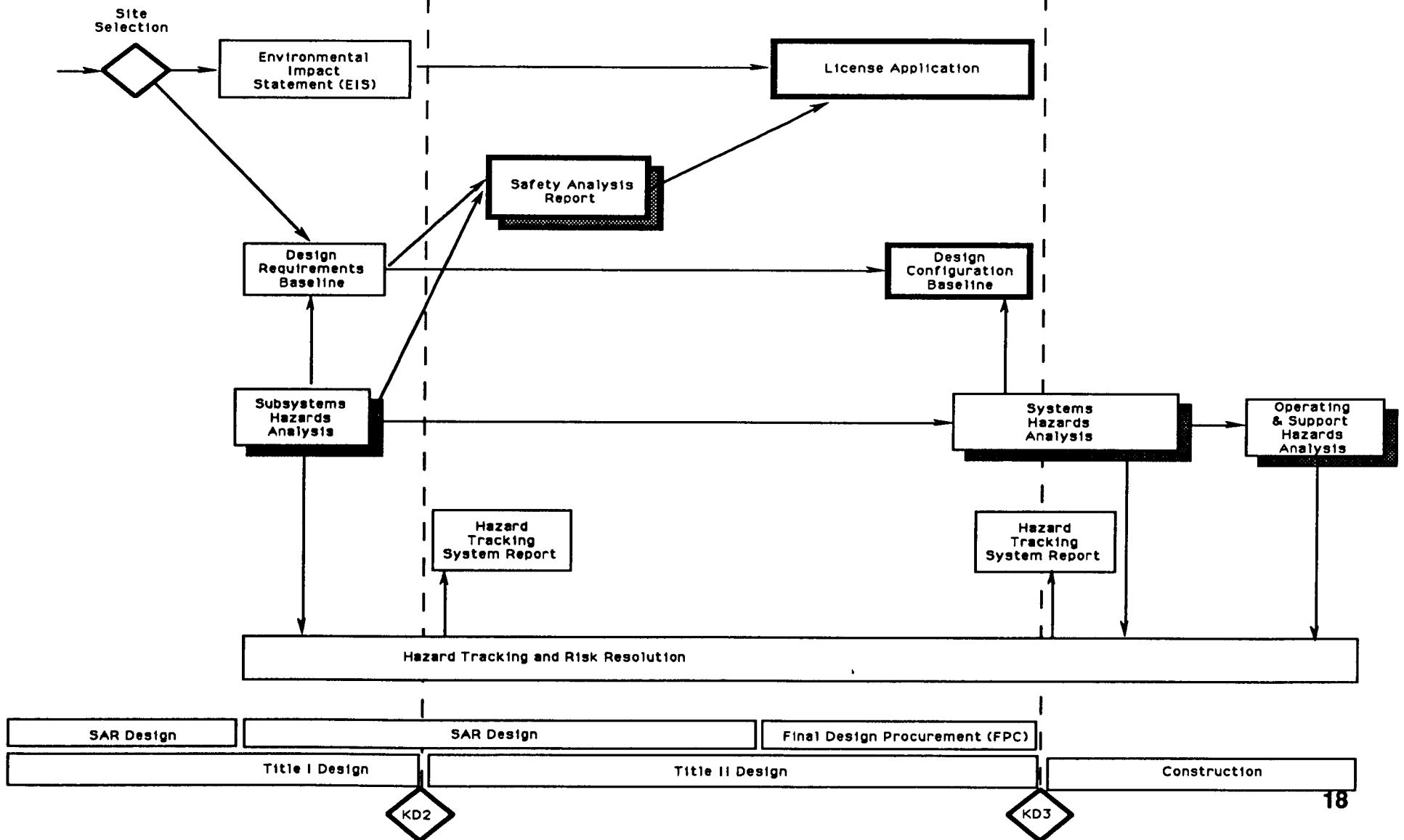




# SS AND REQ & LIC ACTIVITIES



# SS AND REQ & LIC ACTIVITIES (CON'T)



# **SYSTEM SAFETY TASK DEFINITIONS**

- **PRELIMINARY HAZARD ANALYSIS - OVERALL ASSESSMENT OF RISK AND IDENTIFICATION OF SAFETY CRITICAL AREAS NEEDING DETAILED STUDY**
- **SUBSYSTEM HAZARD ANALYSIS - IDENTIFICATION OF HAZARDS ASSOCIATED WITH COMPONENT FAILURES AND FUNCTIONAL RELATIONSHIPS WITH OTHER COMPONENTS OR EQUIPMENT IN A GIVEN SYSTEM**
- **SYSTEM HAZARD ANALYSIS - EXAMINATION OF THE INTERFACES IDENTIFIED IN SUBSYSTEM ANALYSIS, INCLUDES SOFTWARE INTERFACES**
- **OPERATING AND SUPPORT HAZARD ANALYSIS - INCLUSION OF THOSE FACTORS IN THE OPERATING ENVIRONMENT WHICH CAN DEGRADE THE SYSTEM**

# **SYSTEM SAFETY TASK DEFINITIONS (CON'T)**

- **ACCIDENT-INCIDENT ANALYSIS - ANALYSES OF ACCIDENTS OR INCIDENTS TO DETERMINE THEIR CAUSE AND WHAT CHANGES TO THE DESIGN OR PROCEDURES ARE REQUIRED**
- **HAZARD TRACKING - LOGGING OF IDENTIFIED AND ACTUAL HAZARD. MAINTAINED THROUGH ALL LIFE-CYCLE PHASES. MAINTAINED IN A DATA BASE. DATA BASE CAN BE QUERIED FOR TRENDS.**

# **SYSTEM SAFETY RESULTS**

- **HIGH DEGREE OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY**
- **HIGH DEGREE OF OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY**
- **IMPROVED PUBLIC ACCEPTANCE TOWARD SYSTEM**
- **REDUCED CLAIMS AND COMPENSATION**
- **INCREASED AVAILABILITY**

# **HUMAN FACTORS ENGINEERING**

# **HUMAN FACTORS ENGINEERING DEFINITION**

- **NUREG-0700: THE SCIENCE OF OPTIMIZING THE PERFORMANCE OF HUMAN BEINGS**
- **EPRI NP-3659: A DISCIPLINE CONCERNED WITH THE SYSTEMATIC STUDY AND APPLICATION OF WHAT'S KNOWN ABOUT HUMAN BEHAVIOR TO SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT DECISIONS**

# **HFE OBJECTIVES**

- **DOE 6430.1A: HUMAN FACTORS ENGINEERING PRINCIPLES SHALL BE INTEGRATED INTO THE DESIGN OF SYSTEMS AND THE FACILITIES THAT HOUSE AND SUPPORT THESE SYSTEMS**
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- **REDUCE PROBABILITY OF ERROR**
- **REDUCE RISKS TO PUBLIC AND WORKERS**
- **INCREASE PRODUCTIVITY**
- **DEVELOP DESIGN REQUIREMENTS THAT TAKE ADVANTAGE OF HUMAN CAPABILITIES AND AVOID HUMAN LIMITATIONS TO OPTIMIZE HUMAN PERFORMANCE**



# **HUMAN FACTORS ENGINEERING APPROACH**

- **INTEGRATED INTO THE SYSTEMS ENGINEERING PROCESS**
- **ENSURE THAT APPLICABLE REQUIREMENTS ARE PLACED INTO THE TECHNICAL BASELINE**
- **WORK CLOSELY WITH SYSTEM SAFETY, RAM, AND REQUIREMENTS AND LICENSING IN PERFORMING HAZARD ANALYSES**
- **PARTICIPATE IN DESIGN PROCESS, AUDITS AND REVIEWS**

# HFE TASKS \*

- DOCUMENT PROGRAM-LEVEL REQUIREMENTS
- ALLOCATE REQUIREMENTS TO PROJECTS
- DEVELOP DETAILED OPERATIONAL CONCEPTS
- ALLOCATE REQUIREMENTS TO MAN OR MACHINE
- PERFORM TASK, SKILLS AND ERROR ANALYSES
- PARTICIPATE IN DESIGN PROCESS
- PERFORM TEST & EVALUATIONS. AUDITS & REVIEWS
- DEVELOP PROCEDURES
- DEVELOP TRAINING MATERIALS

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\*Examples, not exhaustive

# **PROGRAM-LEVEL REQUIREMENTS**

- **DRAFT PROGRAM-LEVEL HFE REQUIREMENTS HAVE BEEN DOCUMENTED**
- **REFERENCES SIX REQUIREMENTS DOCUMENTS**
- **TWENTY-ONE CATEGORIES OF REQUIREMENTS**

# **REFERENCED REQUIREMENTS DOCUMENTS**

- **GUIDELINES FOR CONTROL ROOM DESIGN REVIEW, NUREG-0700**
- **HUMAN FACTORS DESIGN GUIDELINES FOR MAINTAINABILITY OF DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY NUCLEAR FACILITIES, UCRL-15673**
- **DOE GENERAL DESIGN CRITERIA, DOE Order 6430.1**
- **AMERICAN NATIONAL STANDARD FOR HUMAN FACTORS ENGINEERING OF VISUAL DISPLAY TERMINAL WORKSTATIONS, ANSI/HFS STANDARD No. 100-1988**
- **HUMAN ENGINEERING DESIGN CRITERIA FOR MILITARY SYSTEMS, EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES, MIL-STD-1472D**
- **GUIDELINES FOR DESIGNING USER INTERFACE SOFTWARE. MITRE. SMITH AND MOSIER.**

# **HFE REQUIREMENTS CATEGORIES**

- **ANTHROPOMETRY**
- **ALARMS/WARNING SYSTEMS**
- **AUDIO DISPLAYS**
- **CONTROLS**
- **CONTROL-DISPLAY INTEGRATION**
- **ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS**
- **EMERGENCY LIGHTING**
- **HAZARDS AND SAFETY**
- **HEAD-UP DISPLAY**
- **LABELS AND LOCATION AIDS**
- **MAINTAINABILITY**

# **HFE REQUIREMENTS CATEGORIES (CON'T)**

- **OPERATIONAL VEHICLES**
- **PANEL LAYOUT**
- **PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT**
- **REMOTE HANDLING**
- **SMALL SYSTEMS AND EQUIPMENT/PORTABILITY**
- **USER-COMPUTER INTERFACE**
- **VISUAL DISPLAYS**
- **VISUAL DISPLAY TERMINAL WORKSTATION**
- **VOICE COMMUNICATIONS**
- **WORKPLACE LAYOUT**

# **HFE RESULTS**

- **DECREASED PROBABILITY OF HUMAN ERROR LEADING TO**
  - **DECREASED PROBABILITY OF ACCIDENT**
  - **INCREASED PRODUCTIVITY**
  - **INCREASED AVAILABILITY**
  - **MORE USABLE DESIGN**

# **SUMMARY**

- **ENVIRONMENTAL, SAFETY AND HEALTH PLAN IS BEING DEVELOPED**
- **SYSTEM SAFETY AND HUMAN FACTORS ENGINEERING ARE PART OF THE SYSTEMS ENGINEERING PROCESS**
- **HUMAN FACTORS ENGINEERING REQUIREMENTS ARE BEING DOCUMENTED IN THE TECHNICAL BASELINE**



# REQUIREMENTS APPENDIX<sup>\*</sup>

## GENERAL SAFETY OPERATIONS

- DOE 5480.1B, ENVIRONMENTAL, SAFETY AND HEALTH PROGRAM FOR DOE OPERATIONS
- DOE 5481.1B, SAFETY ANALYSIS AND REVIEW SYSTEM
- DOE 5482.1B, ENVIRONMENTAL, SAFETY AND HEALTH APPRAISAL PROGRAM
- DOE 5000.3, UNUSUAL OCCURRENCE REPORTING SYSTEM

## Radiological Safety Operations

- DOE Order 5480.5, SAFETY OF NUCLEAR FACILITIES
- DOE Order 5480.11, RADIATION PROTECTION FOR OCCUPATIONAL WORKERS
- 10 CFR Part 20, STANDARDS FOR PROTECTION AGAINST RADIATION

\*Examples of orders and regulations. Not exhaustive.

# REQUIREMENTS (CON'T)

- **10 CFR Part 60, DISPOSAL OF HIGH-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTES IN GEOLOGIC REPOSITORIES**
- **10 CFR Part 72, LICENSING REQUIREMENTS FOR THE STORAGE OF SPENT FUEL IN AN INDEPENDENT SPENT FUEL STORAGE INSTALLATION**
- **40 CFR Part 191, ENVIRONMENTAL STANDARDS FOR THE MANAGEMENT AND DISPOSAL OF SPENT NUCLEAR FUEL, HIGH-LEVEL, AND TRANSURANIC RADIOACTIVE WASTES**

## OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY & HEALTH

- **DOE Order 3790.1A, OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH PROGRAM FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES**
- **DOE Order 5483.1A, OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH PROGRAM FOR DOE CONTRACTOR EMPLOYEES AT GOVERNMENT-OWNED CONTRACTOR-OPERATED FACILITIES**

# REQUIREMENTS (CON'T)

- DOE Order 5480.8, CONTRACTOR OCCUPATIONAL MEDICINE PROGRAM
- DOE Order 5480.9, CONSTRUCTION SAFETY AND HEALTH PROGRAM
- DOE Order 5480.10, CONTRACTOR INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE PROGRAM
- DOE Order 5480.4, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, SAFETY AND HEALTH PROTECTION

## FIRE PROTECTION

- DOE Order 5480.7, FIRE PROTECTION
- DOE Order 5480.4, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, SAFETY AND HEALTH PROTECTION STANDARDS

# REQUIREMENTS (CON'T)

- 10 CFR Part 60, DISPOSAL OF HIGH-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTES IN GEOLOGIC REPOSITORIES

## TRANSPORTATION SAFETY

- DOE Order 5480.3, SAFETY REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PACKAGING AND TRANSPORTATION OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS, HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES AND HAZARDOUS WASTES
- 10 CFR Part 71, PACKAGING AND TRANSPORTATION OF RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL
- 49 CFR Part 172, HAZARDOUS MATERIALS TABLES AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS COMMUNICATIONS REGULATIONS
- 49 CFR Part 173, SHIPPERS - GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR SHIPMENTS AND PACKAGINGS

# **REQUIREMENTS (CON'T)**

- **49 CFR Part 174, CARRIAGE BY RAIL**
- **49 CFR Part 176, CARRIAGE BY VESSEL**
- **49 CFR Part 177, CARRIAGE BY PUBLIC HIGHWAY**

## **MINING AND DRILLING SAFETY**

- **DOE Order 5480.4, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, SAFETY AND HEALTH PROTECTION STANDARDS**
- **30 CFR Part 57, SAFETY AND HEALTH STANDARDS - UNDERGROUND METAL AND NONMETAL MINES**

# REQUIREMENTS (CON'T)

## POSTCLOSURE

- **40 CFR Part 191, ENVIRONMENTAL STANDARDS FOR THE MANAGEMENT AND DISPOSAL OF SPENT NUCLEAR FUEL, HIGH-LEVEL AND TRANSURANIC RADIOACTIVE WASTES**

## RADIOLOGICAL SAFETY POSTCLOSURE

- **10 CFR Part 60, DISPOSAL OF HIGH-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTES IN GEOLOGIC REPOSITORIES**