



Final Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement for Disposition of Depleted Uranium Oxide Conversion Product Generation from DOE's Inventory of Depleted Uranium Hexafluoride

Next Steps for DU Oxide

The Final Depleted Uranium (DU) Oxide Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (SEIS) represents the fourth phase of the environmental review process used to evaluate and implement the depleted uranium hexafluoride (DUF₆) long-term management program. The Final DU Oxide SEIS was prepared in accordance with the Council on Environmental Quality and the Department of Energy National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) implementing regulations at 40 CFR parts 1500-1508 and 10 CFR part 1021, respectively.

DOE's Preferred Alternative in the Final SEIS is to dispose of DU oxide inventory, if declared waste, at one or more of the disposal sites (NNS, EnergySolutions, and/or Waste Control Specialists), understanding that any disposal location(s) must have a current license or authorization to dispose of DU oxide and disposal capacity at the time shipping to a location is initiated. The Final SEIS does not constitute a final decision on the disposal of DU oxide. The Final SEIS provides the information and analysis to support a Record of Decision under the National Environmental Policy Act. DOE will issue a Record of Decision no earlier than 30 days from public issuance of the Final SEIS.

