Most of the changes impact licensees and are required for Nebraska to remain an Agreement State with the United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission. Additional changes add definitions, and otherwise make technical and editorial modifications.

A public hearing was held October 26, 2017. Public comments were received and addressed.

Changes are as follows:

**Chapter 1:**

Chapter 1 provides general provisions and definitions. Changes to this chapter will affect licensees who:

- Have licensed radioactive material – general or specific
- Have radiation generating equipment
- Have or wish to obtain reciprocal recognition of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission or Agreement State License.

Changes are:

- Additions to definitions
- Editorial: removal of acronyms, etc. as directed by the Governor’s Policy Research Office.

**Chapter 3:**

Chapter 3 provides for the licensing of radioactive material, both general licenses and specific licenses, and reciprocal recognition of other state licenses. Changes to this chapter will affect licensees who:

- Have licensed radioactive material – general or specific
- Have or wish to obtain reciprocal recognition of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission or Agreement State License.

Changes are:

- Editorial: removal of acronyms, etc. as directed by the Governor’s Policy Research Office.

**Chapter 13:**

Chapter 13 details requirements for the transportation of radioactive materials. Changes to this chapter will affect licensees who:

- Deliver radioactive material to a carrier for transport
- Transport radioactive material within the state of Nebraska

Changes are:
- Additions to definitions
- Clarifications and additions as specified by changes to 10 CFR part 71
- Quality Assurance Requirements updated to better reflect 10 CFR Part 71 AND Suggested State Regulations as put forth by the Conference of Radiation Control Program Directors, Inc.
- Editorial: Removal of acronyms, etc. as directed by the Governor’s Policy Research Office.

Chapter 24:

Chapter 24 provides for the physical protection of radioactive material and provides reasonable assurance of preventing theft, diversion or sabotage of category 1 and 2 quantities of radioactive material. Changes to this chapter will affect licensees who:

- Possess aggregated Category 1 or 2 quantity of radioactive material above a certain amount.
- That transport these materials using ground transportation, and
- That transport small quantities of irradiated reactor fuel.

Changes are:

- Editorial: Ex: “must” to “shall”, removal of acronyms, etc. as directed by the Governor’s Policy Research Office.
- Additional requirement of protection of information for State officials, State employees, etc. against unauthorized disclosure.