

42 C.F.R. § 83.5

Definitions of terms used in the procedures in this part.

- (a) *Advisory Board on Radiation and Worker Health* (“the Board”) is a federal advisory committee established under EEOICPA and appointed by the President to advise HHS in implementing its responsibilities under EEOICPA.
- (b) *Atomic Weapons Employer* (“AWE”) is a statutory term of EEOICPA which means any entity, other than the United States, that:
- (1) Processed or produced, for use by the United States, material that emitted radiation and was used in the production of an atomic weapon, excluding uranium mining and milling: and,
 - (2) Is designated by the Secretary of Energy as an atomic weapons employer for purposes of EEOICPA.
- (c) *Computation of Time Periods*: In this Rule, all prescribed or allowed time periods will be counted as calendar days from the business day of receipt by the submitter(s), the petitioner(s), NIOSH, or HHS. Receipt by NIOSH, the submitter(s) or petitioner(s) will be either the business day of actual receipt or three (3) business days after initial proof of mailing, whichever time period is shorter. Business days are defined as Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. est and “legal holiday” will be used as defined by the FED. R. CIV. P. 6(a).

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