

Request Relief from Requirements in NASA Directives

NRW: 1400.107

Office of Safety and Mission Assurance

Requesting Responsible Office/Center:

Identification of Requirement

Directive ID, Requirement Paragraph Number, and Description:

NPR 1400.1H, section 5.2.3: For directives in coordination in the NODIS DMS, Responsible Offices may request up to three 30-day extensions on suspense dates. If the third 30-day extension has lapsed, the Responsible Office may request another extension for the amount of time that is realistically needed to publish the directive by submitting a

Scope (e.g., site, facility, operation, and/or activity) and duration of the request:

The Office of Safety and Mission Assurance requests a third waiver until February 1, 2021 in order to obtain Final Approval for NPR 8715.1B, NASA Safety and Health Programs, to Directives Management.

Justification:

Describe the purpose/rationale for this request:

This waiver request considers the time necessary to receive comments during the OGC Legal Review and Union Consultation concurrence decisions in NODIS. In addition, this waiver request includes the time to disposition union and legal comments before submitting the signature package to Directives Management.

Describe if application of the requirement conflicts with other requirements. If not, check here [X]

There are no conflicts with other requirements.

Describe if the application of the requirement would not achieve, or is not necessary to achieve the underlining purpose of the requirement.

The application of the requirement does not impact the underlining purpose.

Describe the cost or schedule considerations related to the request. If none, check here []

The newly requested date of February 2, 2021 to obtain Final Approval considers the following schedule: obtain 30-day Union Consultation and GC Legal Review comments by November 10, 2020, dispositioning of union and legal comments by November 13, 2020, final legal review and concurrence along with dispositioning of GC final comments by December 2, 2020, Quality Control Review with dispositioning of comments by December 12, 2020, and Final Approval by December 22, 2020. Considering the nature of the scope of this directive, OSMA requests a cushion to accommodate any slips in the proposed schedule provided.

Describe the risks that will be incurred if the request is granted. If none, check here [X]

No risks are anticipated.

Relief from Environment, Safety, Health, Security Requirements

Describe special circumstances that warrant granting the request.

There are no special circumstances when considering relief from the environment, safety, health, and security requirements.

Describe the actions that will be taken to ensure adequate safety and health and protection of the public, the workers, and the environment.

There are no special circumstances when considering relief from the environment, safety, health, and security requirements.

Signatures

Requesting Office's Official-in-Charge, or designee:

Name: Frank Groen

Signature: Franciscus Groen

Digitally signed by Franciscus Groen Date: 2020.11.09 09:18:38 -05'00'

Date: August 28, 2020

Approving Office's Official-in-Charge, or designee

Name: Joel Carney

Signature: [Signature]

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[X] Approved [] Denied

Justification for Denial, if applicable.