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The following comment is in reference to the Discussion Paper DIS-16-02, Radiation Protection and Dosimetry.

This paper outlines CNSC's proposal to develop two new regulatory documents that will provide guidance for radiation protection and dosimetry. In Appendix A.1, the proposed table of contents for REGDOC-2.7.1, Radiation Protection, includes a section for Action levels. Under *Developing action levels* and *Monitoring action levels*, the CNSC should consider providing guidance on the necessity of action levels for Nuclear Energy Workers. We would recommend that there should be no requirement for action levels if the maximum annual dose to any Nuclear Energy Worker is less that 5 mSv.

Thank you for your consideration.

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