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Reviewed a total of 33 proposals and the clarification submittal for 5 proposals.

Recommendations:

- 10 proposals accept either in whole or in part
- 23 proposals not to accept for change

Future Work:

- LSA/SCO
Recommend a working group be developed to address the issues identified in both F/2015/12 and USA/2015/8, for mixing of LSA and SCO materials. RUS/2015/02 should also be considered by this working group, as it relates to use of Table 6.

UK/2015/01 is a proposal for a new classification of LSA material which requires further development before considering it for inclusion in the regulations.

- **Technical bases/justification**
  - For accepted proposals, there is a question of how the technical background will be captured.
  - There were several proposals where the outcome of the group discussion was recognition that a technical basis or justification was not readily available to support the existing regulatory requirement. A working group is recommended to further clarify or develop the basis. Examples of this include
    - Para 420a – RC/2015/01
    - Para 604 – RUS/2015/04
  - Working group on A values to consider USA/2015/06
  - Working group to consider regulatory or guidance changes to clarify the intent of para 639 for the design or testing of Type A packages.

**Safety significant changes**

- Inclusion of emergency planning in para 104
- Removal of leaching test for LSA-III, and the clarification of LSA-III material