

## ASN DECISIONS AND OPINIONS PUBLISHED IN 2008 IN ITS OFFICIAL BULLETIN

This list comprises all the decisions and opinions published by ASN during the course of 2008 in its Official Bulletin.

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### ASN decisions

Act 2006-686 of 13 June 2006 lists the various categories of regulatory or individual decisions taken by ASN, for example:

- technical regulatory decisions implementing decrees or orders adopted concerning nuclear safety and radiation protection;
- BNI authorisation decrees;
- authorisations or approvals concerning the transport of radioactive materials or medical installations and equipment using ionising radiations.

In 2008, 41 decisions, as listed below, were issued by ASN and published in its Official Bulletin.

Decision 2008-DC-0103, which is awaiting approval, will be published on the date the approval order is published.

Reference	Date of the decision	Title
2008-DC-0088	8 January 2008	Establishing the list of basic nuclear installations as at 31 December 2007
2008-DC-0091	8 January 2008	Delegating to the Chairman certain decision-making powers
2008-DC-0089	10 January 2008	Setting the requirements for water intake and consumption and discharge into the environment of liquid and gaseous effluents from basic nuclear installations 136 and 140 operated by Électricité de France (EDF-SA) in the <i>communes</i> <sup>1</sup> of Penly and Saint-Martin-en-Campagne (Seine-Maritime <i>département</i> <sup>2</sup> )
2008-DC-0090	10 January 2008	Setting the limits for discharge into the environment of liquid and gaseous effluents from basic nuclear installations 136 and 140 operated by Électricité de France (EDF-SA) in the <i>communes</i> of Penly and Saint-Martin-en-Campagne (Seine-Maritime <i>département</i> )
2008-DC-0092	18 January 2008	Concerning the reception, packaging and storage in the UP3-A plant of technological waste from BNI 47 and building 128 of BNI 38
DEP-0009-2008-PRESIDENT	28 January 2008	Constituting ASN approval of laboratories for measurement of radioactivity in the environment
2008-DC-0094	29 January 2008	Authorising lowering of the groundwater level under the effluent treatment station and under the former spent fuel building of basic nuclear installation 162 and setting the requirements applicable to the lowering procedures
2008-DC-0095	29 January 2008	Setting the technical rules applicable to the elimination of effluents and waste contaminated by radionuclides or liable to have been contaminated as a result of a nuclear activity, implementing the requirements of Article R. 1333-12 of the Public Health Code

1. Smallest administrative subdivision administered by a mayor and a municipal council.

2. Administrative region headed by a *Préfet*.

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Reference	Date of the decision	Title
2008-DC-0093	1 February 2008	Concerning the reception and storage in the UP3-A plant of plutonium oxide powder packaged in Safkegs, shipped from the British plant of Sellafield
2008-DC-0096	31 March 2008	Concerning the performance of testing in the building known as the CAB (Centrifuge Assembly Building) of the South unit in the Georges Besse II facility (BNI 168)
2008-DC-0097	10 April 2008	Concerning the reception and storage in the UP2-800 plant of non-irradiated or slightly irradiated mixed uranium and plutonium oxide materials from the plutonium technology facility (ATPu) in the CEA centre in Cadarache
2008-DC-0098	11 April 2008	Concerning appointment of the members of the Advisory Committees for radiation protection
2008-DC-0099	29 April 2008	Organising the national network of environmental radioactivity measurements and determining the laboratory approval procedures
2008-DC-0100	6 May 2008	Concerning the reception, storage and repackaging in the UP3-A plant of plutonium oxide powder packaged in Safkegs, shipped from the British plant of Sellafield
2008-DC-0101	13 May 2008	Setting the requirements concerning water intake and consumption and the discharge into the environment of liquid and gaseous effluents from basic nuclear installations 87 and 88 operated by Électricité de France (EDF-SA) in the <i>commune</i> of Saint-Paul-Trois-Châteaux (Drôme <i>département</i> )
2008-DC-0102	13 May 2008	Setting the limits for discharge into the environment of liquid and gaseous effluents from basic nuclear installations 87 and 88 operated by Électricité de France (EDF-SA) in the <i>commune</i> of Saint-Paul-Trois-Châteaux (Drôme <i>département</i> )
2008-DC-0103	1 July 2008	Setting radiotherapy quality assurance obligations (pending approval)
2008-DC-0104	11 July 2008	Constituting provision for emergency measures to be taken by the Société auxiliaire du Tricastin (SOCATRI) for basic nuclear installation 138 in the <i>commune</i> of Bollène (Vaucluse <i>département</i> ), concerning the safeguarding of the installation
2008-DC-0105	11 July 2008	Constituting provision for emergency measures to be taken by the Société auxiliaire du Tricastin (SOCATRI) for basic nuclear installation 138 in the <i>commune</i> of Bollène (Vaucluse <i>département</i> ), concerning the implementation of a stricter surveillance plan
2008-DC-0106	11 July 2008	Concerning the implementation of the internal authorisations systems in basic nuclear installations
2008-DC-0107	22 July 2008	Constituting provision for emergency measures to be taken by the Société auxiliaire du Tricastin (SOCATRI) for basic nuclear installation 138 in the <i>commune</i> of Bollène (Vaucluse <i>département</i> ), concerning the implementation of a stricter surveillance plan

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Reference	Date of the decision	Title
n° DEP-LYON-1094-2008	4 August 2008	Authorising Électricité de France to operate a temporary installation for treatment of pathogenic sludges and scale from the cooling systems in the Cruas-Meyssse nuclear power plant
2008-DC-0108	19 August 2008	Concerning the detailed contents of the information to be enclosed with the application for a licence to possess and use a particle accelerator (cyclotron) and for the manufacture, possession and use of radionuclides emitting positrons and products containing them, or for renewal of these licences
2008-DC-0109	19 August 2008	Concerning the detailed contents of the information to be enclosed with applications for a licence to distribute (suppliers), import or export radionuclides, or devices containing them, or for renewal of these licences
2008-DC-0112	28 August 2008	Concerning the reception, storage and treatment in the STE3 installation (BNI 118) of waste from the facilities on the La Hague site
2008-DC-0111	2 September 2008	Concerning the recovery and packaging of sludges currently stored in the STE 2 facility (BNI 38)
2008-DC-0113	16 September 2008	Concerning basic nuclear installation 40, called OSIRIS, operated by CEA in the <i>commune</i> of Saclay (Essonne <i>département</i> )
2008-DC-0110	26 September 2008	Concerning management of the radon risk in the workplace
2008-DC-0114	26 September 2008	With regard to Électricité de France - Société Anonyme (EDF-SA) setting the requirements concerning the nuclear power reactor site at Flamanville (Manche <i>département</i> ) for the design and construction of the “Flamanville 3” reactor (BNI 167) and for operation of the “Flamanville 1” (BNI 108) and “Flamanville 2” (BNI 109) reactors
2008-DC-0115	26 September 2008	Concerning the reception and storage in the UP2-800 plant on the La Hague site of uranium and plutonium oxide based fuels from the PHÉNIX fast neutron reactor
2008-DC-0116	4 November 2008	Constituting appointment to the steering committee of the national network of environmental radioactivity measurements
2008-DC-0117	4 November 2008	Constituting appointment to the environmental radioactivity measurement laboratories approvals commission
2008-DC-0118	13 November 2008	Concerning control of the risk of internal explosion in the nuclear power plants operated by EDF
2008-DC-0119	13 November 2008	Constituting formal notice for EDF to comply with the requirements of Article 16 of the order of 31 December 1999 in the Cruas-Meyssse nuclear power plant (BNI 111 and 112)
2008-DC-0120	16 December 2008	Constituting approval of laboratories for the measurement of radioactivity in the environment

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Reference	Date of the decision	Title
2008-DC-0121	16 December 2008	Constituting rejection of approval for measurement of the total beta activity index of aerosols on a filter, in the laboratories appearing in the appendix to this decision
2008-DC-0122	16 December 2008	Constituting rejection of approval for measurement of the total beta activity index of water, in the laboratories appearing in the appendix to this decision
2008-DC-0123	16 December 2008	Constituting rejection of approval for measurement of tritium activity in water and in air, in the laboratories listed in the appendix to this decision
2008-DC-0124	16 December 2008	Constituting suspension of approval for measurement of the total beta activity index of aerosols on a filter, in the laboratories listed in the appendix to this decision
2008-DC-0125	16 December 2008	Concerning specification referenced 300-AQ-60 for the standard vitrified waste package with an enhanced actinides content
2008-DC-0126	16 December 2008	Setting requirements for the Société pour le conditionnement des déchets et des effluents industriels (SOCODEI) concerning operation of basic nuclear installation 160

## ASN opinions

It is essential to consult ASN with regard to the following:

- draft decrees or ministerial orders dealing with the regulation of nuclear safety;
- draft BNI authorisation, final shutdown and decommissioning decrees;

It may be consulted at the request of the Government or Parliament with respect to draft texts or particular questions.

In 2008, of the 24 opinions issued by ASN, the 22 listed below were published in the ASN Official Bulletin.

Opinions 56, 62, 65 and 67 not yet published, which concern draft regulatory texts issued by the ministers responsible for nuclear safety, will be published in the ASN Official Bulletin on the date said texts are published.

Opinion 2007-AV-0043 of 21 December 2007 does not appear in the ASN 2007 report and is reproduced in this report for 2008.

Reference	Date of the decision	Title
2007-AV-0043	21 December 2007	Concerning the decree authorising CEA to create a basic nuclear installation called Magenta on the Cadarache site in Saint-Paul-Lez-Durance (Bouches-du-Rhône <i>département</i> )
2008-AV-0044	18 January 2008	Concerning draft orders relating to the transport of dangerous goods by land and sea
2008-AV-0045	29 January 2008	Concerning the draft decree amending the decree authorising SOCODEI to create a basic nuclear installation called Centraco on the Marcoule site in the <i>commune</i> of Codolet (Gard <i>département</i> )
2008-AV-0046	5 February 2008	Concerning the decree authorising CEA to create a basic nuclear installation called Agate on the Cadarache site in Saint-Paul-lez-Durance (Bouches-du-Rhône)
2008-AV-0050	22 February 2008	Concerning the draft order authorising the AREVA NC company to continue its water intake and discharge of liquid and gaseous effluents for operation of the classified basic nuclear installation in the <i>commune</i> of Pierrelatte (Drôme <i>département</i> )
2008-AV-0047	6 March 2008	Concerning the request for exemption of the tax debt owed by Louis Pasteur University
2008-AV-0048	31 March 2008	Concerning the draft decree authorising Électricité de France to complete the final shutdown operations and proceed with complete decommissioning of basic nuclear installation 45, referred to as Bugey nuclear power plant reactor 1, located in the <i>commune</i> of Saint-Vulbas
2008-AV-0049	31 March 2008	Concerning the decree authorising the ISOTRON France SAS company to create a basic nuclear installation called Gammatec on the Marcoule site in Chusclan (Gard)
2008-AV-0051	10 April 2008	Concerning the draft order amending the order of 1 June 2001 on the transport of dangerous goods by road

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Reference	Date of the decision	Title
2008-AV-0052	10 April 2008	Concerning the draft order on management of the risk of exposure to radon in the workplace
2008-AV-0054	24 June 2008	Concerning the draft decree on surveillance and monitoring in France of cross-border transfers of radioactive waste and spent nuclear fuels
2008-AV-0055	1 July 2008	Concerning the safety case (DOS) for the future irradiating or alpha and decommissioning waste storage installation (DIADEM) submitted by CEA
2008-AV-0053	11 July 2008	Concerning the draft order approving the system for waste inventory and shipment after treatment of spent fuels from abroad in the basic nuclear installations at La Hague
2008-AV-0056	16 September 2008	Concerning the draft Franco-Belgian inter-governmental agreement on the treatment of spent fuels from the BR2 reactor in Mol (Belgium)
2008-AV-0057	16 September 2008	On the draft decree authorising the CNRS to complete the final shutdown operations and proceed with decommissioning of basic nuclear installation 106, called LURE, located in the <i>communes</i> of Orsay and Bures-sur-Yvette (Essonne <i>département</i> )
2008-AV-0058	26 September 2008	Concerning the draft decree regarding the membership of the High Committee for Transparency and Information on Nuclear Security
2008-AV-0059	28 October 2008	Concerning various draft orders regarding the transport of dangerous goods
2008-AV-0060	28 October 2008	Concerning the draft decree authorising CEA to proceed with final shutdown and decommissioning of basic nuclear installation 54, known as the Chemical Purification Laboratory, located in the <i>commune</i> of Saint-Paul-lez-Durance (Bouches-du-Rhône <i>département</i> )
2008-AV-0061	28 October 2008	Concerning the draft decree authorising CEA to proceed with final shutdown and decommissioning of basic nuclear installation 32, known as the Plutonium Technology Facility, located in the <i>commune</i> of Saint-Paul-lez-Durance (Bouches-du-Rhône <i>département</i> )
2008-AV-0062	13 November 2008	Concerning the draft decree regarding the High Committee for Transparency and Information on Nuclear Security
2008-AV-0064	19 November 2008	Concerning the share of the 2009 budget of the Institute for Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety devoted to ASN technical support work
2008-AV-0063	25 November 2008	Concerning the draft order renewing approval of INSTN as a class 7 driver training organisation
2008-AV-0066	9 December 2008	Concerning the system of waste allocation and the bookkeeping rules specific to Centraco with a view to accepting and treating waste from abroad