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RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

NEA Performance Assessment Advisory Group (PAAG)

Paris, 25th-27th January 1988

The third meeting of the NEA Performance Assessment Advisory Group will take place at the Château de la Muette, 2 rue André Pascal, Paris 16 (Métro Muette), from 25th to 27th January 1988. The meeting will start at 10.00 a.m. on the first day. Delegates participating in the PAAG meeting are advised that the security arrangements in force include the obligation to present an identity document bearing a photograph. This will also be requested at the time of issuing Delegates' cards for the meeting. It should also be presented subsequently together with the card every time OECD premises are entered from the outside. It should be noted that the administrative arrangements necessary for access on the first day may cause delays and participants are therefore advised to arrive in good time for the start of the meeting.

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

- 1. OPENING OF THE MEETING
 - Remarks by the Chairman
- 2. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA PAAG/DOC(87)9
 - Presentation of the proposed agenda by the NEA Secretariat Discussion/
approval
- 3. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE SECOND MEETING OF PAAG SEN/RWH(87)2

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4. COMMENTS ON PAAG ACTIVITIES AT THE LAST MEETING OF THE RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE (RWMC) Item 5 in
SEN/RWM(87)8

Developments since the last meeting

5. RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN MEMBER COUNTRIES

- Each participant is requested to bring a brief written contribution summarising the main points of recent developments and present concerns in the area of performance assessment within his country or organisation. (These contributions will also be used to provide input for the NEA Nuclear Waste Bulletin No. 2 to appear shortly after the PAAG meeting).

For items of particular importance there will be time available, if so requested by a participant, for an oral briefing of the PAAG at the meeting

6. PROGRESS OF REGULAR NEA ACTIVITIES OF PARTICULAR INTEREST TO PAAG

- Recently published NEA reports (Seabed Report, Proceedings from the Uncertainty Workshop, Nuclear Waste Bulletin, Shallow Land Burial report ...) Oral report
- Preparation of a document on policy and strategies in nuclear waste programmes Oral report
- Developments within the work of ISAG (Advisory Group on In-Situ Research and Investigations for Geological Disposal) SEN/RWM(87)10
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- Developments at the NEA Data Bank with regard to resources for the NEA programme on radioactive waste Oral report

Presentation and Discussion of Activities Directly Related to PAAG

7. CONCLUSIONS FROM THE WORKSHOP ON NEAR-FIELD ASSESSMENT OF REPOSITORIES FOR LOW AND MEDIUM LEVEL WASTE PAAG/DOC(87)10

- Possible follow-up actions

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| 8. | NEA INVOLVEMENT IN HYDROCOIN AND INTRAVAL PROJECTS | Oral report |
| 9. | NATURAL ANALOGUES | |
| | - Developments within the International Alligator Rivers Analogue Project | Oral report |
| | - Report from the IAEA Advisory Group meeting on "The Application and Value of Natural Analogue Studies in the Safety Assessment of High-Level Radioactive Waste Repositories" | |
| | - Information on possibilities and plans for additional studies at OKLO | |
| 10. | SCENARIO IDENTIFICATION AND SELECTION | PAAG/DOC(87)8 |
| | - A full day will be devoted to this topic. A report from the first meeting of the working group will be given, together with selected presentations. A detailed programme for this one-day topical workshop will be sent out later. | |
| 11. | PROBABILISTIC SYSTEM ASSESSMENT CODES (PSAC) | |
| | - Future Programme of Activities | PSAC/DOC(87)3 |
| | - Report from the meetings of PSAC in 1987 | PSAC/DOC(87)7
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| 12. | GEOCHEMICAL MODELLING AND DATA | |
| | - The setting-up of a NEA group on Geochemical Modelling and Data | DOC. |
| | - Status Report on the TDB-project and the ISIRS | |
| 13. | INTERACTION EXPERIMENTALISTS/MODELLERS | Oral report |
| | - Status of questionnaire compilation/evaluation | |
| 14. | METHODS AND PROCEDURES TO ASSIGN RESEARCH PRIORITIES | Oral report |
| 15. | PLANNING AND ORGANISATION OF A SYMPOSIUM (1989) ON "ASSESSMENT OF THE LONG TERM SAFETY OF NUCLEAR WASTE REPOSITORIES" | PAAG/DOC(87)11 |

16. PROPOSALS FOR ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES

- PAAG members are invited to raise any issue they feel should be dealt with by the PAAG

Others

17. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

18. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

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