

MEETING NOTICE

March 31, 2004

- Date and Time: March 31, 2004, 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
- Location: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
11545 Rockville Pike
Rockville, MD 20852
Room: T-2-B3
- Purpose: The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is conducting a meeting to inform stakeholders of the status and progress of the National Materials Program (NMP) pilot projects and receive feedback on a range of issues involving the NMP. Areas of discussion will include each pilot project as well as focus on the future structure and framework of the NMP. The discussion and feedback will be used by the staff in the overall assessment report on the pilot projects.
- Attendance: The meeting will be conducted in two segments. The first segment will consist of presentations on the structure and framework of the NMP and the status of the NMP pilot projects. The second segment will be conducted in a "roundtable format" among invited participants representing the broad spectrum of interests that may be affected by the current or any changes to the structure and framework of the NMP. To help facilitate discussions, participants at the table will include representatives of radioactive material licensees, public interest groups, and Federal and State governments. Although the focus of the discussion will be among the invited participants, the meeting is open to the public and there will be opportunities to comment on each agenda item to be discussed by roundtable participants. Individuals interested in participating in roundtable discussions should contact Mr. Lance Rakovan (see "Contacts" below) prior to the meeting. Written comments will also be accepted at the meeting.
- Accommodations: Those needing accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act or having special concerns should contact Gwendolyn Davis in advance at (301) 415-2325; from outside the Washington, DC metropolitan area, call (800) 368-5642, extension 2325 or e-mail: gxd@nrc.gov. Persons planning to attend the meeting should contact Ms. Davis and provide information that will facilitate entrance into the building the day of the meeting.

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Additional
Information: Additional information about the NMP and pilot projects can be found at:
<http://www.hsrn.gov/nrc/materials.htm>.

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