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Washington, DC 20585

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Mr. Robert Bernero  
Director  
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Safety & Safeguards  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Bernero: *Bab*

I am writing to reconfirm my invitation to you to participate in the second Strategic Principles Workshop in Washington, D.C., on January 15-16, 1991. This second workshop is intended to build on the very productive dialogue we had at Salt Lake City earlier this month, and to focus primarily on those issues related to the stewardship of resources and the effectiveness of operations. (Information and suggested options for discussion regarding these issues are addressed in Section 3.2 of the Discussion Draft on Strategic Principles for Planning and Decisionmaking in the Civilian Radioactive Waste Management Program.) Based on the issues that were discussed in Salt Lake City, discussions at this second workshop would be directed at the specific issues addressing the use of dual purpose casks for transportation and storage, contingency planning, the role of utilities and the Federal Government in the management of spent fuel before disposal, MRS-related issues, and management issues. As at Salt Lake City, participants should feel free to address other principles and issues as well.

Enclosed please find an updated list of invited participants; an information sheet regarding logistics arrangements for the Washington workshop; a Dulles Airport-Downtown express bus to hotel schedule; and a preliminary agenda to help you make plans for attendance.

I am looking forward to continuing our dialogue in Washington next month, and I hope you will join me. Please contact Richard Blaney at 202-586-1252 to indicate whether you will participate, or if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

*John W. Bartlett*

John W. Bartlett, Director  
Office of Civilian Radioactive  
Waste Management

Enclosures

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**STRATEGIC PRINCIPLES WORKSHOP  
INVITED PARTICIPANTS**

**Mr. Richard Balzhiser  
Chief Executive Officer  
Electric Power Research Institute**

**Mr. James Barker  
Subcommittee on Energy and  
the Environment  
Committee on Interior and  
Insular Affairs  
U.S. House of Representatives**

**Mr. Robert Bernero  
Director  
Office of Nuclear Material  
Safety & Safeguards  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission**

**Dr. William Colglazier  
Energy, Environment & Resources  
Center  
University of Tennessee**

**Dr. Thomas A. Cotton  
JK Associates**

**Ms. Norma Cox  
President  
Nevada League of Women Voters**

**Mr. Edward M. Davis  
President  
American Nuclear Energy Council**

**Dr. Don U. Deere  
Chairman  
Nuclear Waste Technical Review  
Board**

**Mr. Donald Ellisburg  
Executive Director  
Occupational Health Foundation  
(AFL/CIO)**

Mr. Harold B. Finger  
President  
U.S. Council for Energy Awareness

Dr. Richard J. Guimond  
Director  
Office of Radiation Programs  
Environmental Protection Agency

Mr. Sam Fowler  
Counsel  
Subcommittee on Energy and  
the Environment  
Committee on Interior and  
Insular Affairs  
U.S. House of Representatives

Mr. Charles M. Hardin  
Executive Director  
Conference of Radiation Control  
Program Directors, Inc.

Senator Thomas J. Hickey  
State of Nevada

Ms. Gracia Hillman  
Executive Director  
League of Women Voters  
Education Fund

Mr. Andrew Kadak  
President  
Yankee Atomic Electric Company

Mr. Allen J. Kessler  
Chairman  
American Committee on  
Radwaste Disposal

Ms. A. Gay Kingman  
Executive Director  
National Congress of American  
Indians

Mr. Steve Kraft  
Edison Electric Institute

Mr. Robert Loux, Jr.  
Executive Director  
Nuclear Waste Project Office  
State of Nevada

Dr. Arjun Makhijani  
President  
Institute for Energy and  
Environmental Research  
The Honorable Bob Miller  
Governor of Nevada

Dr. Peter B. Myers  
Executive Director  
Board of Radioactive Waste  
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Mr. Robert H. Neill  
Director  
Environmental Evaluation Group

Mr. Thomas W. Ortciger  
Director  
Illinois Department of  
Nuclear Safety

Mr. Thomas Palmieri  
Chief  
Nuclear Energy Branch  
U.S. Office of Management  
and Budget

Dr. Frank L. Parker  
Department of Environmental  
Engineering  
Vanderbilt University

Ms. Judy Pensabene  
Committee on Energy and  
Natural Resources  
U.S. Senate

Mr. William T. Pound  
Executive Director  
National Conference of  
State Legislatures

Mr. Dan W. Reicher  
Natural Resources Defense Council

Mr. Robert Revert  
Chairman  
Nye County Board of Commissioners

Dr. Raymond Scheppach  
Executive Director  
National Governors Association

Ms. Mary Louise Wagner  
Committee on Energy and  
Natural Resources  
U.S. Senate

Mr. Keith Whipple  
Chairman  
Lincoln County Board of  
Commissioners

Mr. Michael Wilson  
Chairman  
Florida Public Service Commission

Mr. Bruce Woodbury  
Chairman  
Clark County Board of Commissioners

Mr. Joseph Youngblood  
Deputy Director  
Division of High-Level Nuclear Waste  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission

**STRATEGIC PRINCIPLES WORKSHOP  
INFORMATION SHEET**

**Washington, D.C.  
January 15-16, 1991**

The January 15-16, 1991, Strategic Principles Workshop will be held at the Mayflower Hotel, 1127 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C.

A block of rooms has been reserved for Monday, January 14, through Wednesday, January 16, 1991. The guest-room rate is \$82.00 for single occupancy and \$110.00 for double occupancy per night, plus an 11% city tax. In addition, there is a \$1.50 per room, per night occupancy tax. For reservations, you should contact the hotel directly on (202) 347-3000. Please indicate to the reservations staff that you will be attending the "U.S. Department of Energy Meeting." Because we lose our block of rooms on January 4, 1991, reservations should be made without delay. Reservation requests after the 4th are subject to hotel availability. If you are arriving after 6:00 pm, your reservation must be guaranteed with a major credit card number. Please note that rooms may not be ready for occupancy until 3 pm. Check-out time is 1:00 pm.

The Mayflower Hotel is approximately 8 miles from the Washington National Airport and 30 miles from the Washington Dulles International Airport. There are several options for transportation. A taxi ride from Washington Dulles will cost approximately \$30.00 and may vary depending on the time of day and number of passengers. The Washington Flyer provides express bus service to the hotel for \$12.00 one-way and \$22.00 round trip, cash only. This service operates seven days per week (see enclosure 3, Schedule). Tickets can be purchased at the airport and/or the hotel. A taxi ride from Washington National is approximately \$8.00.

For Metro subway riders, the hotel is conveniently located on the Red Line at the Farragut North Station (Connecticut Avenue and L Street). Metro rail service is available from Washington National Airport from 5:30 am - 12:00 midnight. Metro fare to the Farragut North station is \$1.15 during rush hour and \$ .85 all other times. From Washington National take either the Blue Line to Metro Center (train will be marked "Addison Road") or the Yellow Line to Gallery Place. Metro Center and Gallery Place are transfer locations for the Red Line. Follow the signs to the Red Line-Shady Grove/Rockville. Take the Red Line to the Farragut North Station. Exit the Farragut North Station on the "L" Street side. Take the escalator to the street level. The hotel is directly to your right on Connecticut Avenue.

The hotel fax number is (202) 466-9082. In the event your office needs to transmit a fax to you, please make sure that "U.S. Department of Energy Meeting, East Room" is indicated on the cover sheet. Your fax will be delivered to our meeting registration area directly outside of the East Room. There is a \$5.00 charge to send a fax if you are a hotel guest; a \$10.00

charge if you are not staying in the hotel. There is no charge to receive an incoming fax. For your convenience, a message board will be maintained in the same area, to allow the opportunity for periodically checking messages and faxes you may have received. The telephone number in our meeting registration area will be (202) 347-3000, extension 2117, which can be used between 8:00 am and 5:00 pm for directly receiving messages at the Workshop.

# **STRATEGIC PRINCIPLES WORKSHOP**

**Mayflower Hotel**

**Washington, D.C.**

**January 15-16, 1991**

## **PRELIMINARY AGENDA**

### **Wednesday, January 16**

**9:00 - 9:30 am Registration**

**9:30 - 10:00 am Agenda and Workshop Objectives**

**Facilitator**

**10:00 - 11:00 am Discussion of Strategic Principles**

**All Participants**

**11:00 - 11:30 am Break**

**11:30 - 12:30 pm Discussion of Strategic Principles**

**All Participants**

**12:30 - 1:45 pm Lunch**

**1:45 - 2:45 pm Discussion of Strategic Principles**

**All Participants**

**2:45 - 3:15 pm Opportunity for Public Comment**

**Facilitator**

**3:15 - 3:45 pm Break**

**3:45 - 4:30 pm Discussion of Strategic Principles**

**All Participants**

**4:30 - 5:00 pm Wrap-up and Comments**

**Facilitator,  
All Participants,  
Public**

**5:00 pm Adjournment**