

March 15, 2005

U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
REGION I
NOTICE OF LICENSEE MEETING

Licensee: Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc.

Facility: Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station

Docket No.: 50-271

Date/Time: March 17, 2005 at 2:00 p.m.

Location: Governor Hunt House
320 Governor Hunt Road
Vernon, VT 05354

Purpose: The NRC requested an Annual Assessment Meeting with Entergy to discuss NRC's assessment of the safety performance of the Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station for calendar year 2004. NRC's assessment is documented in a letter dated March 2, 2005. The meeting is also intended to provide an opportunity for the NRC to engage interested stakeholders in discussions on Entergy's performance at Vermont Yankee and the role of the agency in ensuring safe plant operations. **Meeting Notice is re-issued to correct the site name on page two of Notice.**

Attendees*:

NRC: B. Holian, Deputy Director, Division of Reactor Projects, Region I
C. Anderson, Chief Projects Branch 5, Region I
D. Pelton, Senior Resident Inspector at Vermont Yankee
B. Sienel, Resident Inspector at Vermont Yankee

Licensee: J. Thayer, Site Vice President
W. Maguire, General Manager Plant Operations
J. Dreyfuss, Manager of Operations
R. Wanczyk, Director of Safety Assurance

Public Participation: This is a Category 1 Meeting. Following the business portion of the meeting, members of the public will have an opportunity to discuss Entergy's performance at Vermont Yankee and the role of the NRC in ensuring safe operations at the plant.

NRC's assessment letter, meeting agenda (attachment to this notice) and NRC Slides can be found in ADAMS (Accession Number ML050610121, ML050690231, ML050690139). ADAMS is accessible for the NRC Web Site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>

Additional information relative to the NRC's Annual Assessment process and the safety performance of Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station can be found on the NRC's web site at: <http://www.nrc.gov/NRR/OVERSIGHT/ASSESS/index.html>

Meeting Contact: Clifford Anderson, Chief Projects Branch 5
610-337-5227
E-mail: cja@nrc.gov.

- C Handicapped persons requiring assistance to attend the meeting shall make their requests known to the NRC meeting contact no later than 2 business days prior to the meeting. Attendance by NRC personnel at this meeting should be made known by March 14, 2005, via telephone to the NRC meeting contact.

/RA D. Florek for/

Approved by: _____
Clifford J. Anderson, Chief
Projects Branch 5
Division of Reactor Projects

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Annual Assessment Meeting Agenda:

- C Introduction
- C Review of Reactor Oversight Process
- C National Summary of Plant Performance
- C Discussion of Plant Performance Results
- C Licensee Response and Remarks
- C NRC Closing Remarks
- C Break
- C NRC available to address public questions