

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Public Roundtable Discussion on Emergency Planning Issues
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*AGENDA

PUBLIC MEETING ON SELECTED TOPICS FOR THE REVIEW OF EMERGENCY
PREPAREDNESS REGULATIONS AND GUIDANCE
FOR COMMERCIAL NUCLEAR POWER PLANTS

Bethesda North Marriott Hotel and Conference Center
(Across from NRC Headquarters)
5701 Marinelli Road
North Bethesda, Maryland 20852
August 31 and September 1, 2005

Wednesday, August 31, 2005

- 8:30 a.m. Meeting objectives, format, ground-rules, participant introductions
F. Cameron, Facilitator
- 8:45 a.m. Welcome and opening remarks
R. Zimmerman, NRC
- 9:00 a.m. Background and history
N. Mamish, NRC
- 9:15 a.m. Overview of industry initiatives
A. Nelson, Nuclear Energy Institute
- 9:30 a.m. Calibration of meeting objectives and overarching issues
Roundtable participant discussion
Audience discussion
- 9:45 a.m. BREAK
- 10:00 a.m. Discussion of onsite enhancements pertaining to the post 9/11 threat
environment:
- Security-based emergency action levels (EALs)
- Onsite protective actions
- Abbreviated notification to NRC
- Emergency response organization augmentation
- Security-based drill and exercise program

Context: T. Blount, NRC

Roundtable participant discussion
- 11:00 a.m. BREAK
- 11:15 a.m. Continued discussion of onsite enhancements

- Audience discussion
- 12:00 p.m. LUNCH
- 1:00 p.m. Discussion of offsite aspects:
- Offsite protective actions
 - Abbreviated notification to offsite response organizations
 - Backup power to siren systems
- Context: C. Conklin, FEMA
- Roundtable participant discussion
Audience discussion
- 2:00 p.m. BREAK
- 2:15 p.m. Protective action recommendation guidance and related issues
- Context: R. Moody, NRC
- Roundtable participant discussion
Audience discussion
- 3:30 p.m. BREAK
- 3:45 p.m. Discussion of other emergency preparedness issues of concern
Audience discussion
- 5:00 p.m. Adjourn for the day

Thursday, September 1, 2005

- 8:00 a.m. Reconvene/Announcements
- 8:15 a.m. Observations regarding previous day discussions
Public comment and discussion
F. Cameron, Facilitator

9:00 a.m. 2005 National Radiological Emergency Preparedness Conference (NREP),
NRC/FEMA Workshop A Parking Lot@ Issues

- Sharing restricted information with offsite responders
- Resources to implement an integrated response
- Alternatives to public alerting
- NRC outreach activities
- Train/inform public and OROs

Context: N. Mamish, NRC
C. Conklin, FEMA

Public comment and discussion
F. Cameron, Facilitator

10:00 a.m. BREAK

10:15 a.m. Continued discussion of A Parking Lot@ issues

11:15 a.m. BREAK

11:30 p.m. Discussion of other emergency preparedness issues of concern

12:15 p.m. Closing Remarks
N. Mamish

12:30 p.m. Adjourn meeting

*Note: This is the official record agenda of the meeting, due to discussions and availability of the participants, the agenda was revised during the meeting.