

April 10, 2008

MEMORANDUM TO: William Burton, Chief  
Environmental Projects Branch 1 (RAP1)  
Division of Site and Environmental Reviews  
Office of New Reactors

FROM: Paul Kallan, Project Manager **/RA/**  
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OF THE SOUTH TEXAS PLANT COMBINED LICENSE APPLICATION  
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Docket Nos.: 52-012 and 52-013

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**LIST OF ATTENDEES**  
**SOUTH TEXAS PLANT ENVIRONMENTAL SCOPING MEETINGS**  
**FEBRUARY 5, 2008**

<b><u>Names</u></b>	<b><u>Affiliations</u></b>
Nilesh Chokshi	U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC)
Francis Cameron	NRC
William Burton	NRC
George Wunder	NRC
Paul Kallan	NRC
Cristina Guerrero	NRC
James Biggins	NRC
Chester Poslusny	NRC
Raj Anand	NRC
Daniel Barrs	NRC
Barry Zalcman	NRC
Hosung Ahn	NRC
Harriet Nash	NRC
Daniel Mussatti	NRC
Irene Yu	NRC
Sara Bernal	NRC
Bruce Olsen	NRC
Gwendolyn Hawkins	NRC
Linda Tello	NRC
Adrienne Redden	NRC
Max Smith	NRC
Nona Diediker	Pacific Northwest National Laboratories (PNNL)
Roger Dirkes	PNNL
Eva Hickey	PNNL (afternoon)
James Becker	PNNL (evening)
Darby Stapp	PNNL (evening)
Ernest Antonio	PNNL (evening)
Janelle Downs	PNNL (evening)
Mike Scott	PNNL (evening)
Charles Kincaid	PNNL (evening)
Paul Hendrickson	PNNL (evening)
Rajiv Prasad	PNNL (evening)
Van Ramsdell	PNNL (evening)
Larry Berg	PNNL (evening)
Michelle Niemeyer	PNNL (evening)

## **APPLICANT AND MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC (Afternoon Meeting)**

### **Names**

### **Affiliations**

A.C. Conrad	
Charles Stillman	CLEAN
Karen Hadden	SEED
Mitch Thames	Chamber of Commerce
Dr. James Hefner	STP
Joe Sheppard	STP
Tom Smith	Public Citizen
John Downing	SHAW Group
Joseph Morton	Palacios Mayor
Maria Hamilton	Nationwide Insurance
Juan Parras	CLEAN/TEJAS
Robert Alvarado	Committee Environmental Justice Action
Lara Cushing	Southwest Workers Union
Eleanor Schwank	Resident of Matagorda/Sierra Club
Ron Duke	Private Citizen
Venice Schearich	Coastal Sierra Bond
Mina Williams, Vice Chair	Sierra Club
Pat Suter, Chair	Sierra Club
Robert Singleton	Citizen
Paul Gunter	Beyond Nuclear
Susan Dancer	Sierra Club
Jennifer Walker	Citizen
Sandra Garcia	Southwest Workers Union
Geoffrey Castro	Citizen
Diana Lopez	Southwest Workers Union
Mark McBurnett	STP
Owen Bludau	Matagorda County Economic Development Corporation
D. C. Dunham	Bay City Community Development
Genaro Rendon	Southwest Workers Union
Cameron Payne	US Citizen
Georgia Rice Herreth	Citizen
James D. Mitchell	Sheriff, Matagorda County
Cyrus Reed	Lone Star Chapter, Sierra Club
Richard Knapik	Bay City Mayor
Larry Merritt	Resident
Jim Cohenour	Citizen Matagorda
Polly Hearn	Citizen
Noriaki Ozawa	JNES – USA
Kay Minkert	Full Stringer
Sam Maghitto	Citizen
Gertrude Harder	Chamber of Commerce
Hellen Neary	Citizen
Jean Fehmel	Public Citizen
Mary C. Whaley	Citizen
Janet Dahse	USPS

Kristin Plunkatt	Citizen
Lisa Tew	MCEDC
Jim Frankson	Local Citizen
Masayuki Kimura	Citizen
Erwin Ward	Citizen
Cindy Krebs	MCHD
Steven Reis	District Attorney
Hope Calderon	Private Citizen
Tom Kovar	Kovar A/C
Anton Caputo	San Antonio Express
Don Hyett	Palacios Community Medical Center
Kathy Nichols	Palacios Community Medical Center
Dianna Kile	US Congressman Ron Paul
Lori Elmer	Public Citizen
Sandra Lott	Public Citizen
Charles Brookhouser	Wells Fargo Bank
Laura G. Lewis	County Citizen
Mary Ruth Rhodenbaugh	Brazoria County
Ira T. Anderson	Citizen
Anna Sue Thompson	Citizen
Kevin Hecht	Bay City Gas Co.
Brent Marceaux	Citizen
William R. Bealefield, Jr.	Nuclear worker
Mike Griffith	Local Citizen
Roy Graft	Self
Tony Rigdon	MCND #1
Lee Dannhaus	Citizen
Roberta Ripke	Palacios Area Fund
Vicki Vaughan	San Antonio Express News
Kevin Murphy	Candidate HD29
Charles R. Winfield	City of Palacios
Blanche Johnson	Citizen
Eugene Johnson	Citizen
Ladell Sump	Citizen
Kevin Moriarts	Public Citizen
Debra Huse	Citizen
Douglas Anderson	Retired
James T. Crawford	Retired
Zentaro Yamashita	NRC
Lurinda Barton	STP
Doug Matthes	Matagorda County
Bill Maher	Private Citizen
Howard T. Ray	CPS, SATX
Cathy Gann	STPNOC
Dotty Grandstaff	Citizen
Danny Reynolds	Citizen
Edna L. Brown	Citizen
Willie Ralline	Chamber of Commerce
Rev. John N. B Pope	1 <sup>st</sup> Presbyterian Church
Robert Bain	First Ag Credit FCS
John Dickerson	Citizen
Tomoyuki Akiyama	Citizen
Gay Kiker	Citizen
Ben Hold	Citizen
Bobbie Greer	The Facts News

Sharon Ward	Citizen
Kim Pierson	MGH
Karen Sher	MCHD
C. Brown	Private Citizen
Julie Green	Fit For Life
Alice Lowery	Private Citizen
Carolyn Thames	Work Source
Laura Beach	ARC
Willie Bonner	ARC
Lee Carson	Private Citizen
David Plunkett	Citizen
Larry Archer	Work Source
Bob Watts	Matagorda Co.
Dora Duncan	Democratic Party
John Weaver	Citizen
Stephanie Merritt	ARC
Mr. L. V. Harvey	Ebenezer Baptist Church
Olell Crockett	Red Cross
Becca Sitz	Citizen
Ben & Sarah Murphy	Citizen
Pat Curry	Red Cross

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<b><u>Names</u></b>	<b><u>Affiliations</u></b>
Tom Smith	Public Citizen
Joe Sheppard	STP
A.C. Conrad	Citizen
Stephen Kale	Resident of San Antonio
Brent Marceaux	Citizen/Bay City, City Council
Owen Bludau	Matagorda County Economic Development Corporation
Paul Gunter	Beyond Nuclear
Bruce Martin	Self
John Corder	Citizen
William Wagner	Citizen
Karen Hadden	SEED Coalition
Ernest J. Opella	Matagorda Co. Citizen
Bobby Head	Matagorda Co. – Resident
Jimmy McCauley	STP
Robert Singleton	Citizen
James D. Mitchell	Sheriff – Matagorda County
Mark McBurnett	STP
Ron Duke	Private Citizen
John Downing	SHAW Group
Dr. James Hefner	STP
Richard Knapik	Bay City Mayor
D. C. Dunham	Bay City Community Development
Geoffrey Castro	Citizen
Joseph Morton	Palacios Mayor
Mitch Thames	Chamber of Commerce
Karen Hadden	SEED
H. C. Clark	Citizen

Chris Peden	Citizen
Mick White	Matagorda County Coalition
Marilyn K. Luder	Red Cross
Nan Eldridge	Wife of Retiree
Kay Northam	Citizen
Andy Erdeli	City of Palacios
Aaron Heinrich	STP 3 & 4 Mechanical Engineering
Emily Heinrich	Citizen
Stephanie Merritt	Citizen
Norm Mayer	STPNOC
Wayne Witte	Business Owner
Martha Brown	Citizen
Betty Scurlock	Matagorda County Hospital District/Palacios EDC
Kurtis Schlicht	Citizen
Breck Sacra	Citizen
Bob Yamrus	Citizen
Basant Dilodare	Citizen
Ram Yelamanchi	Citizen
Robin Henderson	Tetra Tech
David T. Spencer	Self
Chuck Conrad	Private Citizen
Bridget Twigg	Tetra Tech
Emily McKee	Tetra Tech
Mary Carter	Citizen
Bill Curry	STP
Charles Irvine	Blackburn Carter
Mike McGehearty	STPNOC
Cathy Woods	Matagorda General Hospital
Jackie Peden	Citizen
Bill & Anna Strickland	Citizen
Kim Russell	TX AgriLife Ext & Energ
Sandra Horris	Citizen
Christella Rodriguez	Citizen
Kevin Anderson	Debra Ann's
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**AGENDA FOR PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS ENVIRONMENTAL SCOPING PROCESS  
FOR THE SOUTH TEXAS PROJECT, COMBINED LICENSE (COL), UNITS 3 &4**

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2008**

Two Meeting Sessions – 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.\*

- I. Welcome and Purpose of Meeting - 10 minutes (Facilitator, Francis Cameron)
- II. NRC EIS Process and Comment Submittal -10 minutes (Deputy Director, Nilesh Chokshi)
- III. Results of the Safety Review - 15 minutes (Sr. Project Manager, George Wunder)
- IV. Results of the Environmental Review – 15 minutes (Project Manager, Paul Kallan)
- V. Public Comments - 2.5 hours
- VI. Closing/Availability of Transcripts, etc. - 5 minutes (Deputy Director, Nilesh Chokshi)

\*The NRC staff will host informal discussions one hour prior to the meeting. No formal comments on the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) will be accepted during the informal discussions. To be considered, comments must be provided either at the transcribed public meeting (see agenda, above) or in writing, as described in the attached *Federal Register* Notice.

Enclosure 2

Letter from Paul Kallan, dated April 7, 2008

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