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Subject: ESP Working Meetings at ARES Offices, June 22-23

The meetings in our offices next week are scheduled for Wednesday and Thursday June 22 and 23. These are working meetings and the schedule is flexible, but I have attached a draft agenda for the two days meetings in the PowerPoint file. Since this will be the first meeting at which the NRC (Andy and Goutam) will be attending, we will backtrack a bit on S2.1 to go over some of the material that the TRAG has already been presented in order to set the groundwork for the task. S2.2 is just getting started and this will be the first real meeting of the TRAG to discuss the path forward.

Please come business casual, this is a working meeting. We will be meeting in our 6th floor conference room for the first half day and then we will be able to move into the larger ground floor conference room for the next day and a half of the meeting. The meeting will start at 9AM on Wednesday. I would estimate that we would end the meeting sometime Thursday in the mid afternoon, pending the discussion length with both TRAG and the NRC.

I have attached a map of the area showing the location of the ARES office for those of you that have not been here before (there are two slide in powerpoint, one is the area and one is a close up of our office location). If you are staying at either of the Double Tree hotels near our office it is an easy walk to our building. If you are driving there is a parking garage next to our building. Let me know if you have any questions. I will be out of the office Monday and Tuesday next week, but feel free to contact Steve Short for any technical questions and Dee Woods for any logistical questions in my absence. Both can be contacted at our ARES office number of (714) 556-5700. Thanks Greg

<<June 22-23 ARES Mtg Agenda.ppt>> detail.ppt>>

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June 22nd S2.2 Meeting Agenda

- Welcome and Introductions– (Hardy)
- NRC Participation in S Tasks (Murphy)
- ESP Task S2. 2 Description & Goals (Hardy)
- ◆ Summary of EPRI TR-102470 (Merz)
- S2.2 Project Activities (Merz)
 - > In-Structure Amplification Factor
 - > Selection of Bounding Case for Negligible Inelastic Behavior
 - > Fillet Weld Inelastic Behavior (Static and Dynamic)
 - > Simple Equivalent Linear Models
 - > New Procedure for Spectrum Reductions in High Frequency Range
- Suggestions and Directions
 - > TRAG
 - > NRC

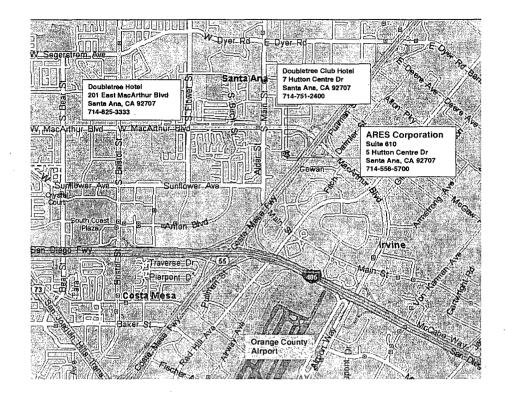
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June 23rd S2.1 and G1.2 Meeting Agenda

- Welcome Introductions (Hardy)
- ESP Task S2.1 Description & Goals (Hardy)
- Abrahamson Coherency Function (Abrahamson)
- ARES Approach for Considering Coherency (Short/Johnson)
- Bechtel Approach for Considering Coherency (Ostadan)
- Benchmark Problem Comparison (Short/Johnson/Ostadan)

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- ◆ S2.1 Results, Schedule and Milestones (Short)
- ♦ G1.2 Task Description (Hardy)
- G1.2 Status (Abrahamson)



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