

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

May 7, 1980

ANNOUNCEMENT AND INVITATION

Eighth Water Reactor Safety Research Information Meeting October 27-31, 1980 National Bureau of Standards (NBS) Gaithersburg, Maryland

The Division of Reactor Safety Research, Office of Nuclear Regulatory Research, NRC, will hold its Eighth Water Reactor Safety Research Information Meeting at the National Bureau of Standards on October 27-31, 1980. The 5-day meeting will highlight research results and accomplishments achieved during the past year. Concurrent sessions covering major research areas are planned as follows:

October 27 - LOFT, Semiscale, and Fuel Behavior Research October 28 - Analysis Development, Fuel Behavior Research, and Instrumentation

October 29 - 2D/3D Program, Separate Effects Tests, and Reactor Operational Safety Programs

October 30 - Metallurgy and Materials and Seismic Safety
Research

October 31 - Metallurgy and Materials, Structural Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, and Site Safety Research

The agenda for this meeting will be sent to you at a later date. With the exception of Metallurgy and Materials, the sessions scheduled on October 30 and 31 in the areas of Seismic Safety Research, Structural Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, and Site Safety Research are appearing for the first time in this series of meetings.

There will be a registration fee of \$7.00 per day for each day of attendance at the meeting, payable at the time of the meeting. Please do not send in advance payments. The registration charge is necessary to defray costs of prepaid luncheons and refreshments. Cafeteria tickets will be issued as in the past and access to the cafeteria can only be made through the presentation of a cafeteria ticket.

Those intending to attend this meeting should make their own arrangements for housing accommodations and transportation to the meeting site (NBS). Information on motel accommodations is enclosed with this announcement. We are planning to have bus service from the motels listed to NBS for NRC and DOE personnel, including NRC/DOE contractors, consultants, and foreign visitors. If bus arrangements are approved, notices will be posted at each motel lobby.

To help us with the planning for this meeting, we would like to know if you plan to attend. Please complete the attached registration form and mail to the address given at the bottom of the form. If additional information is desired, please contact Mr. Stanley A. Szawlewicz (301-427-4254) who is in charge of the arrangements for this meeting.

Sincerely,

Robert J. Budnitz, Director

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Office of Nuclear Regulatory Research

Enclosures:

1. Motel Information

2. Registration Form

Motel Information for the Eighth Water Reactor Safety Research Information Meeting, October 27-31, 1980

Individuals planning to attend the 8th Water Reactor Safety Research Information Meeting should make their own motel reservations. Reservations should be made early to assure accommodations. Although the motels listed on this page have set aside blocks of rooms for attendees at the safety meeting, this does not constitute an endorsement of these motels by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission and other motels in the area may be contacted for accommodations. When making reservations please indicate (for the motels listed) that you are planning to attend the 8th Water Reactor Safety Research Information Meeting sponsored by NRC as a means of expediting and assuring reservations within the blocks of rooms being held for this purpose. The rates listed below were quoted in March 1980 and may be somewhat higher by October 1980.

Holiday Inn, Gaithersburg, Maryland 20760

Phone 301-948-8900

Rates: \$41.00 single and \$46.00 double, plus 10% tax Reservations must be made by October 12, 1980

Holiday Inn, Silver Spring, 8777 Georgia Ave.

Silver Spring, Maryland 20910

Phone 301-589-0800

Rates: \$40.00 single and \$44.00 double, plus 10% tax Reservations must be made by October 10, 1980

Sheraton Potomac Inn, 3 Research Court, Rockville, Maryland 20850

Phone 301-840-0200

Rates: \$44.00 single and \$52.00 double, plus 10% tax Reservations must be made by October 12, 1980 Use Group #2010 when making reservations

Ramada Inn, 1251 W. Montgomery Ave., Rockville, Maryland 20850

Phone 301-424-4940

Rates: \$43.00 single and \$51.00 double, plus 10% tax \$38.00 single and \$48.00 double with copy of government travel orders

Reservations must be made by October 10, 1980

Washingtonian Motel, Interstate Rt. 270 at Shady Grove Road Gaithersburg, Maryland 20760

Phone 301-948-2200

Rates: \$38.00 single and \$46.00 double, plus 10% tax Reservations must be made by October 12, 1980

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To be held at:

National Bureau of Standards Gaithersburg, MD

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