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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON REACTOR SAFEGUARDS

Notice of Proposed Meetings

In order to provide advance information regarding proposed meetings of the ACRS Subcommittees and Working Groups, and of the full Committee, the following preliminary schedule reflects the current situation, taking into account additional meetings which have been scheduled and meetings which have been postponed or cancelled since the last list of proposed meetings published July 25, 1980 (45 FR 49723). Those meetings which are definitely scheduled have had, or will have, an individual notice published in the Federal Register approximately 15 days (or more) prior to the meeting. Those Subcommittee and Working Group meetings for which it is anticipated that there will be a portion or all of the meeting open to the public are indicated by an asterisk (*). It is expected that the sessions of the full Committee meeting designated by an asterisk (*) will be open in whole or in part to the public. ACRS full Committee meetings begin at 8:30 a.m. and Subcommittee and Working Group meetings usually begin at 8:30 a.m. The exact time when items listed on the agenda will be discussed during full Committee meetings and when Subcommittee and Working Group meetings will start will be published prior to each meeting. Information as to whether a meeting has been firmly scheduled, cancelled, or rescheduled, or whether changes have been made in the agenda for the September 1980 ACRS full Committee meeting can be obtained by a prepaid telephone call to the Office of the Executive Director of the Committee (telephone 202/634-3267, ATTN: Mary E. Vanderholt) between 8:15 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., EDT.

ACRS SUBCOMMITTEE MEETINGS

*Class 9 Accidents, August 28, 1980, Washington, DC. The Subcommittee will discuss hydrogen generation and control methods and degraded core/core melt accidents. Notice of this meeting was published August 13.

*Structural Engineering, September 2, 1980, Washington, DC. The Subcommittee will review the structrual integrity of Ice Condenser Containments similar to that for the Sequoyah Plant. Notice of this meeting was published August 18.

*Safety Philosophy, Technology and Criteria, September 3, 1980, Washington, DC. The Subcommittee will review the NRC Staff's general approach to developing licensing requirements in a number of areas, including Near-Term Construction Permit (NTCP) requirements, the effect of non-safety systems on plant safety functions, and the requirements for future LWRs. The Subcommittee will also begin a review of the potential for cascading failures in nuclear power plants. Notice of this meeting was published August 19.

*Reactor Fuel, September 3, 1980 (Afternoon), Washington, DC. The Subcommittee expects to complete its review of NUREG 0630, "Cladding Swelling and Rupture Models for LOCA Analysis." Notice of this meeting was published August 19.

*Regulatory Activities, September 3, 1980, Washington, DC. Postponed to October 8. Notice of this meeting was published July 25.

*Combination of Dynamic Loads, September 18-19, 1980, Washington, DC.

Postponed to November (exact date to be determined). Notice of this meeting was published July 25.

*Ad Hcc ACRS Subcommittee, September 19-20, 1980, Washington, DC (Rescheduled from September 18-19, Pasadena, CA). The Subcommittee will meet with representatives of the Reactor Safety Committee (RSK) of the Federal Republic of Germany to discuss the design of B&W NSSS small break LOCAs, feedwater systems and changes in the NRC siting criteria. Notice of this meeting was published July 25.

*Crystal River Nuclear Power Plant, Unit No. 3, September 26, 1980, (Tentative)
Washington, DC. The Subcommittee will review a transient that caused flooding of the Crystal River 3 containment and will review the NRC Staff recommendation on the Crystal River 3 fix. Notice of this meeting was published July 25.

- *Dresden Nuclear Power Plant, Unit 1, October 3, 1980, Washington, DC. The Subcommittee will discuss: 1) The method proposed by Commonwealth Edison Company to decontaminate the primary cooling system of Dresden Unit 1.
- 2) The Canadian Decontamination Process (CAN-DECON Concept) 3) Adequacy of processing and disposing of the radioactive waste resulting from the chemical decontamination. 4) Comments received from Federal Agencies and the public relating to decontamination of Dresden Unit 1.

*Waste Management, October 3, 1980, Washington, DC. The Subcommittee will discuss proposed rulemaking on the technical criteria for regulating geological disposal of high-level radioactive waste (PR-60, published May 13, 1980, 45 FR 31393, "Geological Disposal Technical Criteria").

*Reactor Operations, October 7, 1980, Washington, DC. The Subcommittee will review a draft of the NRC Proposed Plan to Implement the Requirement of Section 110 of the NRC FY-80 Authorization Bill (The Bingham Amendment) which calls for the identification of each current rule and regulation that the Commission determines to be of particular significance to the protection of the public health and safety, and determination of the extent to which each currently operating plant complies with these identified rules and regulations. Also, the Subcommittee plans to address various ACRS generic items assigned to it to monitor.

*Regulatory Activities, October 8, 1980, (Rescheduled from September 3),
Washington, DC. The Subcommittee will review Proposed Regulatory Guide 1.12,
Revision 2, "Instrumentation for Earthquakes"; Regulatory Guide (Task No. RS 705-4), "Lightning Protection for Nuclear Power Plants"; Regulatory Guide (Task No. SC 704-5), "Functional Specification for Safety-Related Valve
Assemblies in Nuclear Power Plants"; and Regulatory Guide (Task No. RS 809-5),
"Qualification Tests for Cable Penetration Fire Stops for Use in Nuclear Power Plants." Notice of this meeting was published July 25.

*Safety Philosophy, Technology and Criteria, October 8, 1980, Washington, DC. Cancelled.

*Emergency Core Cooling Systems, October 15-16, 1980, Idaho Falls, ID. The Subcommittee will review new data from the LOFT and Semiscale Programs on Reactor Coolant Pump (RCP) Trip, and the progress of and plans for these Programs. Notice of this meeting was published July 25.

*Improved Safety Systems, October, 1980, Washington, DC. Cancelled.
Notice of this meeting was puublished July 25.

*Three Mile Island Nuclear Power Plant, Unit No. 1, Octber 30-31, 1980

(Rescheduled from August 5-6,), Washington, DC. The Subcommittee will review the modification made to TMI-1 in preparation for a restart following the TMI-2 accident. Notice of this meeting was published August 1.

*Regulatory Activities, November 5, 1980, Washington, DC. The Subcommittee will review proposed regulatory guides, regulations and revisions to existing regulatory guides and regulations; also, it may discuss pertinent activities which affect the current licensing process and/or reactor operation.

*Combination of Dynamic Loads, November, 1980 (exact date to be determined, rescheduled from September 18-19) Washington, DC. The Subcommittee will continue its review regarding the use of dynamic load combinations as a design basis for nuclear power plants.

*Evaluation of Licensee Event Reports (LERs), November, 1980 (exact date to be determined), Washington, DC. The Subcommittee will discuss with representatives of the NRC Staff possible modifications to the NRC collection and storage of operational data from nuclear power plants.

ACRS FULL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Setember 4-6, 1980

- A. *Sequoyah Nuclear Power Plant, Units No.1 and No. 2: Topics related to plant operation and ability to deal with a major accident.
- B. *Boiling Water Reactors: Reliability of control rod scram systems.
- C. *Quantitative Risk Criteria: Proposed criteria for regulation of nuclear plants.
- D. *Review of NRC Regulatory Criteria and Reevaluation of Operating Nuclear

 Power Plants: Proposed plan of action.
- E. *Cladding Swelling and Rupture Models for LOCA Analysis (NUREG-0630):

 Proposed revisions.
- F. *North Anna Nuclear Power Station, Unit No. 2: Review of operation and risk assessment.
- G. *NRC Safety Research Program: Proposed budget for FY-1982/1983.

October 9-11, 1980: Agenda to be announced.

November 6-8, 1980: Agenda to be announced.

Date: August 19, 1580

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