

AGENDA

Title: **BRIEFING ON REGION I ACTIVITIES AND EXTERNAL ENGAGEMENT
(Public Meeting)**

Purpose: To provide the Commission with an overview of Region I activities, as well as views from external stakeholders regarding communications from, and interactions with, NRC regional staff.

Scheduled: **November 16, 2023
9:00 am**

Duration: Approximately 3 hours

Location: Region I, Main Conference Room (Market and Broad)

External Panel **30 mins.***

Jeff Semancik, Director, Radiation Division for the Connecticut
Department of Energy and Environmental Protection **6 mins.**

Topic:

- Perspectives on becoming an Agreement State

Thomas Congdon, Executive Deputy, Department of Public Service and
Chair, Indian Point Decommissioning Oversight Board **6 mins.**

Topic:

- State roles and responsibilities in the power plant decommissioning process and NRC engagement with stakeholders

Sarah Abramson, Executive Director, C-10 Research & Education Foundation **6 mins.**

Topic:

- NRC oversight and communications on the alkali-silica reaction at Seabrook

Matt Herr, Senior Vice President, Mid-Atlantic Operations, Constellation Energy **6 mins.**

Topic:

- Licensee perspectives on NRC's use of risk insights in the inspection program and communications with the NRC and state and local governments
- Licensee experiences with transition to safety-related digital instrumentation and control equipment

Marco M. Torres, Sterilization Principal Engineer and Radiation Safety Officer,
Baxter Healthcare Corporation **6 mins.**

Topic:

- Activities to sterilize medical products and interactions with the NRC

Commission Q & A **40 mins.**

Break **10 mins.**

NRC Staff Panel

30 mins.*

Daniel H. Dorman, Executive Director for Operations

Topic:

- Introduction

Daniel S. Collins, Deputy Regional Administrator

Topic:

- Overview of Region I activities, including ongoing hiring initiatives, training, office space, and outreach to external stakeholders

Farah Gaskins, Regional Agreement State Program Officer, Region I

Topic:

- Regional support to states that are becoming Agreement States

Mel Gray, Chief, Engineering Branch 1, Division of Operating Reactor Safety

Topic:

- Engineering inspection program, key technical challenges, and stakeholder outreach

Jason Schussler, Senior Resident Inspector, Ginna Nuclear Power Station

Topic:

- Resident inspection priorities and challenges

Elizabeth Andrews, Technical Assistant, Division on Radiological Safety and Safeguards

Topic:

- Overview of Region I culture team activities

Commission Q & A

40 mins.

Discussion – Wrap-up

5 mins.

* For presentation only and does not include time for Commission Q & A's