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ALL AGREEMENT STATES
INDIANA, WEST VIRGINIA

ACCEPTANCE TO THE SAFETY ASPECTS OF INDUSTRIAL RADIOGRAPHY (H-305)
COURSE (STC-26-052)

Purpose: To provide notification to the States of students selected to attend the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (NRC's) Safety Aspects of Industrial Radiography (H-305) course to be held October 19-22, 2026, in St. Rose, Louisiana.

Background: The NRC provides funding to the Agreements States for training and the associated travel.

Discussion: Students selected to attend the October 19-22, 2026, Safety Aspects of Industrial Radiography (H-305) Course in St. Rose, LA are provided in Enclosure 1. Please provide this notification to each individual from your program that has been accepted to this course. Students selected to attend this course will be paid travel and per diem by the NRC. Detailed guidance for students is provided in Enclosure 2. Please inform us of any withdrawals immediately so that individuals on the waiting list have an opportunity to attend.

If you have any questions regarding this correspondence, please contact the individual named below:

POINT OF CONTACT: Karen Meyer
TELEPHONE: (301) 465-0791

E-MAIL: AStrainingandtravel.Resource@nrc.gov

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Adelaide S. Giantelli".

Signed by Adelaide Giantelli on 08/26/26

Adelaide S. Giantelli, Chief
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and State Programs
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Enclosures:

1. List of Students
2. Instructions for Students

SAFETY ASPECTS OF INDUSTRIAL RADIOGRAPHY COURSE (H-305)

October 19-22, 2026

St. Rose, Louisiana

Participant(s)	State
Joseph McCarthy	CA
Vanessa Linero	CO
Camilla Guy	FL
Visal Sovis	IL
Stewart Beard	LA
Kerry Jones	LA
Elijan Cordrey	PA
Jocelyn Thwaite	PA
Kelly Day	TN
Emma Sizemore	TN
Ethan Samelson	TX DSHS
Ester Gadelha	TX DSHS
Sindiso Ncube	TX DSHS
Donnie Diaz	TX DSHS
Carley Cardwell	TX DSHS
Kent Franke	TX DSHS

INSTRUCTIONS TO STUDENTS

ACCEPTANCE: Individuals listed in Enclosure 1 have been accepted for participation in the Safety Aspects of Industrial Radiography (H-305) Course. This course is scheduled to be presented October 19-22, 2026, provided by instructors from Source Production and Equipment Company (SPEC), 113 Teal Street, St. Rose, Louisiana. The telephone number for the training site is (504) 464-9471.

COURSE: The course starts at 8:00 a.m. central time on Monday, October 19th and ends at 5:00 p.m. central time on Thursday, October 22nd.

LODGING AND TRAVEL: Please plan to arrive on Sunday, October 18th, and depart on Thursday, October 22nd. If there are no flights available that would allow you to arrive home before midnight on Thursday, you may choose to depart on Friday, October 23rd. In this event, NRC will provide reimbursement for hotel on Thursday night and per diem on Friday. Students need to make their lodging and air travel arrangements through El Sol Travel at (844) 244-6694 and indicate that the travel is "Invitational" for the NRC. Please select a fully refundable government fare, El Sol Travel will direct bill the NRC for the flight. Traveler is responsible for providing a personal credit card to El Sol to reserve the hotel at the federal rate or lower, hotels are **not** direct billed to NRC. If the need arises and you must make a change and/or cancel, contact Karen Meyer at (301) 465-0791 at least 2 weeks prior to the course.

Please complete the Travel Application Form which will be provided to you and submit to ASTrainingandtravel.Resource@nrc.gov, at your earliest opportunity, but **no later** than, Friday, October 9th. The per diem for New Orleans, LA is \$179 for hotels and \$80 for meals and incidentals. The first and last day of travel is calculated at 75 percent (\$60). Students are responsible for their own transportation (taxi/uber/subway, etc.) between the hotel and the training center. If you are authorized to drive your personal vehicle, the Federal mileage reimbursement is 76 cents per mile.

- Hotel **must** be reserved with ElSol.
- State vehicles are **not** authorized for mileage reimbursement. Hotel parking is reimbursable.
- Rental cars are **not** authorized for reimbursement.
- Airport parking is allowed for personal and State vehicles; however, will only be reimbursed up to the standard rate (i.e., no valet parking).
- Pre-paid airport parking is **not** allowed. You need to pay after the travel. Any pre-paid parking will be denied.
- Must provide **ALL** receipts for items over \$75. You need to list individual taxi/uber/lyft as separate items on the NRC-64 Voucher (page 2) – **NO** lump total.
- Hotel receipt **must** be a zero balance and included in the voucher.
- Travel is allowed the day before and day after if you will not arrive home by midnight on the last day of class.
- For personal vehicles, you will need to include a map showing the mileage to and from.

In addition, you will need to complete the attached NRC-64 voucher for reimbursement upon return from travel, **no later** than, Friday, October 30th. Review the itemized list for accuracy,

including hotel, hotel tax and any additional authorized expenses. Additional expenses that were not included may be denied on a case-by-case basis. Sign the NRC-64 and e-mail back to AStrainingandtravel.Resource@nrc.gov with your hotel (individual days & a zero balance), taxi/uber (**tip not to exceed 15%**), flight receipt, and all other receipts over \$75.

Specific questions about the course can be sent directly to the NRC's Course Manager, Carmen Dykes (carmen.dykes@nrc.gov).