

William Dornsife

Mr. Dornsife graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy in 1966 and served several years on a nuclear submarine after completing nuclear power school and prototype. After his naval service, he received an M.S. degree in Nuclear Engineering from Ohio State. He then worked for about three years for a major engineering company designing nuclear power plants and performing licensing functions. He began working for the Pennsylvania Bureau of Radiation Protection in 1976 as a Nuclear Engineer. After the TMI accident, he was promoted to the newly-created position of Chief of the Nuclear Safety Division. In 1992, he was appointed as Director of the Bureau of Radiation Protection. In these positions, he was responsible for the implementation and regulation of the host state responsibilities for the Appalachian Compact. In December 1997, he retired from government service and accepted a position with Waste Control Specialists (WCS). In this position he has been responsible for nuclear related regulatory activities of WCS. He is currently Executive VP for Licensing & Regulatory Affairs.

He is a registered professional engineer in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. He is an honorary member of the National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements (NCRP), and was chairperson of the NCRP Committee on Waste Avoidance and Volume Reduction that published NCRP Report 143. He is a past Chairperson of the Conference of Radiation Control Program Directors (CRCPD). He has participated nationally in a variety of national forums on radioactive waste management and other radiation issues.