

Office of Public Affairs
Items of Interest
Week Ending May 7, 2004

Media Interest

The Office of Public Affairs (OPA) responded to significant media inquiries on the following:

Entergy's request for a power uprate at the Vermont Yankee nuclear plant.

New NRC studies on the reactor vessel head corrosion at the Davis-Besse nuclear plant.

NRC's announcement of Davis-Besse Notice of Violation without a fine concerning containment coatings and the reactor sump.

Other Public Affairs Items

OPA staff assisted at public meetings in Las Vegas (Yucca Mountain).

Press Releases	
Headquarters:	
04-052	NRC to Host Open House May 10 in Nevada (5/3)
04-053	Note to Editors: NRC Issues Information on Studies Related to the Davis-Besse Reactor Head (5/4)
04-054	NRC Issues Review Standard for Early Site Permit Applications (5/4)
04-055	NRC Provides Update on Review Process for Vermont Yankee Uprate Request (5/5)
Regions:	
I-04-026	NRC Upgrades Inspection Team Looking into Worker Exposures at Puerto Rico Irradiator Facility (5/4)
I-04-027	NRC Proposes \$7,500 Fine Against New Jersey Firm for Failing to Maintain Control of Nuclear Gauge (5/7)
II-04-037	NRC Staff to Hold Public Meeting with Southern Nuclear May 14 to Discuss Initial Farley Plant License Renewal Inspection (5/7)
II-04-038	NRC Schedules Regulatory Conference to Discuss Inspection Finding at Brunswick Nuclear Plant (5/7)
III-04-030	NRC Davis-Besse Oversight Panel to Meet May 13 in Ohio (5/6)
III-04-031	Meeting to Discuss Results of Special Inspection at D.C. Cook (5/6)
III-04-032	NRC Begins Special Inspection of Shutdown at Dresden Nuclear Plant (5/6)

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