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SECRETARY

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Dear Dr. Musolino:

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is pleased that you will participate in a public Commission meeting on economic consequences, on September 11, 2012, at 9:00 a.m. The meeting will be held in the Commissioners' Conference Room on the first floor of the NRC's Headquarters building at One White Flint North, Rockville, Maryland. The Commission is interested in hearing your views, representing the Health Physics Society, providing a technical assessment of contamination. I am enclosing a copy of the draft meeting agenda for your information (enclosure 1). My staff will keep you informed of any updates to the agenda. The staff has a notation vote paper on economic consequences due to the Commission on August 14, 2012. As soon as the paper is publicly released, my staff will provide it to you.

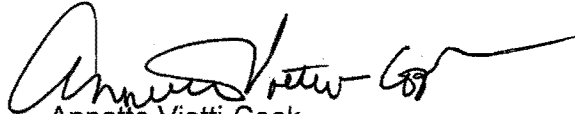
To assist the Commission in preparing for the meeting, please e-mail any written material, including slides/viewgraphs, to Ms. Rochelle Baval and Ms. Sandy Joosten (rochelle.baval@nrc.gov and sandy.joosten@nrc.gov) in the Office of the Secretary, by September 4, 2012, so that it can be distributed to the Commission for review in advance of the meeting. Enclosed are guidelines for slides, if you choose to use them (enclosure 2). PowerPoint is the preferred format, but other electronic presentation formats may be used. This Commission meeting will be webcast live at the Web address: www.nrc.gov. If you intend to use slides, they will also be posted on the NRC website prior to the meeting. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Baval at 301-415-1651.

Your presentation at the Commission meeting should be based on the assumption that Commissioners are familiar with the content of your written material. Please plan your oral presentation for 10 minutes, discussing the important points on which you wish to focus the Commission's attention.

The NRC Headquarters building is located opposite the White Flint Metro Station on Rockville Pike and Marinelli Drive, Rockville, Maryland. The White Flint Metro Station is on the Red Line of the Washington area subway system. Reserved visitor parking for Commission guests is available. If you wish to use reserved parking, please notify Ms. Baval in advance. If reserved parking has been arranged, please check-in with the security staff at the entrance to the NRC campus on Marinelli Drive when you arrive. A Security Guard will call for an escort. Please

note that visitors will be screened through metal detectors, will have their packages x-rayed, and will be required to present a picture identification card prior to signing in at the registration desk.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Annette Vietti-Cook", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Annette Vietti-Cook
Secretary of the Commission

Enclosures:

1. Draft Agenda
2. Briefing Visuals Guidance

Final: 7/24/12

SCHEDULING NOTE

Title: **BRIEFING ON ECONOMIC CONSEQUENCES
(Public Meeting)**

Purpose: To provide the Commission with a discussion on current approaches for considering economic consequences.

Scheduled: **September 11, 2012
9:00 am**

Duration: Approx. 3 hours and 35 minutes

Location: Commissioners' Conference Room

Participants: **Presentation**

External Panel **50 mins.***

Marv Fertel, President and Chief Executive Officer, **10 mins.***
Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI)

Topic: Industry perspective on consideration of the impacts of offsite contamination for nuclear materials and production and utilization facilities

Ed Lyman, Senior Staff Scientist, Union of Concerned Scientists (UCS) **10 mins.***

Topic: UCS perspective consideration of the impacts of offsite contamination for nuclear materials and production and utilization facilities

Richard Jones, Director, Underwriting, American Nuclear Insurers (ANI) **10 mins.***

Topic: Background on indemnity of nuclear materials and production and utilization facilities with respect to the effects of offsite contamination

Environmental Protection Agency** **10 mins.

(Not yet Confirmed.)

(POC is Al McGartland, Director, Science Policy and Analysis Division)

Topic: How EPA analyzes the benefits, costs, and economic impacts of regulations and policies, and the net benefits and impacts of EPA policies and programs targeting land cleanup and reuse

Stephen Musolino, Health Physics Society **10 mins.***

Topic: Technical assessment of contamination

Commission Q & A **50 mins.**

Break **5 mins.**

NRC Staff Panel

55 mins.*

Bill Borchardt, Executive Director for Operations

5 mins.*

Topic: Introduction

Bradley Jones, Assistant General Counsel, Office of General Counsel

10 mins.*

Topic: Legal position for consideration of offsite contamination in the regulatory framework

Timothy McGinty, Director, Division of Policy and Rulemaking, NRR

10 mins.*

Topic: NRR perspective on considering offsite contamination in backfitting and regulatory analyses

Charles Ader, Director, Division of Safety Systems & Risk

10 mins.*

Assessment, NRO

Topic: NRO perspective on considering offsite contamination in environmental analysis

Deborah Jackson, Deputy Director, Division of Intergovernmental

10 mins.*

Liaison and Rulemaking, FSME

Topic: FSME/NMSS perspective on considering offsite contamination in backfitting and regulatory analyses

Richard Correia, Director, Division of Risk Analysis, RES

10 mins.*

Topic: Alternatives for enhancing the consideration of the impact of offsite contamination in the regulatory process

Commission Q & A

50 mins.

Discussion – Wrap-up

5 mins.

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

Documents:

Notation Vote Paper on economic consequences due August 14, 2012.

Staff background material due to SECY: August 27, 2012.

Slides due to SECY: September 4, 2012.

*EPA documents –

Guidelines for Preparing Economic Analyses

<http://yosemite.epa.gov/ee/epa/eed.nsf/webpages/guidelines.html>, and

Handbook on the Benefits, Costs, and Impacts of Land Cleanup and Reuse

<http://yosemite.epa.gov/ee/epa/eed.nsf/webpages/LandHandbook.html>.

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