

August 28, 2015

MEMORANDUM TO: James Rubenstone, Acting Director
Yucca Mountain Directorate
Office of Nuclear Material Safety
and Safeguards

FROM: Christine Pineda, Project Manager */RA/*
Yucca Mountain Directorate
Office of Nuclear Material Safety
and Safeguards

SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF AUGUST 26 PUBLIC TELECONFERENCE
REGARDING THE PROCESS FOR SUBMITTING COMMENTS ON
THE NRC STAFF'S DRAFT EIS SUPPLEMENT

On Wednesday, August 26, 2015, members of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff held a Category 3 public meeting via teleconference. The purpose of the call was to describe the ways that members of the public may provide comments on the NRC staff's draft supplement to the U.S. Department of Energy's environmental impact statement for the proposed high-level waste repository at Yucca Mountain, Nevada. Participants in the call were provided an opportunity to ask questions about the public meetings and comment submittal process.

Approximately 43 people attended the teleconference. Meeting attendees included members of the public, members of federal, state and local government organizations, and members of industry and public advocacy groups. A list of meeting attendees is attached to this summary.

The NRC staff began the teleconference by providing attendees with general historical background concerning the Yucca Mountain repository licensing process. The NRC staff then gave a brief summary of the draft supplement and provided information about how to comment on the supplement at public meetings, by mail, or electronically through the regulations.gov website.

Questions and concerns raised during the public comment portion of the meeting included: requests to extend the public comment period and hold additional public meetings; requests to provide information to grassroots organizations; requests to post documents on the NRC's website; concerns about the *Federal Register* notice; and concerns about the ease of use of the regulations.gov website.

Enclosure: Meeting Attendees List

CONTACT: Christine Pineda, NMSS/YMD
(301) 415-6789

August 28, 2015

MEMORANDUM TO: James Rubenstone, Acting Director
Yucca Mountain Directorate
Office of Nuclear Material Safety
and Safeguards

FROM: Christine Pineda, Project Manager */RA/*
Yucca Mountain Directorate
Office of Nuclear Material Safety
and Safeguards

SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF AUGUST 26 PUBLIC TELECONFERENCE REGARDING THE
PROCESS FOR SUBMITTING COMMENTS ON THE NRC STAFF'S DRAFT
EIS SUPPLEMENT

On Wednesday, August 26, 2015, members of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff held a Category 3 public meeting via teleconference. The purpose of the call was to describe the ways that members of the public may provide comments on the NRC staff's draft supplement to the U.S. Department of Energy's environmental impact statement for the proposed high-level waste repository at Yucca Mountain, Nevada. Participants in the call were provided an opportunity to ask questions about the public meetings and comment submittal process.

Approximately 43 people attended the teleconference. Meeting attendees included members of the public, members of federal, state and local government organizations, and members of industry and public advocacy groups. A list of meeting attendees is attached to this summary.

The NRC staff began the teleconference by providing attendees with general historical background concerning the Yucca Mountain repository licensing process. The NRC staff then gave a brief summary of the draft supplement and provided information about how to comment on the supplement at public meetings, by mail, or electronically through the regulations.gov website.

Questions and concerns raised during the public comment portion of the meeting included: requests to extend the public comment period and hold additional public meetings; requests to provide information to grassroots organizations; requests to post documents on the NRC's website; concerns about the *Federal Register* notice; and concerns about the ease of use of the regulations.gov website.

Enclosure: Meeting Attendees List

DISTRIBUTION:

PUBLIC

NMSS/YMD Distribution

CSafford (OGC)

AGendelman (OGC)

Miriam Juckett (mjuckett@swri.org)

ADAMS Accession No.: **MLxxxxxxxxx**

OFFICE	NMSS/YMD	OGC	NMSS/YMD
NAME	CPineda	AGendelman	JRubenstone
DATE	8/28/2015	8/31/2015	8/28/2015

OFFICIAL RECORD COPY

List of Attendees
Public Teleconference on Process for Submitting Comments on the
Draft Supplement to the DOE Yucca Mountain EISs
August 26, 2015; 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

	First Name	Last Name	Organization or Affiliation (if known)
1	Mike	Baughman	Intertech Services Corporation
2	Diane	D'Arrigo	Nuclear Information and Resource Service
3	Steve	Frishman	Nevada Agency for Nuclear Projects
4	Paula	Gotsch	New Jersey Affordable, Clean, Reliable Energy Coalition
5	Michael	Griffen	Private Citizen
6	Bob	Halstead	Nevada Agency for Nuclear Projects
7	Maureen	Headington	Stand Up Save Lives Campaign
8	Ace	Hoffman	Nuke Free North County
9	Greg	James	Inyo County, California
10	Abigail	Johnson	Eureka County, Nevada
11	Kevin	Kamps	Beyond Nuclear
12	Judith	Kaufman	Private Citizen
13	Michael	Keegan	Coalition for a Nuclear-Free Great Lakes
14	Darrell	Lacy	Nye County, Nevada
15	Bret	Leslie	Nuclear Waste Technical Review Board
16	Marvin	Lewis	Private Citizen
17	Martin	Malsch	Egan, Fitzpatrick, Malsch & Lawrence
18	Rod	McCullum	Nuclear Energy Institute
19	Katrina	McMurrian	Nuclear Waste Strategy Coalition
20	Alfred	Meyer	Private Citizen
21	Mary	Olson	Nuclear Information and Resource Service
22	Jacob	Paz	Private Citizen
23	Suzanne	Rhodes	Private Citizen
24	Cathreen	Richards	Inyo Co, California
25	Tom	Rielly	Private Citizen
26	Rhonda	Roff	Private Citizen
27	Marthea	Rountree	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
28	Susan	Shapiro	Indian Point Safe Energy Coalition
29	Connie	Simkins	Lincoln County, Nevada
30	Vinny	Spotleson	Private Citizen
31	Michael	Thorne	Private Citizen
32	Mark	Tynan	Private Citizen
33	Heather	Westra	Prairie Island Indian Community
34	Tom	Zimmer	Private Citizen
35	Chip	Cameron	Zero Gravity Group
36	David	Decker	Nuclear Regulatory Commission
37	Randall	Fedors	Nuclear Regulatory Commission

Enclosure

	First Name	Last Name	Organization or Affiliation (if known)
38	Adam	Gendelman	Nuclear Regulatory Commission
39	Miriam	Juckett	Center for Nuclear Waste Regulatory Analyses
40	Dave	McIntyre	Nuclear Regulatory Commission
41	Nicole	Noëlliste	Nuclear Regulatory Commission
42	Christine	Pineda	Nuclear Regulatory Commission
43	James	Rubenstone	Nuclear Regulatory Commission