



**UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON REACTOR SAFEGUARDS
WASHINGTON, DC 20555-0001**

January 08, 2020

**AGENDA
670th ACRS MEETING
February 5-8, 2020
11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD**

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2020, T-2D10

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| 1) 1:00 PM – 1:05 PM | <u>Opening Remarks by the ACRS Chairman</u> (Open) (MWS/SM)
1.1) Opening Statement
1.2) Items of Current Interest |
| 2) 1:05 PM – 4:00 PM | <u>Biennial Review of NRC Safety Research Program/Quality Review of Selected RES Projects</u> (Open) (JLR/HPN)
2.1) Briefing and discussion led by panel chairs regarding the NRC Safety Research Program
2.2) Briefing and discussion regarding the quality review of selected research projects
2.3) Preparation of Reports |
| 4:00 PM – 4:15 PM | *** BREAK *** |
| 3) 4:15 PM – 6:00 PM | <u>NuScale Design Certification Application Safety Evaluation</u> (Open/Closed)* (WK/MS)
3.1) Discussion of the need for further briefings by the staff to support the Committee's Review
3.2) Preparation of Reports |

*For specific chapters to be discussed please contact Mike Snodderly at 301-415-2241. Breaks at the discretion of the Chairman.

[NOTE: A portion of this session may be closed in order to discuss and protect information designated as proprietary, pursuant to 5 U.S.C 552b(c)(4)].

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2020, T-2D10

- 4) 8:30 AM – 12:00 PM NuScale Design Certification Application Safety Evaluation
(Open/Closed)* (WK/MS)
4.1) Discussion of the need for further briefings by the staff to
 support the Committee's Review
4.2) Preparation of Reports

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12:00 PM – 1:30 PM

***** LUNCH & INTERNAL ACRS BUSINESS *****

- 5) 1:30 PM – 3:30 PM Meeting with the Institute of Nuclear Power Operations (INPO)
(Closed) (JLR/LB)
5.1) Remarks by Subcommittee Chairman
5.2) Briefing and discussion with representatives of INPO
 regarding topics of mutual interest

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3:30 PM – 3:45 PM

***** BREAK *****

- 6) 3:45 PM – 6:00 PM NuScale Design Certification Application Safety Evaluation
(Open/Closed) (continuation)* (WK/MS)
6.1) Discussion of the need for further briefings by the staff to
 support the Committee's Review
6.2) Preparation of Reports

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2020, T-2D10

7) 8:30 AM – 10:30 AM

Planning and Procedures Session/Future ACRS
Activities/Reconciliation of ACRS Comments and
Recommendations (Open/Closed) (MS/SM)

- 7.1) Discussion of the recommendations of the Planning and Procedures Subcommittee
- 7.2) Report of the Planning and Procedures Subcommittee on matters related to the conduct of ACRS business, including anticipated workload and member assignments
- 7.3) Discussion of the responses from the NRC Executive Director for Operations to comments and recommendations included in recent ACRS reports and letters
- 7.4) Preparation of reports

[NOTE: A portion of this meeting may be closed pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b (c) (2) and (6) to discuss organizational and personnel matters that relate solely to internal personnel rules and practices of the ACRS, and information the release of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.]

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10:30 AM – 10:45 AM

***** BREAK *****

8) 10:45 AM – 12:00 PM

Preparation of ACRS Reports/NuScale Chapters Discussion
(Open/Closed)

- 8.1) NuScale chapters discussion under items 3, 4 and 6
- 8.2) Reports related to research activities under item 2

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12:00 PM – 2:00 PM

***** LUNCH *****

- 9) 2:00 PM – 6:00 PM Preparation of ACRS Reports (Open/Closed)
9.1) Continue discussion of the proposed ACRS report(s) listed under Item 8

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2020, T-2D10

- 10) 8:30 AM – 12:00 PM Preparation of ACRS Reports (Open/Closed)
10.1) Continue discussion of the proposed ACRS report(s) listed under Item 8

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NOTES:

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