

Dated: January 13, 1997.
 M. Rebecca Winkler,
Committee Management Officer.
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Special Emphasis Panel in Mathematical Sciences; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting.

Name: Special Emphasis Panel in Mathematical Sciences (#1204).
Date and Time: February 10-12, 1997, 8:30 am-5:00 p.m.
Place: Rooms 340 and 360 National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

Type of Meeting: Closed.
Contact Person: Lloyd E. Douglas, Program Director, Office of Special Projects, Mathematical Sciences Division, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 1025, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 306-1870.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning applications submitted to NSF for financial support.

Agenda: To review and evaluate proposals in the Infrastructure Program as part of the selection process for awards.

Reason for Closing: The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c) (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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Special Emphasis Panel in Physics; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting.

Name: Special Emphasis Panel in Physics (1208).
Date and Time: January 31-February 1, 1997 from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Place: Room 1060, NSF 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA.

Type of Meeting: Closed.
Contact Person: Dr. Virginia Brown, Program Director for Theoretical Physics, Division of Physics, Room 1015, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 306-1805.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

Agenda: To review and evaluate the Theoretical Physics proposals as part of the selection process for award.

Reason for Closing: The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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United States Antarctic Program (USAP) Blue Ribbon Panel; Notice of Meeting; Amendment

The meeting originally scheduled for January 31-February 1 has been postponed until February 7 and 8. There are no other changes in the meeting notice. The announcement of this meeting appearing in the Federal Register on January 7, 1997 at 62 FR 1001. For the convenience of the reader, the notice is being re-published in its entirety.

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting.

Name: United States Antarctic (USAP) Program Blue Ribbon Panel (#5131).
Date and Time: February 7 and 8, 1997—8:00 am-6:00 pm on 2/7 and 8:30 am-5 pm on 2/8.

Place: Room 1235, NSF, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA.

Type of Meeting: Open.
Contact Person: Guy G. Guthridge, Office of Polar Programs, Room 755, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia 22230. Telephone: (703) 306-1031.

Minutes: May be obtained from the contact person listed above.

Purpose of Meeting: Examine a full range of infrastructure, management, and scientific options for the United States Antarctic Program so that the Foundation will be able to maintain the high quality of the research and implement U.S. policy in Antarctica under realistic budget scenarios.

Agenda: Draft panel report to NSF.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. 50-277]

Peco Energy Company, Public Service Electric and Gas Company, Delmarva Power and Light Company, and Atlantic City Electric Company; Notice of Withdrawal of Application for Amendment to Facility Operating License

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has granted the request of PECO Energy Company (PECO, the licensee) to withdraw its January 13, 1995, as supplemented by letters dated March 14, 1995 and April 12, 1995, application for proposed amendment to Facility Operating License No. DPR-44 for the Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station, Unit No. 2, located in York County, Pennsylvania.

The proposed amendment would have revised Tables 3.7.1 and 3.7.4 of the Technical Specifications to reflect a change in the number of primary containment penetrations and isolation valves associated with the traversing in-core probe (TIP) system. The change in primary containment penetrations was the result of planned modifications to the TIP system for both Unit 2 and Unit 3. The Commission issued Amendment 203 for Peach Bottom Unit 3 on April 24, 1995 which incorporated the requested changes for Unit 3.

The Commission had previously issued a Notice of Consideration of Issuance of Amendment published in the Federal Register on March 1, 1995 (60 FR 11139). However, by letter dated March 15, 1996, the licensee withdrew the proposed change for Peach Bottom Unit 2.

For further details with respect to this action, see the application for amendment dated January 13, 1995, as supplemented by letters dated March 14, 1995 and April 12, 1995, and the licensee's letter dated March 15, 1996, which withdrew the application for license amendment for Peach Bottom Unit 2. The above documents are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, the Gelman Building, 2120 L Street, NW., Washington, DC, and at the local public document room located at the Government Publications Section, State Library of Pennsylvania, (REGIONAL DEPOSITORY) Education Building, Walnut Street and Commonwealth Avenue, Box 1601, Harrisburg, PA 17105.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 10th day of January 1997.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission .
Joseph W. Shea,
*Project Manager, Project Directorate I-2,
Division of Reactor Projects—I/II, Office of
Nuclear Reactor Regulation.*
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**Nuclear Safety Research Review
Committee (NSRRC) Meeting of the
Subcommittee on Research in Support
of Risk-Based Regulation (PRA
Subcommittee) and the Subcommittee
on Instrumentation and Control (I&C)
and Human Factors**

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory
Commission.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

The NSRRC PRA and I&C and Human Factors Subcommittees will hold a joint meeting on January 24, 1997. The meeting will take place from 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m. in room T-10A1, Two White Flint North (TWFN) Building, 11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD and will be open to public attendance.

The Subcommittees will: (1) Continue to review the progress of human factors research; (2) Identify those human factor areas where progress for inclusion in PRA is likely; and (3) Provide recommendations for integrating these human factor considerations into PRA methods.

A detailed agenda will be made available at the meeting.

Oral statements may be presented by members of the public with the concurrence of the presiding Subcommittee Chairman; written statements will be accepted and made available to the Subcommittees. Questions may be asked only by members of the NSRRC Subcommittees and the staff. Persons desiring to make oral statements should notify the Nuclear Regulatory Commission staff member named below as far in advance as is practicable so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

During the initial portions of the meetings, the Subcommittees may exchange preliminary views regarding matters to be considered during the balance of the meeting. The Subcommittees will hold discussions with representatives of the NRC staff regarding the topics to be discussed.

Further information regarding topics to be covered, the rescheduling and/or cancellation of meeting sessions, and the Chairmen's ruling on requests for the opportunity to present oral statements and the time allotted for discussion can be obtained by a telephone call to Dr. Jose Luis M. Cortez

(telephone 301/415-6596) between 9:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. (EST). Persons planning to attend these meetings are urged to contact the above named individual one or two business days before the scheduled meeting to be advised of any changes in schedule, etc., that may have occurred.

Dated: January 13, 1997.

Jose Luis M. Cortez,
*Senior Research Program Coordinator, Office
of Nuclear Regulatory Research.*

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**Advisory Committee on Reactor
Safeguards, Subcommittee Meeting on
Planning and Procedures; Notice of
Meeting**

The ACRS Subcommittee on Planning and Procedures will hold a meeting on February 5, 1997, Room T-2B1, 11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

The entire meeting will be open to public attendance, with the exception of a portion that 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 ACRS, and matters the release of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

The agenda for the subject meeting shall be as follows:

*Wednesday, February 5, 1997—10:00
a.m. until 12:00 Noon.*

The Subcommittee will discuss proposed ACRS activities and related matters. It may also discuss the qualifications of candidates for appointment to the ACRS. The purpose of this meeting is to gather information, analyze relevant issues and facts, and to formulate proposed positions and actions, as appropriate, for deliberation by the full Committee.

Oral statements may be presented by members of the public with the concurrence of the Subcommittee Chairman; written statements will be accepted and made available to the Committee. Electronic recordings will be permitted only during those portions of the meeting that are open to the public, and questions may be asked only by members of the Subcommittee, its consultants, and staff. Persons desiring to make oral statements should notify the cognizant ACRS staff person named below five days prior to the meeting, if possible, so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

Further information regarding topics to be discussed, the scheduling of sessions open to the public, whether the meeting has been cancelled or

rescheduled, the Chairman's ruling on requests for the opportunity to present oral statements, and the time allotted therefor can be obtained by contacting the cognizant ACRS staff person, Dr. John T. Larkins (telephone: 301/415-7360) between 7:30 a.m. and 4:15 p.m. (EST). Persons planning to attend this meeting are urged to contact the above named individual one or two working days prior to the meeting to be advised of any changes in schedule, etc., that may have occurred.

Dated: January 13, 1997.

Sam Duraiswamy,
Chief, Nuclear Reactors Branch.
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[Docket Nos. 50-498 AND 50-499]

**South Texas Project; Intent to Relocate
Local Public Document Room**

Notice is hereby given that the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) will be relocating the local public document room (LPDR) for records pertaining to Houston Lighting and Power Company's South Texas Project. The LPDR is currently located at the J. M. Hodges Library, Wharton County Junior College, Wharton, Texas. Library staff informed the NRC that they are no longer able to maintain the document collection and request that it be moved. This notice invites public comment on possible LPDR locations in the vicinity of the South Texas Project, Bay City, Texas.

The South Texas Project LPDR collection includes all NRC publicly-available records dated January 1, 1981 forward, which are provided in microfiche form. All South Texas Project documents prior to January 1, 1981, are available in paper copy and take up approximately 27 linear feet of shelf space.

Among the factors the NRC will consider in selecting a new location for the LPDR are the following:

- (1) Whether the institution is an established document repository located near the nuclear facility with a history of impartially serving the public;
- (2) The physical facilities available, including shelf space, storage space, patron workspace, copying equipment and computer access;
- (3) The willingness and ability of the library staff to maintain the LPDR collection and assist the public in locating records;
- (4) The nature and extent of related research resources, such as government documents;