

Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Idaho National Engineering Laboratory

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) notice is hereby given of the following Advisory Committee meeting: Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Idaho National Engineering Laboratory (INEL).

DATES: Tuesday, March 19, 1996 from 8 a.m. until 6 p.m. Mountain Standard Time (MST) and Wednesday, March 20, 1996 from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. MST. There will be a public comment availability session Tuesday, March 19, 1996 from 5 to 6 p.m. MST.

ADDRESSES: Main Meeting: Shilo Inn Convention Center, 780 Lindsay Boulevard, Idaho Falls, Idaho 83401.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Idaho National Engineering Laboratory Information 1-800-708-2680 or Marsha Hardy, Jason Associates Corporation Staff Support 1-208-522-1662.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of the Board

The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities.

Meeting Purpose

EM SSAB, INEL will be discussing issues associated with the Remedial Investigation and Feasibility Study process specifically as it applies to INEL's Waste Area Group-3 (Idaho Chemical Processing Plant) and potentially making recommendations regarding that process. The Board will continue its study of the INEL FY 1998 Budget Development process and will initiate its study of INEL's Integration Strategy.

Tentative Agenda

Tuesday, March 19, 1996

7:30 a.m. Sign-in and Registration

8:00 a.m. Miscellaneous Business:
Old Business—Reports

- Jerry Bowman—Deputy Designated Federal Official
- Joy Myers—Chair Report

Standing Committee Reports

- Member Selection Committee—Dean Mahoney (chair)

Member Reports

9:45 a.m. Waste Area Group (WAG) 3—
Idaho Chemical Processing Plant

Remedial Investigation and Feasibility Study

12:00 a.m. Lunch

1:00 p.m. Waste Area Group 3—
(continued)

3:00 p.m. Break

3:15 p.m. Waste Area Group 3—
(continued)

5:00 p.m. Public Comment Availability
(Will continue with WAG 3
Discussion if no public comment)

6:00 p.m. Adjourn

Wednesday, March 20, 1996

7:30 a.m. Sign-In and Registration

8:00 a.m. Miscellaneous Business

8:30 a.m. Welcome: Alan Berkholtz,
DOE-ID

8:45 a.m. Environmental Management
Budget Prioritization and
Development

10:00 a.m. Break

10:15 a.m. Environmental Management
Budget Prioritization and
Development (continued)

12:00 p.m. Lunch

1:00 p.m. Environmental Management
Integration Strategy

3:00 p.m. Break

3:15 p.m. Waste Area Group 3—Idaho
Chemical Processing Plant
Remedial Investigation and
Feasibility Study (wrap-up)

Backup Informational Opportunity:

Waste Area Group 1—Test Area
North Comprehensive Remedial
Investigation/Feasibility Study and
Pump and Treat Tests

4:30 p.m. Meeting Evaluation

5:00 p.m. Adjourn

This agenda is subject to change as the Board meeting nears. For a most current copy of the agenda, contact Woody Russell, DOE-Idaho, (208) 526-0561, or Marsha Hardy, Jason Associates, (208) 522-1662. The final agenda will be available at the meeting.

Public Comment Availability

The two-day meeting is open to the public, with a Public Comment Availability session scheduled for Tuesday, March 19, 1996 from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. MST. The Board will be available during this time period to hear verbal public comments or to review any written public comments. If there are no members of the public wishing to comment or no written comments to review, the board will continue with its current discussion. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact the Idaho National Engineering Laboratory Information line or Marsha Hardy, Jason Associates, at the addresses or telephone numbers listed

above. Requests must be received 5 days prior to the meeting and reasonable provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Designated Federal Official is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Each individual wishing to make public comment will be provided a maximum of 5 minutes to present their comments.

Minutes

The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room, 1E-190, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585 between 9:00 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday-Friday, except Federal holidays.

Issued at Washington, DC on February 21, 1996.

Rachel M. Samuel,

*Acting Deputy Advisory Committee
Management Officer.*

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**Federal Energy Regulatory
Commission**

[FERC-519]

**Proposed Information Collection and
Request for Comments**

February 22, 1996.

AGENCY: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, DOE.

ACTION: Notice of proposed information collection and request for comments.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the requirements of Section 3506(c)(2)(a) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. No 104-13), the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) is soliciting public comment on the specific aspects of the information collection described below.

DATES: Consideration will be given to comments submitted by no later than April 29, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Copies of the proposed collection of information can be obtained and written comments may be submitted to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Attn: Michael P. Miller, Information Services Division, ED-12.4, 888 First Street N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Michael P. Miller may be reached by telephone at (202) 208-1415, by fax at (202) 273-0873 and by e-mail at mmiller@ferc.fed.us.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Abstract: The information collected under the requirements of FERC-519 (OMB No. 1902-0082) "Disposition of Facilities, Mergers, and Acquisitions of Securities" is used by the Commission to implement the statutory provisions of Sections 203 and 318 of part II of the Federal Power Act. Section 203 provides that the Commission's approval is required for transactions in which a public utility disposes of

jurisdictional facilities, merges such facilities with jurisdictional facilities owned by another person, or acquires the securities of another public utility. Under the statute, the Commission must find that a proposed transaction will be consistent with the public interest before it may approve such transaction. Section 318 exempts certain persons from the requirements of Section 203 that would otherwise concurrently apply under the Public Utility Holding

Act of 1935. The Commission implements these filing requirements in the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) under 18 CFR Part 33.

Action: The Commission is requesting a three-year extension of the current expiration date, with no changes to the existing collection of data.

Burden Statement: Public reporting burden for this collection is estimated as:

Number of Respondents Annually (1)	Number of Responses per respondent (2)	Average burden hours per response (3)	Total annual burden hours (1)x(2)x(3)
30	1	80 hours	2,400 hours.

Estimated cost burden to respondents: 2,400 hours/2,087 hours per year x \$102,000 per year=\$117,298.

The reporting burden includes the total time, effort, or financial resources expended to generate, maintain, retain, or disclose or provide the information including: (1) Reviewing instructions; (2) developing, acquiring, installing, and utilizing technology and systems for the purposes of collecting, validating, verifying, processing, maintaining, disclosing and providing information; (3) adjusting the existing ways to comply with any previously applicable instructions and requirements; (4) training personnel to respond to a collection of information; (5) searching data sources; (6) completing and reviewing the collection of information; and (7) transmitting, or otherwise disclosing the information.

The estimate of cost for respondents is based upon salaries for professional and clerical support, as well as direct and indirect overhead costs. Direct costs include all costs directly attributable to providing this information, such as administrative costs and the cost for information technology. Indirect or overhead costs are cost incurred by an organization in support of its mission. these costs apply to activities which benefit the whole organization rather than any one particular function or activity.

Comments are invited on: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Commission, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of

the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology e.g. permitting electronic submission of responses.

Lois D. Shell,
Secretary.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The information collected under the requirements of FERC-520 "Application for Authority to Hold Interlocking Directorate Positions" (OMB number 1902-0083) is used by the Commission to implement the statutory provisions of Section 305(b) of the Federal Power Act. Section 305(b) makes the holding of certain defined interlocking corporate positions unlawful unless the Commission has authorized the interlocks to be held, and requires the applicant to show in a form and manner as prescribed by the Commission, that neither public nor private interests will be adversely affected by the holding of the position. The Commission implements these filing requirements in the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) under 18 CFR Part 45.

Action: The Commission is requesting a three-year extension of the current expiration date, with no changes to the existing collection of data.

Burden Statement: Public reporting burden for this collection is estimated as: