than 15 days prior to the date of the meeting.

Dated: July 2, 1996.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Advisory Committee on Nuclear Waste; Notice of Meeting

The Advisory Committee on Nuclear Waste (ACNW) will hold its 85th meeting on August 21–23, 1996, Room T–2B3, at 11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland. The date of this meeting was previously published in the Federal Register on Wednesday, December 6, 1995 (60 FR 62485).

The entire meeting will be open to public attendance.

The agenda for this meeting shall be as follows:

Wednesday, August 21, 1996—8:30 a.m. until 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, August 22, 1996—8:30 a.m. until 6:00 p.m.

Friday, August 23, 1996—8:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.

During this meeting, the Committee plans to consider the following:

A. *Thermal-Mechanical-Hydrological-Chemical Coupled Processes*—The Committee will devote an entire day to a study of the Department of Energy and NRC staff plans to develop and use coupled process models in evaluating various aspects of repository performance. The Committee will investigate how thermal input to the host rock and ground water system will effect the hydrolic, mechanical, and chemical characteristics and processes of the geologic systems.

B. *Meeting with the Director, NRC's Division of Waste Management, Office of Nuclear Materials Safety and Safeguards*—The Director will discuss items of current interest related to the Division of Waste Management programs which may include: progress at the Yucca Mountain site, the status of EPA's Yucca Mountain standards and NRC's high-level waste regulations, and the status of a branch technical position on low-level waste performance assessment.

C. *Preparation of ACNW Reports*—The Committee will discuss proposed reports, including: specifying a critical group and reference biosphere to be used in a performance assessment of a nuclear waste disposal facility, the consideration of coupled processes (Thermal-Mechanical-Hydrological-Chemical) in the design of a high-level waste repository, and comments on a Branch Technical Position on the use of Expert Elicitation.

D. *Technical Guidance on Expert Elicitation*—The Committee will review the NRC staff's draft technical position on the use of expert elicitation in the licensing of a nuclear waste disposal facility.

E. *Time of Compliance in Low-Level Waste Disposal*—The Committee will discuss options for setting a regulatory time of compliance for a low-level waste disposal facility. Participation by representatives of individual states is anticipated.

F. *Committee Activities/Future Agenda*—The Committee will consider topics proposed for future consideration by the full Committee and Working Groups. The Committee will discuss ACNW-related activities of individual members.

G. *Miscellaneous*—The Committee will discuss miscellaneous matters related to the conduct of Committee activities and organizational activities and complete discussion of matters and specific issues that were not completed during previous meetings, as time and availability of information permit.

Procedures for the conduct of and participation in ACNW meetings were published in the Federal Register on September 27, 1995 (60 FR 49924). In accordance with these procedures, oral or written statements may be presented by members of the public, 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 Committee, its consultants, and staff. Persons desiring to make oral statements should notify the Chief, Nuclear Waste Branch, Mr. Richard K. Major, as far in advance as practicable so that appropriate arrangements can be made to allow the necessary time during the meeting for such statements. Use of still, motion picture, and television cameras during this meeting may be limited to selected portions of the meeting as determined by the ACNW Chairman. Information regarding the time to be set aside for this purpose may be obtained by contacting the Chief, Nuclear Waste Branch prior to the meeting. In view of the possibility that the schedule for ACNW meetings may be adjusted by the Chairman as necessary to facilitate the conduct of the meeting, persons planning to attend should check with Mr. Major if such rescheduling would result in major inconvenience.

Further information regarding topics to be discussed, 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 Mr. Richard K. Major, Chief, Nuclear Waste Branch (telephone 301/415–7366), between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. EDT.

ACNW meeting notices, meeting transcripts, and letter reports are now available on FedWorld from the ''NRC MAIN MENU.'' Direct Dial Access number to FedWorld is (800) 303–9672; the local direct dial number is 703–321–3339.

Dated: July 3, 1996.

Andrew L. Bates,

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RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

Sunshine Act Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Railroad Retirement Board will hold a meeting on July 17, 1996, 9:00 a.m., at the Board's meeting room on the 8th floor of its headquarters building, 844 North Rush Street, Chicago, Illinois, 60611. The agenda for this meeting follows:

(1) Draft Legislation to Enhance Debt Collection Efforts: Section 12(o) Lien Authority.

(2) Legislative Program for Fiscal Year 1998.

(3) Administrative Circular REF(IRM)–1. Custon Tailored Information Services.

(4) Coverage Determinations:

A. WCL Railcars, Inc.

B. Contract Rail Service Company.

(5) Regulations—Part 211, Pay for Time Lost.

(6) Medicare Part B Services (Contract No. 92RRB006) and Update on Status Of Medicare Transaction System (MTS) and Of Meetings with MetraHealth and Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA).

(7) Labor Member Truth in Budgeting Status Report.

The entire meeting will be open to the public. The person to contact for more information is Beatrice Ezerski, Secretary to the Board, Phone No. 312–751–4920.

Dated: July 5, 1996.

Beatrice Ezerski,

Secretary to the Board.

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