

1825 S.W. Broadway, Portland, OR 97207, Contact: Cora Grey (503) 725-4458—August 14, 1997, 9:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

University of Puerto Rico Rio Piedras, Faculty of General Studies, Amphitheater #5, Barbosa Avenue, San Juan, PR 00931-3323, Contact: Evelyn Rivera, (787) 764-8063—August 14, 1997, 9:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

John Jay College, 445 West 59th Street, Room 1311N, New York, NY 10019, Contact: Karen K. Texeira-Delucca (212) 237-8280 or Josefina Couture (212) 237-8275—August 14, 1997, 9:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Washington, DC, Auditorium, Regional Office Building 3, 7th & D Streets, S.W., Washington, DC 20202, Contact: Federal TRIO Programs Staff (202) 708-4804—August 19, 1997, 9:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

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David A. Longanecker,

Assistant Secretary for Postsecondary Education.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Secretary of Energy Advisory Board; Notice of Open Meeting

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

SUMMARY: Consistent with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463, 86 Stat. 770), notice is hereby given of the following advisory committee meeting: Name: Secretary of Energy Advisory Board—Electric System Reliability Task Force.

DATES AND TIMES: Wednesday, July 23, 1997, 1:00 pm–5:00 pm and Thursday, July 24, 1997, 8:30 am–11:30 am.

ADDRESSES: Bechtel Corporation, Hoteling Suites, Second Floor, 50 Beale Street, San Francisco, California.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Richard C. Burrow, Secretary of Energy Advisory Board (AB-1), United States Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585, (202) 586-1709 or (202) 586-6279 (fax).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

The electric power industry is in the midst of a complex transition to competition, which will induce many far-reaching changes in the structure of the industry and the institutions which regulate it. This transition raises many reliability issues, as new entities emerge

in the power markets and as generation becomes less integrated with transmission.

Purpose of the Task Force

The purpose of the Electric System Reliability Task Force is to provide advice and recommendations to the Secretary of Energy Advisory Board regarding the critical institutional, technical, and policy issues that need to be addressed in order to maintain the reliability of the nation's bulk electric system in the context of a more competitive industry.

Tentative Agenda

Wednesday, July 23, 1997

- 1:00–1:30 pm—Opening Remarks & Introductions; Philip Sharp, ESR Task Force Chairman.
- 1:30–2:45 pm—Working Session: Review of the Draft ESR Task Force Interim Report.
- 2:45–3:00 pm—Break.
- 3:00–4:30 pm—Working Session: Review of the Draft ESR Task Force Interim Report.
- 4:30–5:00 pm—Public Comment Period.
- 5:00 pm—Adjourn.

Thursday, July 24, 1997

- 8:30–8:45 am—Opening Remarks & Summary of Agreements; Philip Sharp, ESR Task Force Chairman.
- 8:45–10:00 am—Working Session: Final Review of the ESR Task Force Interim Report.
- 10:00–10:15 am—Break.
- 10:15–11:00 am—Discussion: Next Steps—Approach to Addressing & Resolving the Remaining Task Force Issues.
- 11:00–11:30 am—Public Comment Period.
- 11:30 am—Adjourn.

This tentative agenda is subject to change. The final agenda will be available at the meeting.

Public Participation

The Chairman of the Task Force is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will, in the Chairman's judgment, facilitate the orderly conduct of business. During its meeting in San Francisco, California the Task Force welcomes public comment. Members of the public will be heard in the order in which they sign up at the beginning of the meeting. The Task Force will make every effort to hear the views of all interested parties. Written comments may be submitted to Skila Harris, Executive Director, Secretary of Energy Advisory Board, AB-1, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585. This notice

is being published less than 15 days before the date of the meeting due to programmatic issues that had to be resolved prior to publication.

Minutes

Minutes and a transcript of the meeting will be available for public review and copying approximately 30 days following the meeting at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room, 1E-190 Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC, between 9:00 am and 4:00 pm, Monday through Friday except Federal holidays. Information on the Electric System Reliability Task Force may also be found at the Secretary of Energy Advisory Board's web site, located at <http://vm1.hqadmin.doe.gov:80/seab/>.

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Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management; OCRWM Spent Nuclear Fuel Transportation Workshops

AGENCY: Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management, Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of public workshops.

SUMMARY: The Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management will hold two public workshops in August 1997 to discuss issues related to the transportation of spent nuclear fuel and high-level radioactive waste under the Nuclear Waste Policy Act (NWPA). These discussions will assist the Department of Energy in developing policy related to transportation activities and implementing a transportation program that provides for safe, uninterrupted and uneventful shipment of spent nuclear fuel and high-level radioactive waste.

DATES and ADDRESSES:

- August 7, 1997, 1:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m., Dallas, TX
- August 8, 1997, 8:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m., Dallas, TX
- August 12, 1997, 1:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m., Reston, VA
- August 13, 1997, 8:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m., Reston, VA

To Pre-Register: If you are interested in attending either of these workshops, please reply for the Dallas workshop by July 21, 1997, and for the Reston