

Room 1295

- Committee Chair's Opening Remarks
- Approval of February 2017 Committee Meeting Minutes
- Update on NSB Policy Brief Rollout
- Hosting of a Member of Congress During August Home District Work Period
- Listening Session in Conjunction with LIGO Site Visit
- Discussion of Best Practices for NSB Member Op-eds

Committee on National Science and Engineering Policy (SEP)

Open session: 9:30–11:30 a.m.

Room 1295

- Committee Chair's Opening Remarks
- Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes
- Review and Discussion of *Indicators 2018* Draft Chapters

Committee on Strategy (CS)

Open session: 10:30–11:30 a.m.

Room 1235

- Committee Chair's Opening Remarks
- Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes
- Ongoing Discussion of Big Ideas:
- Convergence
- NSF INCLUDES

Plenary Board

Open session: 11:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

- Board Chair's Introduction of Dr. Arthur Eisenkraft, 2017 NSB Public Service Awardee
- Presentation
- Director's Introduction of Dr. John Pardon, 2017 Alan T. Waterman Awardee
- Presentation

Plenary Board

Open session: 1:00–2:30 p.m.

- Committee Chair's Opening Remarks
- Board Chair Introduction of Dr. Rita Rossi Colwell (Vannevar Bush Award)
- Presentation
- Director's Introduction of Lt. Gen. James Abrahamson, NSF Distinguished Public Service Awardee
- Presentation

Committee on Strategy (CS)

Closed session: 1:30–2:20 p.m.

- Committee Chair's Remarks
- Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes
- Update on FY 2017 Budget
- Update on FY 2018 Budget
- Update on New Administration OMB Guidance

Committee on Awards and Facilities (A&F)

Closed Session: 2:30–4:30 p.m.

- Committee Chair's Opening Remarks
- Approval of Closed February 2017 Minutes and April 2017 Teleconference Minutes
- Action Item: Regional Class Research Vessel (RCRV)
- Action Item: Antarctic Infrastructure Modernization for Science (AIMS)
- Action Item: Stampede 2 Operations and Maintenance Award
- Information Item: Status of Arecibo Observatory
- Written Information Item: National High Magnetic Field Laboratory
- Written Information Item: NEON Supplemental Proposal for Operations and Maintenance

MATTERS TO BE DISCUSSED:**Wednesday, May 10, 2017***Committee on Awards and Facilities (A&F)*

Open session: 8:00–8:35 a.m.

- Committee Chair's Opening Remarks
- Approval of Open A&F Minutes for February 2017
- CY 2017 Schedule of Planned Action and Information Items
- Information Item: NSF's Possible National Center for Optical-Infrared Astronomy

Plenary Board (Executive)

Closed session: 8:40–9:35 a.m.

- Board Chair's Opening Remarks
- Approval of Prior Minutes
- Election of Executive Committee Members
- Strategic Discussion on the Board's Role as Advisor to Congress and the President and with future Budget Requests

Plenary Board

Closed session: 9:40–10:30 a.m.

- Board Chair's Opening Remarks
- Approval of Closed February Minutes
- Closed Committee Reports
- Vote: Stampede 2—Operations and Maintenance
- Vote: Regional Class Research Vessel
- Vote: Antarctic Infrastructure Modernization for Science
- Strategic Discussion on the Board's Role as Advisor to Congress and the President and with Future Budget Requests, continued.

Plenary Board

Open session: 10:40 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

- Board Chair's Opening Remarks
- Discussion of the Skilled Technical Workforce

- Director's Introduction of Dr. Baratunde Cola, 2017 Alan T. Waterman Awardee
- Presentation

Plenary Board

Open Session: 1:00–2:30 p.m.

- Board Chair's Introduction of Dr. Lance Bush, for the 2017 NSB Public Service Awardee, the Challenger Center
- Presentation
- Chair's Opening Remarks
- Approval of Prior Minutes
- NSF Director's Remarks
- Open Committee Reports
- Vote: Executive Committee Annual Report
- NSB Chair's Closing Remarks

MEETING ADJOURNS: 2:30 p.m.**Chris Blair,***Executive Assistant, National Science Board Office.*

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BILLING CODE 7555–01–P**NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION****[Docket No. 50–382; NRC–2016–0239]****Entergy Operations, Inc.; Waterford Steam Electric Station, Unit 3****AGENCY:** Nuclear Regulatory Commission.**ACTION:** License amendment application; withdrawal by applicant.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has granted the request of Entergy Operations, Inc. (Entergy, the licensee), to withdraw its application dated September 1, 2016, for a proposed amendment to Facility Operating License No. NPF–38. The proposed amendment would have revised the Waterford Steam Electric Station, Unit 3 (Waterford 3) Technical Specifications (TSs) to relocate the surveillance frequency requirements for selected Engineered Safety Features Actuation System (ESFAS) Subgroup relays to a licensee-controlled program. Specifically, the license amendment would have revised the Table Notation for TS Table 4.3–2, “Engineered Safety Features Actuation System Instrumentation Surveillance Requirements,” to relocate the surveillance frequency of additional relays to the Waterford 3 Surveillance Frequency Control Program (SFCP).

ADDRESSES: Please refer to Docket ID NRC–2016–0239 when contacting the NRC about the availability of information regarding this document. You may obtain publicly-available

information related to this document using any of the following methods:

- *Federal Rulemaking Web site*: Go to <http://www.regulations.gov> and search for Docket ID NRC-2016-0239. Address questions about NRC dockets to Carol Gallagher; telephone: 301-415-3463; email: Carol.Gallagher@nrc.gov. For technical questions, contact the individual listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section of this document.

- *NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS)*: You may obtain publicly available documents online in the ADAMS Public Documents collection at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>. To begin the search, select "ADAMS Public Documents" and then select "Begin Web-based ADAMS Search." For problems with ADAMS, please contact the NRC's Public Document Room (PDR) reference staff at 1-800-397-4209, 301-415-4737, or by email to pdr.resource@nrc.gov. The ADAMS accession number for each document referenced in this document (if that document is available in ADAMS) is provided the first time that a document is referenced.

- *NRC's PDR*: You may examine and purchase copies of public documents at the NRC's PDR, Room O1-F21, One White Flint North, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland 20852.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: April Pulvirenti, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001; telephone: 301-415-1390, email: April.Pulvirenti@nrc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The NRC has granted the request of Entergy to withdraw its September 1, 2016, application (ADAMS accession no. ML16245A359) for a proposed amendment to Facility Operating License No. NPF-38 for Waterford 3, located in St. Charles Parish, Louisiana.

The amendment would have revised the Waterford 3 TSs to relocate the surveillance frequency requirements for selected ESFAS Subgroup relays to a licensee-controlled program. Specifically, the license amendment would have revised the Table Notation for TS Table 4.3-2, "Engineered Safety Features Actuation System Instrumentation Surveillance Requirements," to relocate the surveillance frequency of additional relays to the Waterford 3 SFCP. The Commission previously published a proposed finding in the **Federal Register** on November 22, 2016 (81 FR 83875), that the amendment involves no significant hazards consideration. In

addition, the licensee has supplemented the application with a response to a Request for Additional Information dated January 26, 2017 (ADAMS accession no. ML17039A909), and a second supplement dated February 27, 2017 (ADAMS accession no. ML17058A460). By letter dated March 22, 2017 (ADAMS accession no. ML17082A459), the licensee requested to withdraw the proposed amendment.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 25th day of April, 2017.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[NRC-2017-0111]

Proposed Revisions to Conduct of Operations

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Standard Review Plan—draft section revision; request for comment.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is soliciting public comment on draft NUREG-0800, "Standard Review Plan for the Review of Safety Analysis Reports for Nuclear Power Plants: LWR Edition," Section 13.6.1, "Physical Security—Combined License and Operating Reactors." The NRC seeks comments on the proposed draft section revision of the Standard Review Plan (SRP) concerning guidance for the review of combined construction and operating license (COL) and operating license (OL) applications and amendments for physical security.

DATES: Comments must be filed no later than July 5, 2017. Comments received after this date will be considered, if it is practical to do so, but the Commission is able to ensure consideration only for comments received on or before this date.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments by any of the following methods:

- *Federal Rulemaking Web site*: Go to <http://www.regulations.gov> and search for Docket ID NRC-2017-0111. Address questions about NRC dockets to Carol Gallagher; telephone: 301-415-3463; email: Carol.Gallagher@nrc.gov. For technical questions, contact the individual listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section of this document.

- *Mail comments to*: Cindy Bladey, Office of Administration, Mail Stop: TWFN-08-D36, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001.

For additional direction on accessing information and submitting comments, see "Obtaining Information and Submitting Comments" in the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section of this document.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mark D. Notich, Office of New Reactors, telephone: 301-415-3053; email: Mark.Notich@nrc.gov; U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Obtaining Information and Submitting Comments

A. Obtaining Information

Please refer to Docket ID NRC-2017-0111 when contacting the NRC about the availability of information regarding this action. You may obtain publicly-available information related to this document by any of the following methods:

- *Federal Rulemaking Web site*: Go to <http://www.regulations.gov> and search for Docket ID NRC-2017-0111.

- *NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS)*:

You may obtain publicly-available documents online in the ADAMS Public Documents collection at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>. To begin the search, select "ADAMS Public Documents" and then select "Begin Web-based ADAMS Search." For problems with ADAMS, please contact the NRC's Public Document Room (PDR) reference staff at 1-800-397-4209, 301-415-4737, or by email to pdr.resource@nrc.gov. The draft revision and current revision to NUREG-0800, Section 13.6.1, "Physical Security—Combined License and Operating Reactors," are available in ADAMS under Accession Nos. ML17101A741 and ML102230082. The redline strikeout comparing the current version and draft revision is available in ADAMS under Accession No. ML 14295A061.

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B. Submitting Comments

Please include Docket ID NRC-2017-0111 in your comment submission.

The NRC cautions you not to include identifying or contact information that you do not want to be publicly