



SRS Citizens Advisory Board

Nuclear Materials Management Subcommittee

Meeting Record

March 22, 1999
University of South Carolina
Aiken, SC

The Citizens Advisory Board (CAB) Nuclear Materials Management (NMM) subcommittee held a meeting on Monday, March 22, at the University of South Carolina, Aiken.

Citizens Advisory Board

Tom Costikyan, Chair

Stakeholders

Mira Malek, SCDHEC

DOE/Contractors

Charlie Anderson, DOE

Donna Martin, WSRC

Tom Costikyan, CAB NMM chair, welcomed those in attendance. He then proceeded to review the following potential projects and meeting dates for NMM subcommittee focus.

<u>Issues</u>	<u>Audience</u>	<u>Potential Time</u>
Yucca Mountain Viability Assessment And Draft EIS	Full CAB	Tuesday, May 25, Savannah, GA
Nuclear Materials Integration Project	Presentation to subcommittee Full CAB	Monday, May 24, 2 – 4 p.m., Savannah Tuesday, May 25
Sale of Heavy Water to Canada	Full CAB	Tuesday, May 25
Storage of plutonium metals And Oxides in K Area	Presentation to subcommittee	Monday, May 24, 7 – 9 p.m., Savannah
Final SRS Spent Nuclear Fuel EIS; SNF Storage and Transfer Facility	Presentation to subcommittee	Monday, July 26, 7 – 9 p.m., Columbia
Update on progress of melt And dilute of SRS SNF	Presentation to subcommittee	Monday, September 27, 7 – 9 p.m., Augusta

Costikyan announced he would not be available to attend the May nor July full CAB meetings. He said he would talk with Ken Goad to take on any subcommittee activities. Concerning the proposed schedule, the following acceptances and changes were made.

Costikyan agreed the Yucca Mountain presentation would be useful for the full CAB. Donna Martin said she would videotape the presentation for those unable to attend the meeting.

Charlie Anderson, DOE-SR, said the Nuclear Materials Integration Project is a worthwhile topic to cover because it deals with the disposition paths of nuclear materials across the complex. Anderson said he would talk with DOE personnel working on the project to arrange for a presentation. One suggestion included a presentation to Costikyan and the CAB NMM subcommittee prior to the May meetings. Costikyan said he would be willing to drive to SRS for such a meeting.

It was agreed the sale of heavy water to Canada would simply be an update and could be included later in the year when the contract was finalized.

Although Anderson said DOE could provide a brief update on the storage of surplus plutonium metals and oxides in K Area, he suggested waiting until the September or November full CAB meetings so that a more detailed briefing could be provided. Anderson said DOE could also address the construction delay of the Actinide Packaging and Storage Facility.

All agreed that July and September dates seemed logical for an update on the Final SRS SNF EIS, including renovating L Area for storing and packaging SNF, as well as the progress of the melt and dilute process.

The final action item was to set a date for meeting between Tom Costikyan and DOE personnel managing the Nuclear Material Integration Project. The meeting adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

Meeting handouts may be obtained by calling 1-800-249-8155.