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DOE Announces Walk-In Registration for Saturday B Reactor Tours

RICHLAND, Wash. – The Department of Energy announced today the start of walk-in registration for Saturday B Reactor tours. The Hanford Site B Reactor Tour program will begin taking walk-ins for 12 open seats per bus for the remainder of the tour season.

Those interested may register Monday through Thursday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the B Reactor Tour Headquarters facility at 2000 Logston Boulevard in Richland. Tour participants must have a government-issued photo identification such as a driver's license or passport and be at least 18 years old.

Tours will depart from the B Reactor Tour Headquarters facility at 8 a.m. and 12:15 p.m. on each Saturday remaining in August and September of 2009.

Tour guests are required to wear substantial footwear (no open-toed shoes or flip-flops), long pants or capri-length pants, and shirts with sleeves at least 4 inches in length. It is recommended that guests bring a snack, and water will be supplied on each bus. Cameras and cell phones may be carried along to use on the tour. The tours last about three and one-half hours, with two hours spent inside the B Reactor.

Those who have registered should arrive at 2000 Logston Boulevard at least 30 minutes prior to departure times. It is important to remember that walk-in registration is on a first-come, first-served basis, and there is no guarantee that all interested parties will get a seat. Questions may be directed to 376-1647, but no phone registrations will be taken.

For more information on the tour program go to: <http://manhattanprojectreactor.hanford.gov>

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