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NRC ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON REACTOR SAFEGUARDS TO MEET MARCH 4-6 IN ROCKVILLE, MD.

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission's Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS) will hold a public meeting March 4-6 in Rockville, Md., to discuss several issues of current interest. Topics include: review of interim staff guidance on fuel cycle facilities, digital instrumentation and control design acceptance criteria and inspection methodology for nuclear power plants, new designs for advanced nuclear reactors, and the status of rulemaking for disposal of depleted uranium and other unique waste streams.

The ACRS, a group of experienced technical experts, advises the Commission, independently from the NRC staff, on safety issues related to the licensing and operation of nuclear power plants as well as those issues in the areas of health physics and radiation protection.

The meeting will be held in Room T2-B1 in the Two White Flint North building at NRC Headquarters at 11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Md. The sessions on Thursday, March 4, and Friday, March 5, will run from 8:30 a.m. to 7 p.m., and on Saturday, March 6, from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Portions of the meeting may be closed to discuss information that includes classified, proprietary, organizational or personnel matters.

A complete agenda is available on the NRC's Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/acrs/agenda/2010/>.

Anyone with questions or those wishing to make public statements during the meeting should contact Derek Widmayer, at (301) 415-7366. To pursue video conferencing services, contact Theron Brown, at (301) 415-8066.

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