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NRC ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON REACTOR SAFEGUARDS TO MEET OCT. 7-9 IN ROCKVILLE, MD

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission's Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS) will hold a public meeting Oct. 7-9 in Rockville, Md., to discuss several issues of interest. Meeting topics include:

- The final safety evaluation report for the economic simplified boiling-water reactor design certification application
- Draft final rule for risk-informed changes to loss-of-coolant (LOCA) accident technical requirements
- Interim staff guidance on the licensing process regarding digital instrumentation and controls
- Containment liner corrosion at nuclear reactor facilities
- Final safety evaluation reports for the Cooper and Duane Arnold nuclear power plant license renewal applications

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 Oct. 7 and 8 will run from 8:30 a.m. to 7 p.m., and on Oct. 9 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Portions of the meeting may be closed to discuss information that includes classified, proprietary, or personnel matters. A complete agenda is available on the NRC's website at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/acrs/agenda/2010>.

Anyone with questions or those wanting to make oral statements during the meeting should notify Ilkea Berrios at 301-415-3179. For video conferencing services, contact Theron Brown, at 301-415-8066.

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. It also advises the Commission on issues in health physics and radiation protection.

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