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ALL AGREEMENT AND NON-AGREEMENT STATES STATE LIAISON OFFICERS

NOTICE OF FORTHCOMING PUBLIC TELECONFERENCE TO DISCUSS STATUS OF
WASTE CONFIDENCE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT AND RULEMAKING
(FSME-13-003)

Purpose: To inform all State Liaison Officers of the opportunity to participate in a U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) public teleconference on the status of activities related to the Waste Confidence rulemaking and preparation of the environmental impact statement (EIS) that will support the revised Waste Confidence rule.

Discussion: The public teleconference, sponsored by the Office of Nuclear Materials Safety and Safeguards, will be held on **Wednesday, January 16, 2013, from 1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. EST.** NRC Waste Confidence Directorate staff will provide a brief overview of the recently completed scoping period and an update on the status of the EIS.

In an effort to promote transparency and provide an opportunity for open discussion and information sharing, the Waste Confidence Directorate is planning to hold monthly Status Update Teleconferences on the third Wednesday of every month, from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. EST. Tentative dates for future teleconferences include: February 20, March 20, April 17, May 15, June 19, July 17, and August 21, 2013.

Interested parties and members of the public are invited to participate and ask questions; however, discussions in this forum will not be considered formal comments.

Details are available online at: <http://pbadupws.nrc.gov/docs/ML1236/ML12366A201.pdf>

Participation: Prior to the start of the meeting, please dial **1-800-857-2553** and provide the operator with passcode **3682386**.

To receive periodic e-mail communications regarding the Waste Confidence rulemaking, please email: WCO Outreach@nrc.gov. Any questions regarding the public meeting should be directed to the point of contacts below:

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