

Friday, 12 March 1999

9:00 - 11:30 AM Site Visit - GE Aircraft Engine Facility
Durham Engine Facility
3701 South Miami Blvd.
Research Triangle Park, NC 27709

12:00 PM Depart via Bus for Gaithersburg, Maryland

7:00 PM Arrive Hotel, Gaithersburg, Maryland

Holiday Inn Gaithersburg
Two Montgomery Village Avenue
Gaithersburg, MD 20879
Tel: (301) 948-8900
Fax: (301) 258-1940

Saturday, 13 March and Sunday, 14 March 1999

On your own

Monday, 15 March 1999

8:15 AM Bus pick up from Hotel

8:30-9:30 AM NIST Laboratory Accreditation
James L. Cigler, Chief
National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program (NVLAP)

9:30-10:30 AM U.S. Private Sector Laboratory Accreditation
Ramona Saar, Quality Manager
American Association for Laboratory Accreditation (A2LA)

10:30-11:00 AM BREAK

11:00 AM-12:15 PM International Activities of NVLAP
Jeffrey Horlick, Physicist
National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program (NVLAP)

12:15-1:20 PM LUNCH - NIST North

1:20 PM Shuttle to Main Campus - Admin 101
Group Photo

2:00-3:30 PM NIST Laboratory Tours

3:30-3:45 PM BREAK

3:45-5:15 PM Laboratory Quality Management Systems - Country Presentations

5:15 PM Depart for Hotel

Tuesday, 16 March 1999

8:30 AM Bus pick-up from Hotel

9:00-11:00 AM Site Visit - Fresh Fields Commissary
4042 Boiling Brook Parkway
Rockville, Maryland

11:00 AM Travel to Baltimore, MD
LUNCH en route

2:00-4:00 PM Site Visit - McCormick & Company, Inc.
204 Wight Avenue
Hunt Valley, Maryland

7:00 PM Farewell Dinner

Wednesday, 17 March 1999

8:45 -10:00 AM Participants Dialogue in Preparation for the Forum

10:00-10:30 AM BREAK

10:30 AM-12:00 PM Final Forum

12:00 PM Closing