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## NRC TO DISCUSS PROPOSED AIRCRAFT IMPACT ASSESSMENT RULE NOVEMBER 15 IN ROCKVILLE, MD

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission will hold a public meeting Nov. 15 in Rockville, Md., to discuss the need for designers of new reactors to assess the level of built-in protection a particular reactor design has to avoid or reduce the effects of a large commercial aircraft impact.

The meeting on the proposed rule will run from 9:00 a.m. until noon in the Commissioners' Conference Room, on the first floor of the NRC's One White Flint North building, 11555 Rockville Pike. The public is invited to participate and ask questions throughout the meeting at designated points in the agenda, available on the NRC's Public Meeting Schedule Web page: <http://www.nrc.gov/public-involve/public-meetings/index.cfm>.

In order to ensure enough meeting materials are available, those interested in attending are asked to contact NRC staff members Stewart Schneider at 301-415-4123 or George Tartal at 301-415-0016 by Nov. 9. If special accommodations such as a sign language interpreter are required, please contact one of these staffers by Nov. 2. The public can also access the meeting via a toll-free teleconference; contact Schneider or Tartal after Nov. 12 for the telephone number and passcode. The meeting will be transcribed and posted on the NRC's Web site through the agency's electronic document database, ADAMS.

The proposed rule may be viewed and downloaded via the Federal eRulemaking Portal at <http://www.regulations.gov>. Participants may provide informal comments at the meeting, but the NRC will only respond to written comments submitted by Dec 17. Comments can be mailed to Secretary, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, ATTN: Rulemakings and Adjudications Staff. Comments can be e-mailed to [SECY@nrc.gov](mailto:SECY@nrc.gov). If you fail to receive a reply e-mail confirming receipt of your comments, please call (301) 415-1966. Comments can also be submitted online at the Federal eRulemaking Portal. Comments can be hand-delivered to 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Md., between 7:30 a.m. and 4:15 p.m. on federal workdays, or faxed to Secretary, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission at (301) 415-1101. Please include **RIN 3150-A119** in the subject line.

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