

**ACTION:** Notice of availability.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is issuing its final Revision 4 to NUREG-0800, "Standard Review Plan for the Review of Safety Analysis Reports for Nuclear Power Plants," Standard Review Plan (SRP) Section 8.1 on "Electric Power—Introduction," (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession No. ML113640121), and the Branch Technical Position (BTP) 8-8 (ADAMS Accession No. ML113640138). The NRC staff issues revisions to SRP sections to facilitate timely implementation of the current staff guidance and to facilitate reviews to amendments to licenses for operating reactors or for activities associated with review of applications for early site permits and combined licenses for the Office of New Reactors. The NRC staff will also incorporate Revision 4 of SRP Section 8.1 into the next revisions of the Regulatory Guide 1.206, "Combined License Applications for Nuclear Power Plants," and related guidance documents.

**Disposition:** On May 31, 2011 (76 FR 31381), the NRC published for public comment the proposed Revision 4 on Section 8.1 on "Electric Power—Introduction," (ADAMS Accession No. ML111180542) and the companion BTP 8-8 (ADAMS Accession No. ML111180521). There were two comments received on the proposed revision (ADAMS Accession Nos. ML11172A125 and ML11180A204). These comments were incorporated as appropriate and the details of disposition of the stakeholder's comments are available under (ADAMS Accession No. ML113640144). The Redline version that shows the difference between the proposed notice and current is also made public (ADAMS Accession No. ML113640140).

**Congressional Review Act:** In accordance with the Congressional Review Act, the NRC has determined that this action is not a major rule and has verified this determination with the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs of the Office of Management and Budget.

**ADDRESSES:** The NRC maintains ADAMS, which provides text and image files of the NRC's public documents. Publicly available documents created or received at the NRC are available online in the NRC Library at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>. Persons who do not have access to ADAMS or who encounter problems in accessing the documents located in ADAMS should contact the NRC's Public Document Room reference staff

at 1-800-397-4209, 301-415-4737, or by email at [pdr.resource@nrc.gov](mailto:pdr.resource@nrc.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Amy E. Cabbage, Chief, Policy Branch, Division of Advanced Reactors and Rulemaking, Office of New Reactors, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC, 20555-0001; telephone at 301-415-2875 or email at [amy.cabbage@nrc.gov](mailto:amy.cabbage@nrc.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The NRC posts its issued staff guidance on the NRC external web page (<http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/issg/>).

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 15th day of February 2012.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**Amy E. Cabbage,**

*Chief, Policy Branch, Division of Advanced Reactors and Rulemaking, Office of New Reactors.*

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## NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. 40-9091-MLA; ASLBP No. 12-915-01-MLA-BD01]

### Atomic Safety and Licensing Board Panel; Strata Energy, Inc.; Memorandum and Order (Notice of Hearing)

February 22, 2012.

Before the Licensing Board: G. Paul Bollwerk, III, Chair, Dr. Richard F. Cole, Dr. Kenneth L. Mossman.

This proceeding concerns the January 4, 2011 application of Strata Energy, Inc., (SEI) for a combined source and Atomic Energy Act (AEA) section 11e(2) byproduct materials license pursuant to 10 CFR part 40.\* If issued, that license would authorize SEI to construct and operate an in situ recovery (ISR) uranium project at the Ross site in Crook County, Wyoming. In response to an October 27, 2011 notice of hearing and opportunity to petition for leave to intervene, *see* [SEI], Ross [ISR] Uranium Project, Crook County, WY; Notice of Materials License Application,

\* As outlined by the Commission in its decision in *Sequoyah Fuels Corp.* (Gore, Oklahoma Site), CLI-03-15, 58 NRC 349 (2003), section 11e(2) byproduct material is that material, as defined by AEA section 11e(2), 42 U.S.C. 2014e(2), that is "the tailings or wastes produced by the extraction or concentration of uranium or thorium from any ore processed primarily for its source material content." This byproduct material category was created in 1978 by the Uranium Mill Tailings and Reclamation Act to afford the NRC regulatory jurisdiction over mill tailings at active and inactive uranium milling sites. *See Sequoyah Fuels*, CLI-03-15, 58 NRC at 353-54.

Opportunity to Request a Hearing and to Petition for Leave to Intervene, and Commission Order Imposing Procedures for Document Access to Sensitive Unclassified Non-Safeguards Information for Contention Preparation, 76 FR 41,308 (July 13, 2011), on October 27, 2011, two public interest groups, the Natural Resources Defense Council and the Powder River Basin Resource Council (collectively Joint Intervenors), filed a timely request for hearing and petition for leave to intervene contesting the SEI ISR application. On November 2, 2011, this three-member Atomic Safety and Licensing Board was established to preside over this proceeding. *See* [SEI]; Establishment of Atomic Safety and Licensing Board, 76 FR 69,295 (Nov. 8, 2011).

On December 20, 2011, the Board conducted a one-day initial prehearing conference, with counsel for SEI, the NRC staff, and the Joint Intervenors. During that prehearing conference, which was held in the Licensing Board Panel's Rockville, Maryland hearing room, the Board heard oral presentations concerning Joint Intervenors' standing to intervene and the admissibility of their five proffered environmental contentions. Thereafter, in a February 10, 2012 issuance, finding that each of the Joint Intervenors had established the requisite standing to intervene in this proceeding and that they had submitted four admissible contentions concerning the SEI application, the Board admitted Joint Intervenors as parties to this proceeding. *See* LBP-12-3, 75 NRC \_\_ (Feb. 10, 2012), *appeals pending*.

In light of the foregoing, please take notice that a hearing will be conducted in this proceeding. The hearing will be governed by the informal hearing procedures set forth in 10 CFR part 2, Subparts C and L, 10 CFR 2.300-2.390, 2.1200-2.1213.

During the course of this proceeding, the Board may conduct an oral argument, as provided in 10 CFR 2.331; may hold additional prehearing conferences pursuant to 10 CFR 2.329; and may conduct evidentiary hearings in accordance with 10 CFR 2.327-2.328, 2.1206-2.1208. The public is invited to attend any oral argument, prehearing conference, or evidentiary hearing. Notices of those sessions will be published in the **Federal Register** and/or made available to the public at the NRC Public Document Room (PDR), located at One White Flint North, 11555 Rockville Pike (first floor), Rockville, Maryland, and through the NRC Web site, [www.nrc.gov](http://www.nrc.gov).

Additionally, as provided in 10 CFR 2.315(a), any person not a party to the

proceeding may submit a written limited appearance statement. Limited appearance statements, which are placed in the docket for this proceeding, provide members of the public with an opportunity to make the Board and/or the participants aware of their concerns about matters at issue in the proceeding. A written limited appearance statement can be submitted at any time and should be sent to the Office of the Secretary using one of the methods prescribed below:

*Mail to:* Office of the Secretary, Rulemakings and Adjudications Staff, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001.

*Fax to:* (301) 415-1101 (verification (301) 415-1966).

*Email to:* [hearing.docket@nrc.gov](mailto:hearing.docket@nrc.gov).

In addition, a copy of the limited appearance statement should be sent to the Licensing Board Chairman using the same method at the address below:

*Mail to:* Administrative Judge G. Paul Bollwerk, III, Atomic Safety and Licensing Board Panel, Mail Stop T-3F23, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001.

*Fax to:* (301) 415-5599 (verification (301) 415-7550).

*Email to:* [paul.bollwerk@nrc.gov](mailto:paul.bollwerk@nrc.gov).

Further, at a later date, the Board may conduct oral limited appearance sessions regarding this ISR proceeding at a location, or locations, in the vicinity of the Ross site. Notice of any oral limited appearance sessions will be published in the **Federal Register** and/or made available to the public at the NRC PDR and on the NRC Web site, [www.nrc.gov](http://www.nrc.gov).

Documents relating to this proceeding are available for public inspection at the Commission's PDR or electronically from the publicly available records component of NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS). ADAMS, including its adjudicatory proceeding-related Electronic Hearing Docket, is accessible from the NRC Web site at [www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html](http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html) (the Public Electronic Reading Room). Persons who do not have access to ADAMS, or who encounter problems in accessing the documents located in ADAMS, should contact the NRC PDR Reference staff by telephone at 1-800-397-4209, (301) 415-4737, or by email to [pdr.resource@nrc.gov](mailto:pdr.resource@nrc.gov).

*It is so ordered.*

Dated: February 22, 2012.

For the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board.

**G. Paul Bollwerk, III,**

*Chair.*

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## **NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**

### **Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS); Meeting of the ACRS Subcommittee on Reliability and PRA; Notice of Meeting**

The ACRS Subcommittee on Reliability and PRA will hold a meeting on March 6, 2012, Room T-2B3, 11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

The entire meeting will be open to public attendance.

The agenda for the subject meeting shall be as follows:

#### **Tuesday, March 6, 2012—1 PM until 5 PM**

The Subcommittee will discuss the Level 3 Probabilistic Risk Assessment (PRA) development project plan. The Subcommittee will hear presentations by and hold discussions with the NRC staff and other interested persons regarding this matter. The Subcommittee will gather information, analyze relevant issues and facts, and formulate proposed positions and actions, as appropriate, for deliberation by the Full Committee.

Members of the public desiring to provide oral statements and/or written comments should notify the Designated Federal Official (DFO), John Lai (Telephone 301-415-5197 or Email: [John.Lai@nrc.gov](mailto:John.Lai@nrc.gov)) five days prior to the meeting, if possible, so that appropriate arrangements can be made. Thirty-five hard copies of each presentation or handout should be provided to the DFO thirty minutes before the meeting. In addition, one electronic copy of each presentation should be emailed to the DFO one day before the meeting. If an electronic copy cannot be provided within this timeframe, presenters should provide the DFO with a CD containing each presentation at least thirty minutes before the meeting. Electronic recordings will be permitted only during those portions of the meeting that are open to the public. Detailed procedures for the conduct of and participation in ACRS meetings were published in the **Federal Register** on October 17, 2011, (76 FR 64126-64127).

Detailed meeting agendas and meeting transcripts are available on the NRC Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading->

[rm/doc-collections/acrs](http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/acrs). Information regarding topics to be discussed, changes to the agenda, whether the meeting has been canceled or rescheduled, and the time allotted to present oral statements can be obtained from the Web site cited above or by contacting the identified DFO. Moreover, in view of the possibility that the schedule for ACRS meetings may be adjusted by the Chairman as necessary to facilitate the conduct of the meeting, persons planning to attend should check with these references if such rescheduling would result in a major inconvenience.

If attending this meeting, please contact Mr. Theron Brown (Telephone 240-888-9835) to be escorted to the meeting room.

Dated: February 22, 2012.

**Antonio Dias,**

*Technical Advisor, Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards.*

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## **NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**

**[NRC-2012-0002]**

### **Sunshine Act Meeting Notice**

**DATES:** Weeks of February 27, March 5, 12, 19, 26, April 2, 2012.

**PLACE:** Commissioners' Conference Room, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

**STATUS:** Public and Closed.

#### **Week of February 27, 2012**

*Tuesday, February 28, 2012*

9:30 a.m.—Briefing on the Threat Environment Assessment (Closed—Ex. 1).

#### **Week of March 5, 2012—Tentative**

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of March 5, 2012.

#### **Week of March 12, 2012—Tentative**

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of March 12, 2012.

#### **Week of March 19, 2012—Tentative**

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of March 19, 2012.

#### **Week of March 26, 2012—Tentative**

*Tuesday, March 27, 2012*

9 a.m.—Briefing on License Renewal for Research and Test Reactors (Public Meeting), (Contact: Jessie Quichocho, 301-415-0209).

This meeting will be Webcast live at the Web address—[www.nrc.gov](http://www.nrc.gov).