

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON EFFECTIVE NUCLEAR REGULATORY SYSTEMS

TRANSFORMING EXPERIENCE INTO REGULATORY IMPROVEMENTS

Ottawa, 8-12 April 2013

Monday 8 April 2013		
14:00-18:00	Registration	
18:00	Opening Cocktail Reception	
Tuesday 9 April 2013		
Time	Topic/Issue	Comment
	Welcoming Remarks	
08:30-08:45	Government Official Canada	
08:45-09:00	IAEA representative	
	Plenary Session Keynote Addresses	
OPENING PLENARY		
9:00-09:15	• President's speech..... <i>Tero Varjoranta</i>	
09:15-09:30	• Progress on the enhancements of the South African conference 2009..... <i>Keynote Speaker 1</i>	
09:30-10:00	• Status of Action Plan implementation and conclusions from Ministerial Conf. in Fukushima 15-17 Dec. 2012..... <i>IAEA</i>	
10:00-10:30	<i>Coffee break</i>	
10:30-12:30	• <i>Panel Discussion on awareness of safety at a political level (WANO, IAEA, NEA, WNA, INSAG) chaired by President of CNSC (Rapporteur Paul Woodhouse)</i>	
12:30-13:30	<i>Lunch Break and Poster Session</i>	
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Topical Session 1: REGULATORY LESSONS LEARNED AND ACTIONS TAKEN		
13:30-15:30	- Regulatory response and changes to regulatory framework and/or system arising from lessons learned (independence, capacity building, organizational changes, stress tests, peer reviews (IRRS)) <i>Keynote Speakers (Australia, South Africa, China, France, USA, Russia)</i> - Update arising from IEM on Reactor and Spent Fuel Safety.....<i>Richard Meserve</i>	
15:30-16:00	<i>Coffee break</i>	

16:00-17:30	Panel Discussion (moderator R. Jammal, sci. secretary and rapporteur tbd)	
Wednesday 10 April 2013		
Time	Topic/Issue	Comment
Topical Session 2: COMMUNICATION AND TRANSPARENCY (TO THE PUBLIC AND AMONG REGULATORS)		
08:30-08:45	- Update of NEA activities on crisis communicationOECD/NEA - Update IAEA IEM on comm. & transparency.....IAEA - Input from MS and int. organizations.....(South Korea, Japan, Spain, Canada, Malaysia)	
08:45-09:00		
09:00-10:30		
10:30-11:00	Coffee break	
11:00-12:00	Panel Discussion (chaired by South Africa)	
12:00-13:00	Lunch Break and Poster Session	
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Topical Session 3: EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT		
13:00-15:30	- Challenges in communication, coordination and consistency in international response to emergencies (information availability and exchange, decision making)Ukraine, Lithuania, South Korea - National challenges (regulatory role and coordination)Argentina, Brazil, Switzerland, Singapore - Remediation after accidents – establishment of criteria and implementation.....Japan, Finland, IAEA, ICRP	
15:30-16:00		
16:00-17:00		
17:00-18:00	Panel Discussion 1 (chaired by France)	
18:30-	Panel Discussion 2 – qualified for local authorities and first responders (chaired by France?)	
18:30-	Invited Dinner by host country	
Thursday 11 April 2013		
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Topical Session 4: EMERGING PROGRAMS		

08:30-10:00	- Impact of the Fukushima accident on regulatory programs in embarking countriesBelarus, Turkey, Bangladesh, Poland - International regulatory cooperation such as RCF.....Vietnam - Other than NPPs (Research reactors and other nuclear applications, NORMs, mining operations)Malaysia, Jordan, Namibia, Israel - Early integration of nuclear safety and security and safeguards..... Malaysia	
10:00-10:30	<i>Coffee break</i>	
10:30-11:30	Panel Discussion (chaired by UAE)	
11:30-12:30	<i>Lunch Break</i>	
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Topical Session 5: HUMAN AND ORGANIZATIONAL FACTORS, SAFETY AND SECURITY CULTURE		
12:30-14:00	- Regulatory oversight of human performance programsCanada, UK, Germany, Sweden, Czech Republic - Safety culture within the regulatory body.....USA - Regulatory oversight of the licensee.....USA, Finland	
14:00-14:30	<i>Coffee break</i>	
14:30-15:30	Panel Discussion (chaired by South Korea)	
15:30-16:00	CLOSING SESSION <i>Session summaries</i> <i>President's summary</i>	