

**DETAILS ON EXTERNAL COMMUNICATIONS GROUP TO ADVISE
THE AGENCY ON POTENTIAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE COMMUNICATION OF
SIGNIFICANT REGULATORY ISSUES**

1. **Potential Discussion Topics.** Among other potential topics, the group is invited to:
 - opine regarding potential actions the NRC might take in the long term to improve stakeholder involvement, such as the establishment of a “standing advisory committee” for that purpose;
 - discuss ways NRC could engage other organizations to establish partnerships to advance public communication and education on topics associated with radiological safety; and
 - provide input on non-traditional places the NRC could communicate their message.

2. **Duration.** One-time group for one a four-hour meeting.

3. **Meeting Structure.** Each panelist is expected to provide his or her individual input/ideas on actions NRC should take toward improving the NRC’s external communications and stakeholder involvement on significant regulatory issues. Each panelist will be provided an opportunity to provide an opening statement for each agenda topic, followed by open discussion.

4. **Meeting Type.** This will be a Category 2 public meeting by NRC’s definition. Primary discussions are expected to take place between the NRC and invited panelists. The public will be invited to participate at specific points on the agenda.

5. **Potential Participants.** Membership should include representatives from the following:
 - Other Federal agencies
 - State government
 - Local government
 - Nongovernment organization
 - Communications expert from academia
 - Media expert