

INFORMATION REPORT

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For: The Commissioners

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Office of Administration (ADM)
Items of Interest
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Computational Fluid Dynamics Modeling and Simulation Support for European Union
Experimental Investigations on Reactor Containment, Thermal-Hydraulics, and Severe Accident
Management Project

On March 26, 2013, as a result of a competitive negotiated acquisition, a firm-fixed priced contract (number NRC-HQ-13-C-04-0026) was awarded to Alden Research Laboratory, Inc., of Holden, Massachusetts. This contract is for the Computational Fluid Dynamics Modeling and Simulation Support for European Union Experimental Investigations on Reactor Containment, Thermal-Hydraulics, and Severe Accident Management Project. The period of performance is from March 26, 2013, to March 25, 2014, with two 1-year option periods. The total value of the contract is \$363,688, inclusive of all options.

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Office of the Chief Human Capital Officer (OCHCO)
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Arrivals		
None		
Retirements		
ARMSTRONG, JANINE	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	OIP
Departures		
KENNEDY, WILLIAM	NUCLEAR ENGINEER	NRR

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Office of Information Services (OIS)
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Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) and Privacy Act (PA) Requests Received During the Period of March 22, 2013 – March 28, 2013:

Regulatory Information Conference (RIC) Mailing List	FOIA/PA-2013-0197
All records to/from NRC staff, Commission, and the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS) regarding 2009 Safety Culture and Climate Survey	FOIA/PA-2013-0198
All records involving uranium and/or depleted uranium and other radioactive materials used at the Dupont Pompton Lakes Work Site	FOIA/PA-2013-0199
All documents from the listed Office of Inspector General (OIG) cases	FOIA/PA-2013-0200
Any correspondence between Congressman Ed Markey, his staff, and NRC	FOIA/PA-2013-0201
Copies of all closed memos/final reports for listed OIG investigations	FOIA/PA-2013-0202
All documents related to OI-2-2012-023	FOIA/PA-2013-0203
Copy of Commission calendars from June 1978 through December 1981	FOIA/PA-2013-0204

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Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR)
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Public Meeting to Continue Discussions Regarding the Approach for Risk-Informing the Reactor Oversight Process for New Reactors

On March 25, 2013, staff held a Category 2 public meeting to continue discussions with the industry regarding specific aspects of the Commission's Staff Requirements Memorandum to SECY-12-0081, "Risk-Informed Regulatory Framework for New Reactors." Group participants discussed the technical basis for the use of deterministic backstops and/or relative risk measures and considered potential examples of appropriate backstops.

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Office of Public Affairs (OPA)
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OPA received significant media inquiries on the following:

Region II meeting with Tennessee Valley Authority

Palisades (MI) plant's End of Cycle Meeting

White finding at Prairie Island (MN) plant

Commissioner Ostendorff's tour of Vogtle (GA) plant

Status of Vermont Yankee (VT) plant

Other Public Affairs Items:

OPA supported the following activities:

- Interviews regarding the Fort Calhoun (NE) plant public meeting
- Interview about Comanche Peak (TX) plant's water usage

OPA Social Media Items:

Blog:

- New Web Pages Illustrate NRC's Post-Fukushima Activities
- Working Together to Keep Radioactive Materials Safe

Press Releases	
Headquarters:	
13-021	NRC to Hold Public Meetings April 3 to Discuss Safety and Environmental Reviews of Sequoyah License Renewal (03/28/2013)
13-020	Licensing Board Upholds NRC's Environmental Impact Statement for Proposed Nuclear Power Plant in Levy County, FL (03/26/2013)
13-019	NRC and So. California Edison to Discuss Potential License Amendment Request for San Onofre 2 in Rockville, MD, on April 3 (03/25/2013)
Regions:	
I-13-011	NRC to Hold Open House on April 2 in Plymouth, MA, to Discuss Pilgrim Nuclear Power Plant Annual Assessment (03/28/2013)
III-13-008	NRC Cites Prairie Island Unit 1 for an Issue Involving the Loss of a High Range Gas Detector (03/27/2013)
IV-13-009	NRC Names Arthur T. Howell as Region IV Administrator (03/27/2013)
I-13-010	NRC to Hold Open House on March 27th in Hampton, NH, to Discuss Seabrook Nuclear Power Plant Annual Assessment (03/26/2013)

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<u>I-13-009</u>	NRC to Hold Open House on April 4th in Ontario, NY, to Discuss Ginna Nuclear Power Plant Annual Assessment (03/26/2013)
<u>I-13-008</u>	NRC Open House April 3 in Scriba, NY, to Discuss Performance of Nine Mile Point, Fitzpatrick Nuclear Power Plants (03/25/2013)
<u>III-13-007</u>	NRC Schedules Public Meeting April 2, 2013, to Discuss Performance of Palisades Nuclear Power Station (03/25/2013)
<u>I-13-007</u>	NRC to Hold Open House on April 2nd in Salem, NJ, to Discuss Annual Assessments for Salem and Hope Creek Nuclear Power Plants (03/25/2013)

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Office of the Secretary (SECY)
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Document Released to Public	Date	Subject
Decision Documents		
1. Revised SRM on SECY-13-0001	3/26/13	Staff Recommendations for Improving the Integration of the Ongoing 10 CFR Part 61 Rulemaking Initiatives
Commission Voting Record on SECY-13-0001	3/26/13	(same)

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