

meeting for the EIS regarding TVA's COL application. The scoping meeting will be held at the Scottsboro Goosepond Civic Center, 1165 Ed Hembree Drive, Scottsboro, AL 35768, on Thursday, April 3, 2008. The meeting will convene at 1:30 p.m. and will continue until 4:30 p.m., and again at 7 p.m. and will continue until 10 p.m., as necessary. The meeting will be transcribed and will include the following: (1) An overview by the NRC staff of the NEPA environmental review process, the proposed scope of the EIS, and the proposed review schedule; (2) the opportunity for interested government agencies, organizations, and individuals to submit comments or suggestions on the environmental issues or the proposed scope of the EIS. Additionally, the NRC staff will host informal discussions for one hour prior to the start of each public meeting. No formal comments on the proposed scope of the EIS will be accepted during the informal discussions. To be considered, comments must be provided either at the transcribed public meeting or in writing, as discussed below. Persons may register to attend or present oral comments at the meeting on the NEPA scoping process by contacting Ms. Mallecia Hood by telephone at 1-800-368-5642, extension 0673 or by e-mail to the NRC at [Bellefonte.COLEIS@nrc.gov](mailto:Bellefonte.COLEIS@nrc.gov), no later than March 27, 2008. Members of the public may also register to speak at the meeting prior to the start of the session. Individual oral comments may be limited by the time available, depending on the number of persons who register. Members of the public who have not registered may also have an opportunity to speak, if time permits. If special equipment or accommodations are needed to attend or present information at the public meeting, the need should be brought to Ms. Hood's attention no later than March 18, 2008, so that the NRC staff can determine whether the request can be accommodated.

Members of the public may send written comments on the environmental scoping process for the EIS to the Chief, Rules and Directives Branch, Division of Administrative Services, Office of Administration, Mailstop T-6D59, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, and should cite the publication date and page number of this **Federal Register** notice. Comments may be hand-delivered to the NRC at 11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland, between 7:30 a.m. and 4:15 p.m. on federal workdays. To be considered in the scoping process, written comments must be postmarked

or delivered by April 25, 2008. Electronic comments may be sent by e-mail to the NRC at [Bellefonte.COLEIS@nrc.gov](mailto:Bellefonte.COLEIS@nrc.gov). Electronic submissions must be sent no later than April 25, 2008, to be considered in the scoping process. Comments will be available electronically and will be accessible through the NRC's Electronic Reading Room link <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html> at the NRC Homepage.

Participation in the scoping process for the EIS does not entitle participants to become parties to the proceeding to which the EIS relates. Notice of a hearing regarding the application for COLs was the subject of the aforementioned **Federal Register** notice (73 FR 7611).

At the conclusion of the scoping process, the NRC will prepare a concise summary of the determination and conclusions reached regarding submitted comments including the significant issues identified and will send a copy of the summary to each participant in the scoping process. The summary will also be available for inspection through the Electronic Reading Room link. The staff will then prepare and issue for comment the draft EIS, which will be the subject of separate notices and a separate public meeting. Copies will be available for public inspection at the above-mentioned addresses and one copy per request will be provided free of charge. After receipt and consideration of the comments, the NRC will prepare a final EIS, which will also be available for public inspection.

Information about the proposed action, the EIS, and the scoping process may be obtained from Ms. Mallecia Hood at 301-415-0673 or by e-mail at [mah2@nrc.gov](mailto:mah2@nrc.gov).

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 14th day of February, 2008.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.  
**James E. Lyons**,  
*Director, Division of Site and Environmental Reviews, Office of New Reactors.*

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## **NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**

### **NRC Regulatory Issue Summary 2007-26, Implementation of Certification of Compliance Amendments to Previously Loaded Spent Fuel Storage Casks (RIS 2007-26)**

**AGENCY:** Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting; solicitation of public comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) will host a meeting with the public to receive comments on NRC Regulatory Issue Summary 2007-26, *Implementation of Certification of Compliance Amendments to Previously Loaded Spent Fuel Storage Casks* (RIS 2007-26).

**Purpose:** To serve as a forum for members of the public to provide oral comments on RIS 2007-26 published for comment in the **Federal Register** on January 14, 2008 (73 FR 2281).

**DATES:** Friday, February 29, 2008, from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

**ADDRESSES:** 6003 Executive Boulevard, Rockville, Maryland 20852, Room 1B13.

**Meeting Agenda:** I. Welcome, Introductions, and Purpose of Meeting (10 minutes); II. Describe RIS 2007-26 and Other Associated NRC Actions (20 minutes); and III. Receive Comments and Address Questions (remaining time).

#### **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Stewart Brown, e-mail address: [swb1@nrc.gov](mailto:swb1@nrc.gov) (301), telephone number: (301) 492-3317.

#### **Conduct of the Meeting**

This is a Category 3 Meeting. The public is invited to participate in this meeting providing comments and asking questions throughout the meeting. The NRC's Policy Statement, "Enhancing Public Participation on NRC Meetings," effective May 28, 2002, applies to this meeting (67 FR 36920). The policy statement may be found on the NRC Web site, <http://www.nrc.gov>, and contains information regarding visitors and security. The NRC provides reasonable accommodation to individuals with disabilities where appropriate. If a member of the public needs a reasonable accommodation to participate in the meeting, or needs the meeting notice or the transcript or other information from the meeting in another format (e.g., Braille, large print), please notify the NRC's meeting contact. Determinations on requests for reasonable accommodations will be made on a case-by-case basis.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 14th day of February 2008.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.  
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