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ALL AGREEMENT STATES, VERMONT, WYOMING

NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE TO THE LICENSING PROCEDURES (G-109) COURSE (STC-16-076)

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Background: The NRC provides funding to the Agreements States for training and the associated travel.

Discussion: Students selected to attend the November 14-18, 2016, Licensing Procedures (G-109) course in Chattanooga, Tennessee are provided in Enclosure 1. Please provide this notification to each individual from your program that has been accepted to this course. Students selected to attend this course will be paid travel and per diem by the NRC. Detailed guidance for students is provided in Enclosure 2. Please inform us of any withdrawals immediately so that individuals on the waiting list have an opportunity to attend.

If you have any questions regarding this correspondence, please contact Paul Michalak at (301) 415-5804 or the individual named below:

POINT OF CONTACT: Sandra Rodriguez E-MAIL: <u>Sandra.Rodriguez@nrc.gov</u>

TELEPHONE: (301) 415-5441

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LICENSING PRACTICES AND PROCEDURES (G-109) November 14-18, 2016 Chattanooga, TN

STATE	PARTICIPANT	
ALABAMA	Undria W. McCallum	
ARIZONA	Victor Howard Zach Mengel	
ARKANSAS	David B. Stephens	
GEORGIA	Shatavia Walker Irvin Gibson	
MASSACHUSETTS	Zara Rejaee	
MISSISSIPPI	Harry Benjamin Culpepper	
NEW JERSEY	Daniel Rice	
NEW YORK	Rejina Alam	
NORTH CAROLINA	Louis Braboy	
OREGON	Joseph N. Riley Eric Packard	
PENNSYLVANIA	Richard A. Hughes	
RHODE ISLAND	Thomas Caruolo	
TEXAS	Mohanned Kawasmi	
UTAH	Don Verbica	
WYOMING	Brandi O'Brien	

INSTRUCTIONS TO STUDENTS

ACCEPTANCE: Individuals listed in Enclosure 1 have been accepted for participation in the Licensing Procedures (G-109) course. This course is scheduled to be presented November 14-18, 2016, at the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Technical Training Center (TTC). Please contact Sandra Rodriguez at 301-415-5441 immediately if you are unable to attend this course. The TTC is located at 5746 Marlin Road, Suite 200, Osborne Office Center (near Eastgate Shopping Center) Chattanooga, Tennessee 37411-5677. The facility's telephone number is (423) 855-6500.

<u>COURSE</u>: Please see our website, https://scp.nrc.gov/training.html for the Tentative Course Schedule and note that the course begins at 8:00 a.m. on Monday, November 14, 2016 and ends at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, November 18, 2016.

LODGING AND TRAVEL: Please plan to arrive on Sunday, November 13, 2016, and depart on Friday, November 18, 2016. Students must make their own lodging and travel arrangements. If traveling by air, please contact El Sol Travel at 844-244-6694 for airline reservations, and indicate that the travel is "Invitational" for the NRC. Please select a fully refundable Government fare if one is available, and make sure that El Sol Travel correctly direct bills your fare to credit card ending 2835. Flights may be converted to less costly, non-refundable tickets, so please select carefully. If the need arises and you must make a change, please contact Sandra Rodriguez at (301) 415-5441.

Please complete the Travel Application Form which will be provided to you and submit to Sandra Rodriguez, <u>AStrainingandtravel.Resource@nrc.gov</u>, at your earliest opportunity, but no later than Friday, October 7. Individuals should request the Federal government rate at the hotels. The per diem for Chattanooga, Tennessee is \$100 for hotel and \$64 for meals and incidentals. A complimentary shuttle has been arranged for transportation between the hotel and the training center for individuals staying at the Residence Inn hotel listed below. Please contact the front desk for details upon arrival. Those students who elect to stay at an alternate hotel will be responsible for their own transportation between the hotel and the training center. If you are authorized to drive, the Federal mileage reimbursement is .54 cents per mile. Note that a block of rooms has been set aside for you at the Federal government rate, link provide below. If calling the hotel, please specify that your reservation is with the NRC group block.

Residence Inn Chattanooga

2340 Center Street Chattanooga, TN 37421 Phone: 1-423-468-7700

Link to Reservations: http://cwp.marriott.com/chahp/g109lp/

<u>DIRECT DEPOSIT</u>: We are very pleased to be offering Direct Deposit for travel reimbursements. If you prefer this method, please complete the form located on our Web site and follow the instructions on the form. Once you have signed up for Direct Deposit, you are in the system and will not need to complete a new form unless your banking information changes. When it is time to complete your voucher for reimbursement, in the address box enter "Enrolled for Direct Deposit." If you have any questions regarding direct deposit, please contact Lindsey Hawkins at (301) 415-6268.