

INTERNATIONAL RADIOACTIVE WASTE TECHNICAL COMMITTEE (WATEC)5th Meeting, 6-10 June 2005

VIC, IAEA Conference Room C07 VI

FINAL AGENDA**Monday, 6 June 2005****Morning Session**

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| 09:30 – 10:30 | 1. Introductory
– Welcoming/Opening address
– Chairman's remarks
– Introduction of participants
– Adoption of the agenda
– Administrative remarks | <i>H. Forsström, DIR-NEFW
B. Holmes, UK

J-M Potier,
Scientific Secretary</i> |
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10:30 – 11:00 Coffee break

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| 11:00 – 11:45 | 2. Follow up of 2004 WATEC recommendations | <i>J-M Potier</i> |
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| 11:45 – 12:30 | 3. Situation in WATEC MSs and views of international organizations
– <i>WATEC members (approx. 15 min/participant)</i>
– <i>Belgium, Brazil, Canada</i> | |
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12:30 – 14:00 Lunch break

Afternoon Session

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| 14:00 – 15:30 | 3. Situation in WATEC MSs and views of international organizations
– <i>WATEC members (approx. 15 min/participant)</i>
– <i>, Czech Republic, France, India, Indonesia</i> | |
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15:30 – 16:00 Coffee break

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| 16:00 – 17:30 | 3. Situation in WATEC MSs and views of international organizations (con't)
– <i>WATEC members (approx. 15 min/participant)</i>
– <i>Japan, Lithuania, Russia South Africa, Spain, Sweden</i> | |
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19:00 – 21:00 **Heurigen event****Tuesday, 7 June 2005****Morning Session**

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| 09:00 – 10:30 | 3. Situation in WATEC MSs and views of international organizations (contd.)
– <i>UK, USA, EC, OECD/NEA</i> | |
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10:30 – 11:00 Coffee break

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| 11:00 – 12:30 | 3. Drafting session for WATEC report to DDG | |
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12:30 – 14:00 Lunch break

Afternoon Session

- 14:00 – 15:30 4. Topical session on Building Confidence in geological disposal of spent nuclear fuel/high level waste
- Introductory remarks *J-M Potier, IAEA*
 - Update on EC/DG Research projects in geological disposal *M. Raynal, EC*
 - Update on NEA Forum of Stakeholders Confidence activities *M. Westerlind, Sweden*
 - Lessons learnt in Belgium on building confidence in RW disposal *J-P Boyazis, Belgium*
 - IAEA activities relevant to building confidence in geological disposal
 - Contribution of safety to building public confidence *D. Louvat, WSS*
 - WTS contribution *B. Neerdael*

15:30 – 16:00 Coffee break

- 16:00 – 16:45 4. Topical session on Building Confidence in geological disposal of spent nuclear fuel/high level waste (con't)
- Discussion and recommendations

- 16:45 – 17:30 4. Topical session on Building Confidence in geological disposal of spent nuclear fuel/high level waste (con't)
- Drafting session for WATEC report to DDG

Wednesday, 8 June 2005

Morning Session

- 09:00 – 10:30 5. Topical session on Implications of Long Term Storage of Spent Nuclear Fuel/High level Waste on the IAEA/WTS Programme of Work (PoW)
- Introductory remarks *J-M Potier*
 - Update on NEA's desk study on the roles of storage in the management of long-lived solid RW and SNF *M. Westerlind, Sweden*
 - Update on IAEA's activities on spent fuel management (storage, fuel ageing, etc.) *J.S. Lee (NFC&M)*
 - Presentation of IAEA WSS/WTS PoW on long term storage *P. Metcalf, WSS/
J.L. González*

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee break

- 11:00 – 11:45 5. Topical session on Implications of Long Term Storage of Spent Nuclear Fuel/High level Waste on the IAEA/WTS PoW (contd.)
- Discussion and conclusions

- 11:45 – 12:30 5. Topical session on Implications of Long Term Storage of Spent Nuclear Fuel/High level Waste on the IAEA PoW (contd.)
– Drafting session for WATEC report

12:30 – 14:00 Lunch break

Afternoon Session

- 14:00 – 15:30 5. Topical session on Innovative Nuclear Technologies
- Introductory remarks *J-M. Potier*
 - Basic principles and user requirements for the management of radioactive waste in innovative reactor (INPRO) systems *I. Facer, NPTDS*
 - Role of minor actinides minimization approaches in addressing eco-friendly advanced nuclear fuel *H. Nawada, NFC&MS*
 - Implications of partitioning and transmutation in radioactive waste management *J.L. González*

15:30 – 16:00 Coffee break

- 16:00 – 16:45 6. Topical session on Innovative Nuclear Technologies (cont'd)
– Discussion and recommendations
- 16:45 – 17:30 6. Topical session on Innovative Nuclear Technologies (cont'd)
– Drafting session

Thursday, 9 June 2005

Morning Session

- 09:00 – 10:30 7. Joint session with the Waste Safety Section
- WTS interaction with the Waste Safety Section *J-M Potier/D. Louvat*
 - Update on Safety publications *K. Hioki*
 - Update on IAEA Action Plans on RW mgt *D. Louvat/J-M Potier*

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee break

- 11:00 – 11:30 8. Update on WTS new activity on “Dispositioning of Large Amounts of Decom Materials at Lower Activity Levels – Strategies and Methodologies” *M. Laraia, WTS*
- 11:30 – 12:30 9. TC Programme
- WTS involvement in TC projects *M. Al-Mughrabi*
 - Feedback from TC projects *J-M Potier*

12:30 – 14:00 Lunch break

Afternoon Session

- 14:00 – 15:30 10. Updates on other NE (WTS) activities
- Knowledge management
 - Presentation *Y. Yanev*
 - Discussion and recommendations

 - Management of disused sources
 - Presentation *M. Al-Mughrabi*
 - Discussion and recommendations

 - Waste Management Information Systems
 - Presentation *G. Csullog*
 - Discussion and recommendations
- 16:45 – 17:30 10. Updates on other NE (WTS) activities (contd.)
– Drafting session

Friday, 10 June 2005

Morning Session

- 09:00 – 12:00 11. Review of WATEC's draft meeting report and conclusion
- Review of draft WATEC meeting report
 - Recommendations for WATEC'06 Topical Sessions
 - Conclusion and summing up
 - Closing