

## UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001

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ALL AGREEMENT STATES, VERMONT, WYOMING

NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE TO THE INSPECTION PROCEDURES (G-108) COURSE (STC-15-061)

**Purpose:** To provide notification to the States of students selected to attend the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (NRC's) Inspection Procedures (G-108) course scheduled to be held October 19-23, 2015, in Chattanooga, Tennessee.

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

**Discussion:** Students selected to attend the October 19-23, 2015, Inspection Procedures (G-108) 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 me at 301-415-3340 or the individual named below:

POINT OF CONTACT: Marcia Casby TELEPHONE: (301) 415-6525 E-MAIL: Marcia.Casby@nrc.gov

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Enclosures: 1. List of students

2. Instructions for students

## INSPECTION PROCEDURES (G-108) October 19-23, 2015 Chattanooga, TN

STATE	PARTICIPANT
ARKANSAS	David Stephens
FLORIDA	Michael Leiba
GEORGIA	John Hays Yoshika Eason Show-Hwa Fong Monica Johnson
IOWA	Stuart Jordan
KENTUCKY	Eric Perry
LOUISIANA	Kristen Bonds
MASSACHUSETTS	Medwell Hill
MARYLAND	Kenneth Brenneman
MAINE	Robert Stilwell
MISSISSIPPI	Robert Sims
NORTH CAROLINA	Caleb Smith
NORTH DAKOTA	Brooke Olson
NEVADA	Cynthia Pacheco
NEW YORK (CITY HEALTH)	Irene Santiago
NEW YORK (STATE HEALTH)	Anthony DeAngelo
OREGON	Glenda Villamar
SOUTH CAROLINA (MATERIALS)	Kenneth Farmer
SOUTH CAROLINA (WASTE)	Lynne Garner
UTAH	Russell Topham
WASHINGTON	Tristan Hay
WISCONSIN	Kyle Walton
WYOMING	Ryan Schierman

## **INSTRUCTIONS TO STUDENTS**

**ACCEPTANCE**: Individuals listed in Enclosure 1 have been accepted for participation in the Inspection Procedures (G-108) course. This course is scheduled to be presented October 19-23, 2015, at the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Technical Training Center (TTC). 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. Please contact Marcia Casby at 301-415-6525 immediately if you are unable to attend this course.

**<u>COURSE</u>**: Please see our website, <u>https://scp.nrc.gov/training.html</u> for the Tentative Course Schedule and note that the course begins at 8:00 a.m. on Monday, October 19 and ends at 12:00 noon on Friday, October 23.

**LODGING AND TRAVEL:** Please plan to arrive on Sunday, October 18, 2015, and depart on Friday, October 23, 2015. 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 Marcia Casby at 301-415-6525.

Please complete the Travel Application Form which will be provided to you and submit to Marcia Casby, <u>AStrainingandtravel.Resource@nrc.gov</u>, no later than Friday, September 11. Individuals should request the Federal government rate at the hotels. The per diem for Chattanooga, Tennessee is \$94 hotel and \$56 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 at the Federal mileage reimbursement is 57.5 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 http://cwp.marriott.com/chahp/inspectionprocedures/

**DIRECT DEPOSIT**: We recommend Direct Deposit for travel reimbursements. If you prefer this method, please complete the form located on our website and return to Mary Matheson at Mary.Matheson@nrc.gov. 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 in Direct Deposit." If you have any questions regarding direct deposit, please contact Mary Matheson at 301-415-8748.