

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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ALL AGREEMENT STATES

NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE TO THE IRRADIATOR TECHNOLOGY (H-315) COURSE (STC-19-063)

Purpose: To provide notification to the States of students selected to attend the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (NRC) Irradiator Technology (H-315) course scheduled to be held November 5-7, 2019, in Arlington, Texas.

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

Discussion: Students selected to attend the November 5-7, 2019, Irradiator Technology (H-315) course in Arlington, Texas, 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: Karen Meyer TELEPHONE: (301) 415-0113

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Enclosures:

- 1. List of students
- 2. Instructions for students

IRRADIATOR TECHNOLOGY

November 5-7, 2019 Arlington, TX

STATE	PARTICIPANT	
CALIFORNIA	Robert Custodio	
	Zubaida Gulshan	
FLORIDA	Jorge Laguna	
ILLINOIS	Terri Dodson	
	Karamdeep Virk	
MISSISSIPPI	Nicholas Desselles	
NEW JERSEY	Sarah Atkisson	
SOUTH CAROLINA (Materials)	Kenneth Farmer	
TEXAS (DSHS)	Timothy Sanchez	
	Israel Chavarria	

INSTRUCTIONS TO STUDENTS

<u>ACCEPTANCE</u>: Individuals listed in Enclosure 1 have been accepted for participation in the Irradiator Technology (H-315) course. This course is scheduled to be presented November 5-7, 2019 at the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Region IV Office. The NRC Region IV office is located at 1600 East Lamar Boulevard, Arlington, Texas 76011. The facility's telephone number is (817) 860-8100

COURSE: Please see our Web site, http://scp.nrc.gov/training.html for the Tentative Course Schedule and note that the course begins at 8:00 a.m. local time on Tuesday, November 5, 2019, and ends at 1:00 p.m. local time on Thursday, November 7, 2019.

LODGING AND TRAVEL: Please plan to arrive on Monday, November 4th, and depart on Thursday, November 7th. 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 the NRC credit card. If the need arises and you must make a change, contact Karen Meyer at (301) 415-0113.

Please complete the Travel Application Form which will be provided to you and submit to AStrainingandtravel.Resource@nrc.gov, at your earliest opportunity, but no later than Friday, October 18th. Individuals should request the Federal government rate at the hotels. The per diem for Arlington, TX is \$166 for hotel and \$61 for meals and incidentals. The first and last day of travel is calculated at 75 percent. If you are authorized to drive, the Federal mileage reimbursement is 58 cents per mile. Rental cars are not authorized for reimbursement. The following hotels are conveniently located, close to the Region IV office:

Hilton - Arlington 2401 East Lamar Blvd. Arlington, TX 76006-7503 (817) 640-3322 (Walking distance to restaurants) TownePlace Suites – Arlington (Ext. Stay) 1709 East Lamar Blvd. Arlington, TX 76006 (817) 861-8728 (Walking distance to course)

<u>DIRECT DEPOSIT</u>: If you prefer this method of reimbursement, 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 you're 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 NRC VendorRequest.Resource@nrc.gov.