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**DEFENSE NUCLEAR FACILITIES  
SAFETY BOARD**

Washington, DC 20004-2901



July 12, 2018

The Honorable James Richard Perry  
Secretary of Energy  
U.S. Department of Energy  
1000 Independence Avenue, SW  
Washington, DC 20585-1000

Dear Secretary Perry:

The Board invites you, or your representative, to appear and provide a statement at a public hearing<sup>1</sup> on DOE's interface with the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board. The Board has planned for the hearing to take place on August 28, 2018, at our Washington, D.C., headquarters.

The format for this hearing will include time for you, or your representative, to make a statement regarding your perspective on the objectives and intended improvements through development of DOE Order 140.1, *Interface with the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board*. The Board will post the agenda for the hearing on its web page, <http://www.dnfsb.gov>. We will keep you apprised of any agenda changes that may occur as preparations are finalized.

The Board looks forward to your participation. To that end, the Board is open to adjusting the date and time of the public hearing to accommodate your schedule, or that of your representative. The Board's Technical Director, Mr. Christopher Roscetti, may be contacted at 202-694-7169 with any questions or to make necessary arrangements for your attendance.

Yours truly,

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Bruce Hamilton  
Acting Chairman

c: Mr. J. Olencz

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The Honorable Lisa Gordon-Hagerty  
Administrator  
National Nuclear Security Administration  
U.S. Department of Energy  
1000 Independence Avenue, SW  
Washington, DC 20585-1000

Dear Administrator Gordon-Hagerty:

We invite you to appear and provide testimony at a public hearing<sup>1</sup> on DOE's interface with the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board. The hearing will take place at our Washington, D.C., headquarters on August 28, 2018, or on a date the Secretary of Energy, or his representative, is available.

The format for this hearing will include time for you to respond to questions from Board Members. Please be prepared to discuss your perspective on the intended changes from the DOE interface manual to DOE Order 140.1, *Interface with the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board*, including the Board's access to information, facilities, and personnel, as well as potential impacts to the Board's Resident Inspector program. The Board will post the agenda for the hearing on its web page, <http://www.dnfsb.gov>. We will keep you apprised of any agenda changes that may occur as preparations are finalized.

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The Honorable Mark Menezes  
Under Secretary of Energy  
U.S. Department of Energy  
1000 Independence Avenue, SW  
Washington, DC 20585-1000

Dear Mr. Menezes:

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The Honorable Paul Dabbar  
Under Secretary for Science  
U.S. Department of Energy  
1000 Independence Avenue, SW  
Washington, DC 20585-1000

Dear Mr. Dabbar:

We invite you to appear and provide testimony at a public hearing<sup>1</sup> on DOE's interface with the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board. The hearing will take place at our Washington, D.C., headquarters on August 28, 2018, or on a date the Secretary of Energy, or his representative, is available.

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