

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

VETERANS' ADVISORY BOARD ON DOSE RECONSTRUCTION SEVENTH MEETING, April 2-3, 2008

**Sheraton San Diego Hotel, Mission Valley
King and Knight Chamber Rooms
1433 Camino Del Rio South
San Diego California 92108**

Wednesday, April 2, 2008

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| 8:00 AM–8:30 AM | Registrants and Board Members Check in and Sign Log Book |
| 8:30 AM–8:35 AM | Call to Order and Opening Remarks (MG Randal R. Castro, Designated Federal Officer) |
| 8:35 AM–8:45 AM | Chairman's Welcoming Remarks and Introduction of the VBDR Members (VADM James Zimble, USN (Ret.)) |
| 8:45 AM–9:15 AM | Briefing on: Activities of Atomic-Bomb Survivors (HIBAKUSHA) Health Care Committee Based on HIBAKUSHA Protection Law (Dr. Yasuhito Sasaki, Director General, Center of Radiological Sciences, International University of Health and Welfare, Tokyo, Japan) |
| 9:15 AM–9:45 AM | Board Discussion |
| 9:45 AM–10:15 AM | Briefing on: Department of Veterans Affairs Quality Review of the Radiation Claims (Ms. Edna MacDonald, Assistant Director Quality Assurance, Veterans Benefits Administration) |
| 10:15 AM–10:45 AM | Board Discussion |
| 10:45 AM–11:00 AM | Break |
| 11:00 AM–12:00 PM | Public Comment Session |
| 12:00 PM–1:00 PM | Lunch |
| 1:00 PM–1:15 PM | Dr. Zimble's Remarks on the Afternoon Session |

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| 1:15 PM–2:15 PM | Update on Nuclear Test Personnel Review (NTPR) Dose Reconstruction Program (Dr. Paul Blake) |
| 2:15 PM–3:15 PM | Update on VA Radiation Claims Compensation Program for Veterans (Mr. Thomas Pamperin) |
| 3:15 PM–3:30 PM | Break |
| 3:30 PM–5:00 PM | Board Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review of VBDR Charter • Status of VBDR recommendations to VA and DTRA • Future role of VBDR |
| 5:00 PM | Meeting Adjourns |

Thursday, April 3, 2008

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| 8:00 AM–8:30 AM | Registrants and Board Members Check in and Sign Log Book |
| 8:30 AM–8:35 AM | Call to Order and Opening Remarks (VADM James Zimble, USN (Ret.)) |
| 8:35 AM–10:00 AM | Briefings by Subcommittee Chairs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A Report from Subcommittee 1 on DTRA Dose Reconstruction Procedures (Mr. Harold Beck) • A Report from Subcommittee 2 on VA Claims Adjudication Procedures (Dr. Ronald Blanck) • A Report from Subcommittee 3 on Quality Management and VA Process Integration with DTRA Nuclear Test Personnel Review Program (Dr. Curt Reimann) • A Report from Subcommittee 4 on Communication and Outreach (Mr. Kenneth Groves) |
| 10:00 AM–10:15 AM | Break |
| 10:15 AM–11:15 AM | Public Comment Session |
| 11:15 AM–1:00 PM | Continuation of discussion regarding future role of VBDR |

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Chairman's Concluding Remarks (VADM James Zimble,
USN (Ret.))

1:15 PM

Meeting Adjourns

PLEASE NOTE: The scheduled time allotted for each session is approximate and will depend on discussion. Agenda items are subject to change as priorities dictate.