

Tsui, Kathy [CEAA]

From: Vachon, Al [CEAA]
Sent: August 12, 2005 1:44 PM
To: Turmel, Natalie [CEAA]; Chan, Jim [CEAA]; Devin, Sarah [CEAA]
Cc: Smith, John [CEAA]
Subject: AECL meeting brief

Interesting and encouraging meeting with AECL: Greg Sayer - Senior Legal Counsel ; David Tregunno - Director of External Relations

The main points of the meeting are as follows:

- discussions restarted between the Agency and AECL
- issues to be explored and dealt with at the working level
- the Agency and AECL enjoy a shared understanding of the minimal implications for AECL in coming under the Act
- recognition that a regulatory option is no longer possible in advance of June 2006
- AECL will re-examine their outstanding issues, and provide details to Agency
- Agency and AECL will examine non-regulatory options for addressing AECL's concerns
- AECL very interested in engaging in forthcoming Exclusion List review as another means of addressing concerns
- AECL will recommend to Michael Taylor that the meeting with JC Bouchard be indefinitely put off
- work should begin in earnest in September

Al Vachon

Policy Advisor / Conseiller en politiques
Legislative and Regulatory Affairs / Affaires législatives et réglementaires
Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency / Agence canadienne
d'évaluation environnementale 160 Elgin Street, 22nd Floor, Ottawa ON K1A 0H3
160 rue Elgin, 22^e étage, Ottawa ON K1A 0H3 Al.Vachon@ceaa-acee.gc.ca
613-957-0663 | facsimile / télécopieur 613-948-1354 www.ceaa-acee.gc.ca



Government
of Canada

Gouvernement
du Canada

Canada