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**DEFENSE NUCLEAR FACILITIES  
SAFETY BOARD**

**Sunshine Act Meetings**

**FEDERAL REGISTER CITATION OF PREVIOUS  
ANNOUNCEMENT:** 77 FR 48970, August  
15, 2012.

**PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED TIME AND DATE OF  
MEETING AND HEARING:** Session I: 1 p.m.–  
5 p.m., October 2, 2012; Session II: 6:30  
p.m.–9 p.m., October 2, 2012.

**CHANGES TO OPEN MEETING AND HEARING:**  
The Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety  
Board (Board) published a notice in the  
**Federal Register** of August 15, 2012, (77  
FR 48970), concerning a two-session  
public meeting and hearing on October  
2, 2012, at the Knoxville Convention  
Center, 701 Henley Street, Knoxville,  
Tennessee 37902. The Board changes  
that notice as follows: (1) The Board is  
postponing the hearing session  
concerning nuclear operations at  
existing Y–12 defense nuclear facilities,  
the effectiveness of the National Nuclear  
Security Administration's oversight for  
these activities, and the status of site-  
wide emergency preparedness. That  
session will be rescheduled as a  
separate open meeting and hearing at a  
time and place to be determined at a  
later date; (2) The Board will now limit  
the meeting and hearing to receive  
testimony regarding factors that could  
affect the timely execution and safety of  
the Uranium Processing Facility (UPF)  
project. These factors include the  
Department of Energy (DOE) project  
team's strategy for identifying and  
resolving safety issues in a timely  
manner, the potential safety impacts of  
DOE's decision to accelerate the  
acquisition of select processing  
capabilities and defer others to a later  
date, and the potential for weaknesses  
in technology development to impact  
safety; (3) The Board is convening the  
meeting and hearing concerning the  
UPF project from 1 p.m.–5 p.m. There  
will be no evening Session. The date  
and place of the meeting and hearing  
remains unchanged. The public hearing  
portion of this proceeding is authorized  
by 42 U.S.C. 2286b.

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number.

Dated: September 4, 2012.

**Peter S. Winokur,**

*Chairman.*

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