

18th Annual CMBG Conference Sheraton Society Hill Hotel June 19-22, 2011 Philadelphia, PA

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PSEG Nuclear, LLC, in association with Utilities Service Alliance, is pleased to host the 18th annual Configuration Management Benchmarking Group Conference in Philadelphia, PA, June 19-22, 2011.

The conference is a great way to meet with other Configuration Management practitioners throughout the nuclear industry and government nuclear facilities and share important information and experiences. The theme of this year's conference is "Don't Take Liberties with Your Configuration Management." You can visit the CMBG website at www.cmbg.org for information about this and past conferences.

As in the past, this year's agenda is filled with timely topics of true relevance to successful implementation of Configuration Management in our industry. If you haven't attended a CMBG conference before, you should make plans to attend this important event. Your participation and knowledge-sharing will add significant value to the conference and allow you to learn many of the best industry practices in this area. The conference begins Sunday evening, June 19 and ends at noon on Wednesday, June 22. This year, a specific New Build breakout track has been established. A preliminary conference agenda has been established to include the following:

## **Presentations**

- CM and CMBG History
- INPO Update
- EPRI ANT Project Status
- Boeing CM Challenges with the V-22 Osprey
- Exemplary Margin Management
- CM Health Performance Indicators (PIs)
- New Build CM From EPC Perspective

## **Breakouts**

• Margin Management

- Temporary Changes
- Equipment Databases
- Drawing Control
- Incorporating New Builds into Existing Plant Infrastructure
- Establishing a Common Understanding of CM for New Builds
- Fundamental of Maintaining Virtual Plant Information

The conference registration fee is only \$250, which includes a welcome reception on Sunday evening, June 19; breakfast, lunch, and refreshments daily; and a social event Monday evening, June 20 at <u>the Plough & the Stars</u>. You can register for the conference and for your hotel room at the CMBG website: <u>www.cmbg.org</u>

## Hotel Reservations

The CMBG rate is \$159 per night for guest rooms. This significantly reduced group rate is available from two days before through two days after the conference, based on availability. The reservation deadline is May 30, 2011. After that date, reservations will be accepted as available and will be at the hotel's normal rates. You can register using the link at the CMBG website <u>www.cmbg.org</u>, or by calling Sheraton reservations at 1-800-325-3535. If you use this method, please specify the Philadelphia Society Hill and that you are part of the "PSEG Nuclear" group in order to get the conference rate.

This announcement is being distributed to CM practitioners listed in the CMBG database. If you are not the appropriate individual to attend this event, please forward this mailing to the person(s) responsible for CM at your facility. If you would like to be removed from this mailing list, please go <u>www.cmbg.org</u> and submit the change to the Contacts database, or email your request to <u>paul.davis@pseg.com</u>.

## Historic Philadelphia

The National Park Service operates most of the historic sites in Philadelphia. Normal operating hours of these sites are 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Free tickets are required for Independence Hall and may be acquired via the <u>National Park Service website</u>. All other sites do not require tickets.

We look forward to seeing you in Philadelphia in June. If you have questions, or would like more information about the conference, you can contact me at (856) 339-1689 or <u>paul.davis@pseg.com</u>.

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