

ENERGY, NEW ENGLAND, AND ERDA

An outline of a workshop to be
sponsored by the New England
Section of the American Institute
of Aeronautics and Astronautics

PURPOSE:

1. To define and promote a significant role for ERDA in the solution of New England's energy problems.
2. To define and promote a significant role for New England's technical expertise in the solution of national energy problems.

PARTICIPANTS:

The New England scientific, educational, and industrial communities, the Congressional delegation, local power and utility companies, the Office of Technology Assessment and ERDA.

FORMAT:

The workshop will last for three days. The first day will be devoted to remarks by invited representatives of government agencies and the private sector. On the second day, participants will be divided into five panels according to sector, e.g., academic sector or industrial sector. Each panel will be jointly chaired by a representative of a Federal agency and a representative of the appropriate non-governmental sector. These panels form the cornerstone of the workshop, and panel members are expected to contribute in their fields of expertise. They will spend the day formulating plans and resolutions, following pre-determined guidelines, for the role of each sector in the solution of energy problems. During the morning of the third day, the panels will report the results of their discussions. Appropriate closing remarks will be made by government agency participants during the final afternoon session. The proceedings of the panels will be made available in printed form within one month of the workshop.

Suggested Schedule

First Day - Morning Session

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| 9:00 - 9:15 | Opening Remarks (AIAA Prog. Org.) |
| 9:15 - 9:45 | Role of Congress and O.T.A.
(Request - Sen. Kennedy) |
| 10:00 - 10:30 | Role of ERDA
(Request - Dr. Seamans) |
| 10:45 - 11:15 | Role of Power & Utility Cos.
(Request -) |
| 11:30 - 12:00 | Role of the Universities
(Request -) |
| 12:15 - 12:45 | Role of Industry
(Request Raytheon?) |
| 1:00 - 2:00 | Lunch |

First Day - Afternoon Session

ERDA Presentations

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| 2:00 - 2:30 | Fossil Energy
(Request -) |
| 2:45 - 3:15 | Nuclear Energy
(Request -) |
| 3:30 - 4:00 | Environment and Safety
(Request -) |
| 4:15 - 4:45 | Conservation
(Request -) |
| 5:00 - 5:30 | Solar
(Request -) |