



## *General Membership Meeting*

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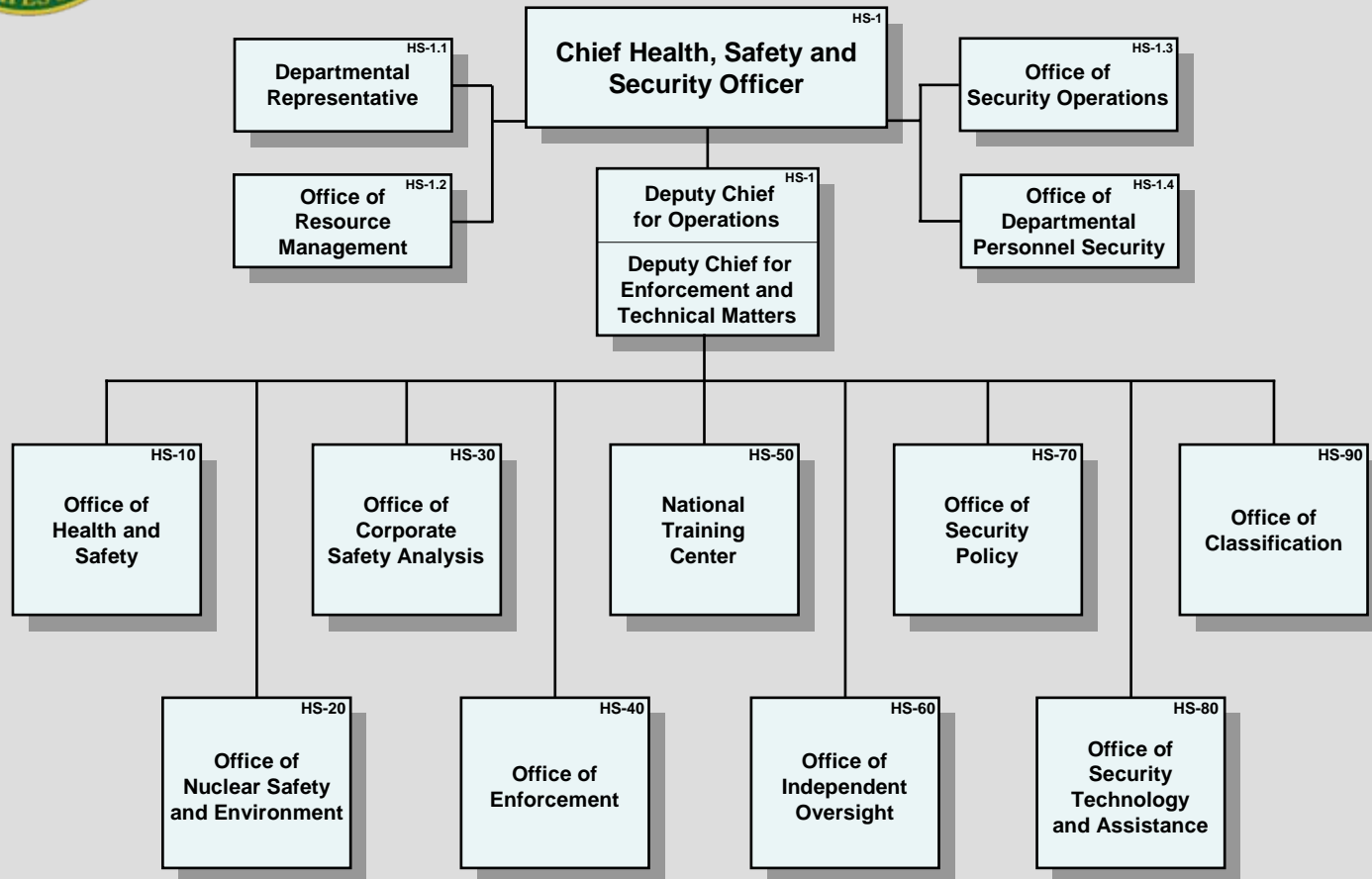
“The first set of reforms (for the Department of Energy) goes directly to my top priority: the safety and security of every member of this Department. . .

. Whether you are a federal employee or a contractor, I consider your personal safety to be my personal responsibility.”

Secretary Samuel Bodman



# Office of Health, Safety and Security





## Key Attributes of HSS



- ◆ Health, Safety, and Security—Our Highest Priorities !
- ◆ Reports Directly to the Secretary / Deputy Secretary
- ◆ Unencumbered Access to Senior Managers
- ◆ Sustained Leadership and Focus on Health, Safety, Environment, and Security
- ◆ Independent from Line Organizations
- ◆ Increased Coordination Among Health, Safety, and Security Functions



## HSS Accomplishments



- ◆ Reaching Out to Stakeholders
  - ◆ HSS Senior Management Visited Over 21 DOE Sites to Provide Information on Creation of HSS
  - ◆ Benchmarking with Organizations and Agencies Responsible for High-Risk Activities Similar to Those at DOE (e.g., Air Force, DuPont, NSA, Naval Safety Center)
  - ◆ Improving DNFSB Interface and Cooperation
  - ◆ Conducting Integrated Health, Safety and Security Managers Focus Group Meetings



## HSS Accomplishments

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- ◆ Breaking Down Stovepipes
  - ◆ Improving Safety and Security Interface
  - ◆ Identifying and Prioritizing Crosscutting Worker Safety and Health Issues
  - ◆ Established Employee Assistance Task Force to Review Incidents that Raise Issues Associated with Employee Concerns
  - ◆ Finalized Policy on Differing Professional Opinion
  - ◆ Integrating Nuclear Safety, Worker Safety, and Security Enforcement Programs



## HSS Accomplishments

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- ◆ Improving Protection for Current and Former Workers
  - ◆ Re-Invigorating Department's Focus on Worker Safety and Health Programs (10 CFR Part 851)
  - ◆ Strengthening the Rigor of the Voluntary Protection Program
  - ◆ Strengthened Implementation of the Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation Program Act and Former Worker Program
  - ◆ Enhancing Safety and Security Training at the National Training Center
  - ◆ Enhancing Integrated Safety Management



## HSS Accomplishments

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- ◆ Improving Nuclear and Facility Safety
  - ◆ Integrating Safety Into Design Process
  - ◆ Addressing Crosscutting Issues Associated with the Maintenance Management Program for DOE Nuclear Facilities (DOE Order 433.1)
  - ◆ Re-Vitalizing the Operational Readiness Review (ORR) Program
- ◆ Strengthening Security Implementation
  - ◆ Created HSS Departmental Personnel Security Office
  - ◆ Enhancing Security Policy
  - ◆ Implementing the New Design Basis Threat Policy
  - ◆ Proceeding with Multi-Faceted Approach in Deploying Security Technologies



## HSS – EFCOG Partnership Notable Results



- ◆ Worker Safety and Health Initiatives
  - ◆ 10 CFR 851 Implementation
  - ◆ Electrical Safety Project
  
- ◆ Nuclear Safety Initiatives
  - ◆ Fire Protection
  - ◆ Safety in Design
  - ◆ Safety System Functionality



## HSS – EFCOG Partnership Notable Results



- ◆ Other Safety Programs
  - ◆ Quality Assurance
  - ◆ Human Performance Improvement
  - ◆ ORPS and Operating Experience
  
- ◆ Security Initiatives
  - ◆ Revitalization of Security Working Group
  - ◆ Safety Security Interface Issues



## HSS – EFCOG Partnership Future Direction



Recognizing the Expertise and Significant Value of  
EFCOG Efforts in Partnership with HSS, Build on  
Recent Accomplishments to Continue to Improve the  
Protection of Workers, the Environment, the Public,  
and the National Security