



TOPIC RESEARCH COMMITTEE  
of the TEXAS RADIATION ADVISORY BOARD (TRAB)  
MEETING AGENDA

Austin-Health and Human Services Commission, MHMR Center  
Conference Room 164, 909 W. 45<sup>th</sup> Street, Austin, Texas 78751  
Friday, December 4, 2015 at 8:30 AM

Members: Ian Hamilton, Chair; Robert Emery, Vice Chair; Nora Janjan; Darshan Sachde and John Hageman

TRAB's Topic Research Committee will convene as posted to hear, consider, discuss and take formal action, as applicable and necessary, on the following agenda items<sup>1</sup>:

1. Call to Order
2. Introduction of members and guests
3. The Topic Research Committee minutes, of September 17, 2015, were approved at the October 29, 2015 teleconference meeting.
4. Continuing Business
  - A. Update on rulemaking priorities (Flynn, DSHS)
  - B. Any additional information on photon activation of the collimators of high-energy accelerator/teletherapy units (Robert Emery/Ray Fleming, DSHS)
5. New Business:
  - A. Identify any additional topics that need further research to be addressed by the TRAB
  - B. Identify topics to recommend be further discussed and addressed at future meetings of the Medical Committee, Industrial, Nuclear Power, Uranium, and Waste (INUW) Committee, or full Board
6. Public Comments
7. Summarize Committee meeting and recommendations for Committee Report and proposed action items for TRAB and for future agenda items for TRAB, the Medical Committee, or INUW Committee's
8. Identification of Agenda Items for next or future Topic Research Committee Meeting
9. Adjourn

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<sup>1</sup> At the discretion of the Chair, agenda items may be taken in any order and public comment may be permitted in connection with any agenda item. An individual who wishes to speak on an issue that falls under the Board's jurisdiction shall be heard during the Public Comment agenda item.

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