

MINUTES OF DENVER VCSA MEETING SEPT. 26-27/91

The conference was held at the Brown Palace Hotel and was attended by 57 persons from countries, companys and company sites as follows:

	<u>U.S.</u>	<u>Non-U.S.</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Number of countries	1	11	12
Number of companies	15	15	30
Number of company sites	23	16	39
Number of persons, paid	33	20	53
Number of persons, not paying*	4	—	4

*(Oxy and Dow speakers, Wallace, King)

Officers were: Chairman	<u>J. Kachtick, Occid.</u>
Vice Chairman	<u>R. Farr, ICI</u>
Program Chairman, U.S.	<u>L. LaCorte, Formosa</u>
Program Chairman, non U.S.	<u>M. Ronnmark, Norsk Hydro</u>
Treasurer	<u>J. Gabbett, Ga. Gulf</u>
Secretary	<u>K. Law, Keysor Century</u>
Asst to Secretary	<u>J. King</u>

Treasurer's Report:

Bank balance before conference	<u>\$2230.43</u>
Expenses	<u>\$3760.28</u>
Registration income	<u>\$3710.00</u>
Bank balance after conference	<u>\$2180.15</u>

Business Matters:

A. Officers elected for 1992:

Chairman	<u>R. Farr, ICI</u>
Vice Chairman	<u>L. Burmeier, Dow</u>
Program Chairman, U.S.	<u>L. LaCorte, Formosa</u>
Program Chairman, non U.S.	<u>D. Hart, EVC</u>
Treasurer--Permanent	<u>J. Gabbett, Ga. Gulf</u>
Secretary	<u>K. Law, Keysor Century</u>
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B. 1992 Conference Site: Baltimore, MD

After the second run-off the final vote was:

Baltimore	<u>14</u>
Quebec	<u>10</u>

C. Other Business:

J A King 9/23/92
Joseph A. King, Asst to Secretary

1992 VCSA MEETING AGENDA
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1

TIME	SUBJECT	SPEAKER
0800-0815	Welcome and Introduction	Roger Farr, ICI-UK
	"True Confessions"	
0815-0900	A (1) Furnace Quench Area Erosion/Corrosion	William Higgins, Oxychem
0900-0915	B (2) Polyperoxide Incident	Roger Farr, ICI-UK
0915-0930	C (3) -open-	
0930-1000	D Inspection regime for a 70's VCM Plant	Harry Steegenga, Akzo
1000-1015	BREAK	
1015-1045	E Quench System, EDC Cracking	Tor Ausen and (Norsk- Ninni Heyerdahl (Hydro
1045-1115	F Underground Pipeline Integrity	Bill Huff, Dow
1115-1145	G Water Purification	Roy DeGesaro, Dow/AWD
	LUNCHEON	
1315-1330	H VCM Containment, An Update	Louis LaCorte, Formosa
1330-1345	I Vent Recovery Systems <i>Roy</i>	Larry Larrinaga , Dow/AWI
1345-1415	J Houston Regional Monitoring Experience	Jim Kachtick, Oxychem
1415-1445	K Mass Spec Continuous Emission Monitoring	Roger Farr, ICI
1445-1500	BREAK	
1500-1530	L US Regulatory Update	Burley Melton, Formosa
1530-1600	M European Regulatory Update	David Hart, EVC
1600-1615	N US Federal Enforcement Actions	
1615-1645	O Issue Mgmt and Product Regulation	Donald Goodman, Oxychem
1645-1700	AST Update	

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2

TIME	SUBJECT	SPEAKER
0800-0830	L Treasurer's Report, Election of Officers, 1993 Site Selection	VCSA Officers
0830-0915	P OSHA Process Safety Management	Burley Melton, Formosa
0915-1000	Q VCM Rail Safety Training	John Coburn, Oxychem
1000-1015	BREAK	
1015-1115	R Open Forum & Future Program Topics	Louis LaCorte, Formosa
1115	Adjournment	
1115-1145	Vinyl Institute - Greenpeace/Recycling	<i>Don Goodman - Oxy</i> Meredith Schack, V.I.
1145-1200	Closing Remarks	Roger Farr, ICI-UK

L. LaCorte, Formosa, Program Chair

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1993 VCSA MEETING AGENDA
San Antonio, Texas

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1993

TIME

08:00-0810
~~08:10-08:15~~
08:15-09:45

SUBJECT

Welcome & Introduction
~~Program Activities~~
"True Confessions"
VCM Sphere Emission
Quench Column Pump Failure & Fire
Caustic Burn
Back Hoe Accident - Near Miss
Sulfur in Fuel Gas Yields Corrosion
Open for Additional Incident Discussion
Confined Space Practices
Break
PVC Superfund Remediation
Process Safety Mgt/Auditing/Legislation
APME Meeting, Topics Review & Summary
Questionnaire Review & Discussion
PVC Labeling
Cracker Section Safety Devices
Safety & Health - VCM/EDC/PVC Plants
VCM Gas Holder Safety
Reserved For Additional Questions
European Regulatory, Update
Break
~~U.S.A. Regulatory (OSHA, EPA) Update~~
By-Product Recycle (BPR)
Process for Chlorinated Waste Streamers
Open Forum
Cartridge Masks suitable for VCM Exposure
Incolloy Cracker Tube Problem
~~Freon (CFC) Replacements~~
Fire Retardant Clothing use, Pro & Con
Fugitive Emissions
Personnel Monitoring

SPEAKER

Herm Waltemate, GEON
~~Burley Melton, Formosa~~
David Hart, EVC
Bill Higgins, OxyChem
Steve Williams, GEON
Bob DesJardins, GEON
~~Tom Mowas, DOW~~
Larry Faucheux, OxyChem
Lou LaCorte, Formosa
David Middleton, Norsk Hydro
(?) J. Stuij, AKZO
Herm Waltemate, GEON
David Hart, EVC
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?, EKO
David Hart, EVC
~~Need Speaker~~
Tom Snow, EVC, USA

David Hart, EVC
David Hart, EVC
~~Need Speaker~~
~~Need Speaker~~ Mike Lung Ford, VISTA
J.P. Bindelle, Solvay
J. Stuij, AKZO

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1993

TIME

08:00-08:30
08:30-09:00
09:00-09:15
09:15-09:30
09:30-09:45
09:45-10:00
10:00-10:30
10:30-10:45
10:45-11:00
11:00-11:15
11:15-11:45
11:45-12:00

SUBJECT

Treasurer's Report, Election of Officers,
1994 Site Selection
Industry Response to Greenpeace Initiatives
~~US & European Agency Enforcement Actions~~
VCM Storage pressurized vs Refrigerated
ASL Update
Break
"SAFETY-Getting More With Less"
Crisis Training Exercises
Reuse of Waste Water
Future Program Topics
Vinyl Institute Presentation
Closing Remarks
~~OSHA 1904.19 PPM~~ Inspection
of PVC Plant Process Safety Management

SPEAKER

VCSA Officers
Don Goodman, OxyChem
~~US Speaker Needed~~
~~European Speaker Needed~~
?, DOW
Dr. Solvay
Bob DesJardins-GEON
~~Speaker Needed~~ Dave Hart-EVC
?, DOW
~~Burley Melton, Formosa~~
?, Vinyl Institute
Herm Waltemate, GEON
Mark Vrandeie, OXYCHEM

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