

HELICOPTER SAFETY ADVISORY CONFERENCE

225 Aviation Rd.
Houma, LA 70360

DATE: April 12, 2004

TO: HSAC Membership

SUBJECT: **HSAC Meeting May 18, 19, and 20 2004. Meeting agenda and location.**

Attached is the agenda for the May meeting of the Helicopter Safety Advisory Conference (HSAC).

**Hotel Acadiana, Best Western
1801 W. Pinhook Road
Lafayette, Louisiana 70508
(337) 233-8120
www.bestwestern.com/htelacadiana**

To insure room availability and take advantage of the HSAC reduced rate of \$68.00 per night, you need to make your reservations in advance (before May 3 rd, 2004) and identify yourself as an HSAC member.

May 18th

0800 to 1700 GOM Special Work Group (Bob Williams/Gary Tucker)

May 19th

0800 to 1200 GOM Special Work Group (Bob Williams/Gary Tucker)
1300 to 1700 Gulf of Mexico Work Group (Gary Guerrero):

- Progress of API 2L
- FAA SW Region Gary Finley:
- Gary needs to meet with all operators that have or will sign current IFR Gulf of Mexico MOA.
- FAA Mark Buntin:
- Weather and Communications update.

0800 to 1700 Technical Advisory Work Group (Kenny Huete) **No Meeting**
1500 to 1700 Steering Committee
1700 to 1830 Bell Hospitality Social for all !!!!!

May 20th Agenda:

0700 to 0845 American Eurocopter Breakfast for all members.
0845 to 0900 Registration
0900 to 1145 Regular HSAC Membership Meeting... agenda as follows:

1. Introductions, Opening Remarks and Welcomes:
Chairman Gary Tucker
2. Safety Topic: Helideck Obstructions Casey Lowery

Update from the GOM Special
work group addressing accidents
in the Gulf-of-Mexico. Bob Williams
3. HSAC Committee Reports:

Vice Chairman's Report Casey Lowery
Administration

Treasurer's Report: Casey Lowery
New Year so the \$500 donation will greatly
be appreciated by HSAC.
Introduce new HSAC treasurer.

HSAC/FAA Interface: Bill Stiles
FAA Update Don Day

Standardization and Safety: Terry Kaufman

Government Liaison: Rick Oeder
Hurricane Season Lt. Col Katz
www.hurricanehunters.com
NTSB Dick Healing

Heliports and Airways: Gary Guerrero
FAA Weather/Comm update Mark Buntin

Industrial Liaison: Tom Suhrhoff

Technical Advisory Liaison: (New Committee) Kenny Huete
4. Old Business:
5. New Business:

6. Closing Comments and the Next Meeting announcements. (Houston, TX Sept 15 and 16)

1200 to 1300 Sikorsky Luncheon for all members.

1300 to 1500 Operator's Roundtable Meeting (Will be held during the GOM Special Work Group Committee on Wednesday.)

2004 MEETING DATES			2005 MEETING DATES		
May	19 -20	Lafayette, LA	January	12 -13	New Orleans, LA
Sept	15-16	Houston, TX	May	11 -12	Lafayette, LA
			Sept	14-15	Houston, TX