

EPC Safety Subcommittee Minutes

Thursday, November 2, 2017

Doubletree Hotel, Houston, TX – 4:30 PM

- Anti-trust statement

“No activity of the Committee shall involve the exchange, collection or dissemination of information among competitors for the purpose of bringing about or attempting to bring about any understanding or agreement, written or oral, formal or informal, express or implied, among competitors with regard to costs, prices or pricing methods, terms or conditions of sale, distribution, production quotas or other limitations, on either the timing, or volume of production, or sales, or allocation of territories or customers.”

- Safety moment

The group discussed financial security as the Holidays approach with regard to credit card purchase and online shopping; group also disused Layers of Protection

- 2018 Session updates –see page 2 for additional details

- Confirmation of abstracts in hand - complete
- Review abstracts for determination of which ones to include in the safety session - complete
- Review content/focus of abstract, provide feedback to author on areas of focus/scope - complete
- Determine if we would like to offer any abstracts/papers to other subcommittees for inclusion in 2018 session - complete

- Other Business

Micheal Smith update the group on the Low Temperature Subcommittee

- Review of upcoming meetings and key dates

- November 13 – Call for abstracts close
- December 7, 2017
- December 18 – Papers accepted/rejected
- February 1, 2018
- Conference April 22-26, 2018 – Orlando World Center Marriot

2018 Spring EPC Safety Session
Conference Date - April 22-26, 2018 in Orlando, Florida
Abstract Deadline - November 13, 2017
Session Papers Set - December 18, 2017

Topic	Author/Contact	Contact Info	Total # of Papers	Status
Control Valve Packing Failure in Cold Service	Richard Kratzer (BASF, author) Tim Zygula (EPC BASF) contact	Richard Kratzer 409-960-5239	1	Draft abstract received
Failures in carbon steel piping above stated min design temperatures	David Gent/Fluor	Barry Messer (Fluor) - Presenter Barry Messer P.Eng. Director - Materials & Welding Engineering Fluor Canada Ltd. tel (403) 537-4105 fax (403) 537-5371 barry.messer@fluor.com D Gent - 403-754-4620	2	Draft abstract received
CSB Case Study Summary of Williams plant incident	CSB to present	Lauren Grim, P.E. Chemical Incident Investigator U.S. Chemical Safety and Hazard Investigation Board 1 Denver Federal Center Way Bldg 21B Denver, CO 80225 Office: (303) 236-8704 Cell: (202) 407-5282 Lauren.Grim@csb.gov	3, 4	Draft abstract received
Chrom 6 contamination of furnace insulation/castable	David Gent	D Gent - 403-754-4620	5	Draft abstract received
QO Isolation safety incident	Contact Rick Beleutz for info	Norman Wilhelm, LYB Norman.Wilhelm@lyondellbasell.com Office: 832-679-8753 Mobile: 281-923-5898 Rick 832.679.8752	6	Draft abstract received
Cold Embrittlement Technical Paper	Becht Engineering via J Berret	Gerrit M. Buchheim, P.E. Refining Metallurgical and Corrosion Expert & Pono Becht Engineering Kihel, HI 96753 T: 1-808-626-5961 C: 1-808-264-5874 E-mail: gbuchheim@becht.com J Berrett 225-642-2169	7	Draft abstract received
Cold Box Exchanger Leak Leak inside cold box with causal factors of plate fin exchanger leak	Richard Beleutz (LB)	Rob Fox, LYB Rob.Fox@lyondellbasell.com Rick 832.679.8752	8	Commitment to deliver abstract by Nov 2
5 MI Large Losses	John Reynolds (author) Interteck	1815 Central Park Drive POB 774000 PMB 132 Steamboat Springs, CO 80477 Office phone: 970-879-9672 Mobile phone: 970-846-9148	?	Working with John to get a draft abstract - check post Nov 2 mtg