

Subject: Climate Change Technology Announcement

The following is an announcement being released by the Technical Council.

Climate Change Technology Group Elevated to Subcommittee Status.

Technical Council of the Power and Energy Society is pleased to announce the upgrading of the Working Group on Implementing Technology to Limit Climate Change (CCWG) to a Subcommittee of the Energy Development & Power Generation Committee (EDPGC) effective March 1, 2009. This recognizes the increasing importance of engineering and technology developments in the management of greenhouse gas emissions and climate change in the power and energy sector.

*The new title will be the **Climate Change Technology Subcommittee (CCTSC)** and the scope and purpose will be similar to CCWG. The long time Chair of CCWG, Jim McConnach, is taking the opportunity to step down and the first Chair of CCTSC will be Tom Baumann co-founder and CEO of Climate Check, Ottawa, Canada. Tom is also co founder and Director of Professional Programs of the Greenhouse Gas Management Institute and has a long experience with the Climate Change file, including senior positions with Det Norske Veritas (DNV), Natural Resources Canada, and the Delphi Group.*

The current Secretary of CCWG, Dr Ning Lu, Senior Research Engineer, Energy Technology Development, Pacific Northwest National Laboratory, Richland, Washington, will continue as Secretary of CCTSC. Current members and guests of CCWG will automatically transfer to CCTSC.

For further information on the activities of CCTSC or if you wish to join, please contact Dr Ning Lu at: ning.lu@pnl.gov