

Technical Committee Meeting
2025 Annual Meeting
Casa Marina Hotel
Key West, FL
Tuesday, October 28, 2025
10:15AM – 11:45AM

Agenda

Chairman: Randall Franklin (Nelson Brothers)

Vice Chairman: Luke Provencher (Austin Powder Company)

I. CALL TO ORDER

- A. Welcome
- B. Introduction of Participants
- C. Evacuation Procedures and Identification of CPR-trained Attendees

II. ANTITRUST GUIDELINES

The Chair and counsel will review the IME Antitrust Guidelines and advise attendees that the meeting will be conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Guidelines.

III. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

The minutes from the prior meeting held on August 7, 2025, are posted on the IME member website.

IV. TECHNICAL COMMITTEE REPORT

The Technical Committee Report for the 2025 Annual Meeting, distributed to the committee before the meeting, will be reviewed, and any recommendations and/or action items will be considered.

V. SUBCOMMITTEES & SAFETY LIBRARY

- A. Active Subcommittees
 - 1. SLP 1: Construction Guide for Storage Magazines (Joa)
 - 2. SLP 2: American Table of Distances (Joα)
 - 3. SLP 12: Glossary of Commercial Explosives Industry Terms (Franklin)
 - SLP 20: Safety Guide for the Prevention of Radio Frequency Radiation Hazards in the Use of Commercial Electric Detonators (Blasting Caps) (McClure)

- 5. Ammonium Nitrate Subcommittee, SLP 30: Safe Handling of Solid Ammonium Nitrate (Vacant)
- 6. Academics Subcommittee (Franklin)
- 7. 8-ms Rule Working Group (Franklin)
- 8. IMESAFR (McNally/Franklin)
- 9. Lightning Response Working Group (Franklin)
- 10. MSHA Subcommittee (Provencher)
- B. eLearning Project Update (Hoffman)

VI. INTERNATIONAL

- A. UN Committee General Updates (Hoffman)
- B. UNMTC Test 8(d) Initiative (Hoffman)
- C. IGUS/CIE (Hoffman)
- D. Hydrogen Peroxide Emulsions (Hoffman)

VII. LIAISON ASSIGNMENT REPORTS

- A. American Petroleum Institute (API): RP 67 (Hoffman)
- B. International Society of Explosives Engineers (ISEE) (Young)
- C. Australian Explosives Industry and Safety Group (AEISG) (Hoffman)

VIII. NEW BUSINESS

2026 1st Quarter Meeting

- IX. NOMINATION OF CHAIR AND VICE CHAIR
- X. UNSCHEDULED BUSINESS
- XI. ADJOURNMENT