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Aging Management of Dual-Purpose Casks on the Example of CASTOR® KNK

Short Statement: Author and speaker

BIOGRAPHY

Ms. Graffunder studied radiation protection in Karlsruhe, Germany and joined the Karlsruhe Research Center in 1989, where she made experience in administrative health physics in the Central Safety Department;

she was responsible at the Central Waste Facilities Department for sales, product coordination, interim storage facilities, waste documentations and the collecting facility of the federal state Baden-Württemberg;

she was head of project for the decommissioning of the sodium-cooled fast reactor KNK especially for planning and execution of the dismantling of the highly-activated fast-breeder reactor tank.

In 2009 she changed to Energiewerke Nord (EWN GmbH), became authorized representative and is now responsible for the coordination of the public financed waste planned for the final disposal KONRAD.

From 2011 on until now she also leads the Nuclear Fuel Disposal project of the former Karlsruhe Research Centre.

Ms. Graffunder is member of several committees, such as speaker of the Board of the KTG section “Decommissioning and Disposal of Radioactive Waste” as well as member of the ESK committee “Waste Conditioning, Transport and Interim Storage” of the Ministry of Environment.

