

**Minutes**  
**Biological and Environmental Research Advisory Committee**  
**Teleconference**  
**1:00 pm, March 7, 2013**

**BERAC Members Present**

Gary Stacey, Chair	Sabeeha Merchant
Dennis Baldocchi	David Randall
Janet Braam	Karin Remington
James Ehleringer	G. Philip Robertson
Susan Hubbard	Jacqueline Shanks
Andrzej Joachimiak	Gus Shaver
L. Ruby Leung	Minghua Zhang
Gerald Mace	

**BERAC Members Absent**

Judith Curry	David Stahl
Joyce Penner	Judy Wall
James Randerson	Warren Washington
William Schlessinger	Huimin Zhao
Herman Shugart	

The meeting was called to order at 1:12 pm. The entire discussion focused on editing the draft letter report that was discussed at the BERAC meeting on February 21-22. The final report, [http://science.energy.gov/~media/ber/berac/pdf/Reports/BERAC\\_Facilities\\_Response.pdf](http://science.energy.gov/~media/ber/berac/pdf/Reports/BERAC_Facilities_Response.pdf) , was approved as edited during the teleconference meeting by unanimous vote.