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ENERGY OUTLOOK AND EVALUATING ENERGY PROJECT INVESTMENTS TO BE THEME OF MARCH 4 ENERGY FORUM. Join us for the Forum Thursday, March 4 at Brady’s Landing in Houston, Texas. Topics include natural gas outlook, taking advantage of ERCOT’s demand side management program; LyondellBasell’s Energy Journey; and DuPont’s “Bold Energy Plan”: Changing the Way Investments Get Made. There is no cost for attending the Energy Forum; however, pre-registration by Wednesday, March 3 at noon, is requested so that we can provide adequate facilities. To view the program and registration information, go to http://TexasIOF.ces.utexas.edu under “What’s New”.

IMPROVING COOLING AND POWER EFFICIENCY IN DATA CENTERS TOPIC OF MARCH WORKSHOP. Space is limited so register today for the March 17 DOE/ASHRAE workshop in Fort Worth. Does your data center have too much heat, too little space and too little power for the expansion you have in mind? Can you tell where your data center ranks on energy efficiency compared to your competitors? Do you know where to start to cut energy waste and reduce cost? This one day workshop on “Improving Cooling and Power Efficiency in Data Centers” will give you the information and tools needed to tackle these issues. To register, go to www.regonline.com/improving_cooling_and_power_efficiency_in_data_cen For the complete program, go to http://TexasIOF.ces.utexas.edu under “What’s New”.

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2010 TEXAS IOF CALENDAR. Go to the Texas IOF website for program and registration information. http://TexasIOF.ces.utexas.edu

- March 4, Texas Industrial Energy Management Forum, Houston (registration open)
- March 17, Data Center Cooling and Power Efficiency Workshop, Ft. Worth (registration open)
- June 10, Energy Efficiency Track at TCC/ACIT EHS Seminar, Galveston

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