## <u>AERB - USNRC Bilateral Meeting under</u> <u>Nuclear Safety Cooperation Programme</u>

As a part of nuclear safety cooperation programme between AERB and USNRC, a bilateral meeting ( $12^{th}$  in series) was held during May 16 - 17, 2012 at AERB, Mumbai. A delegation of five members from USNRC participated in the meeting.

In this two days meeting, safety experts from both the countries shared their experiences on regulatory practices and discussed on topics like actions taken after Fukushima accident, emergency planning, renewal of license, new reactor licensing, structure degradation etc.

Apart from AERB, participants from the technical support organizations like Bhabha Atomic Research Centre (BARC), Indira Gandhi Centre for Atomic Research (IGCAR) and the utility (Nuclear Power Corporation of India Limited - NPCIL) also attended the meeting. This meeting has provided a good platform for mutual sharing of experiences.



Opening Meeting between US delegation and AERB Senior Officials