

Ram Subbaratnam

From: EARLS, Chris [cee@nei.org]
Sent: Tuesday, August 26, 2008 9:57 AM
To: Ram Subbaratnam *INFO*
Subject: RE: Summary of Conference call with NEI/Stakeholders regarding item 4.3. 1 of the DC/COL-
ISG-001 on Seismic Spectra

Thanks Ram,

I will try to get you an agenda next week.

Chris

From: Ram Subbaratnam [mailto:Ram.Subbaratnam@nrc.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, August 26, 2008 8:50 AM
To: EARLS, Chris
Cc: Goutam Bagchi; Nilesh Chokshi; Rebecca Karas; Clifford Munson
Subject: RE: Summary of Conference call with NEI/Stakeholders regarding item 4.3. 1 of the DC/COL-ISG-001 on
Seismic Spectra

Chris:

As for as I know, the Palo Aalto meeting for September 25/26 stands and, if you send me an agenda, I can go ahead notice. I may not attend, but will call in from HQ. I am re-directing this e-mai to Nilesh, Becky and Cliff concerning Carl's report and hopefully they will provide you some answers.

Ram

From: EARLS, Chris [mailto:cee@nei.org]
Sent: Tuesday, August 26, 2008 7:37 AM
To: Ram Subbaratnam
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Thanks Ram,

I'd like to follow-up on a couple of other items. I think you have already agreed to the meeting on September 25th & 26th for ISG section 4. However, can you verify that for me. I'm still waiting to hear from Bob Kassawara on the meeting room details. I will pass them along to you as soon as I get them. A couple of weeks ago, I spoke with Rebecca Karas about the status of the internal report that Carl Constantino wrote. She indicated at that time that it was under review and that she would try to expedite the review so it could be released to us. We would very much like to review it in preparation for the meeting on September 25/26th. Can you help me determine the status of the review and when we might be able to get a copy?

Thanks,
Chris

From: Ram Subbaratnam [mailto:Ram.Subbaratnam@nrc.gov]
Sent: Monday, August 25, 2008 4:35 PM
To: Jennifer Dixon-Herrity; Anthony Hsia; EARLS, Chris

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Cc: Laura Dudes; Nilesh Chokshi

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MEMORANDUM TO: File

FROM: Ram Subbaratnam, Project Manager, NRG/DNRL
Office of New Reactors, Division of New Reactor Licensing

SUBJECT: Summary of Conference Call with NEI/Industry on August 25, 2008 to discuss of DC/COL-ISG-001, item 4.3.1 Evaluation of Screened-In Equipment/components of the high frequency sensitive mechanical and electrical components.

The purpose of the call was to discuss the proposed changes to the final ISG-001 on Seismic Spectra, (issued May 19, 2008) over wording on screening criterion for high frequency sensitive mechanical and electrical components. Specifically, the industry suggested revising Paragraph 4.3 concerning evaluation as opposed to qualification and clarifying requirements for the test procedure in Section 4.3.1. The staff did not agree with the industry mark up and maintained that the guidance as issued was sound. During the call, staff and industry came to realize that the confusion was with the components screening portion of the process, not with component qualification following screening in. The staff clarified that the issue of screening is currently being discussed with the vendor i.e. Westinghouse in this regard. This issue can be the subject of another conference call, if necessary.

Final Resolution: The ISG as issued in May 19, 2008 was sound and no changes were warranted.

The NRC attendees were:

- Jennifer Dixon-Herrity
- Anthony Hsia
- Ram Subbaratnam

Other observers:

- Chris Earls, NEI
- Robert Kennedy, Consultant
- John Richards, Consultant
- James Parello, Westinghouse
- et. al.

If you need any further information or assistance on this meeting summary please call me on (301) 415 1478 or e-Mail rxs2@nrc.gov.

Thank you.

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