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NRC Staff to Meet With Firstenergy on Sept. 24 in Coraopolis, Pa. to Discuss Performance of Company's Nuclear Power Plants

Nuclear Regulatory Commission and FirstEnergy Nuclear Operating Co. (FENOC) senior managers will meet on Sept. 24 to discuss topics related to the performance of the company's fleet of nuclear power plants. FENOC operates the Beaver Valley plant, in Shippingport, Pa.; the Davis-Besse plant, near Oak Harbor, Ohio; and the Perry plant, in Perry, Ohio.

The meeting is scheduled to begin at 8:30 a.m. at the Embassy Suites-Pittsburgh Airport hotel, located at 550 Cherrington Parkway in Coraopolis, Pa. During the session, which is open to the public, FENOC will provide updates on activities and issues involving its plants.

"We have interactions with the companies that operate U.S. nuclear power plants throughout the year, but this type of meeting allows for a briefing on a broad range of topics in a single setting, with key agency managers in attendance," NRC Region I Administrator Bill Dean said. "We welcome this opportunity to engage FENOC on the latest developments at its three sites."

This will be what is known as a Category 1 meeting. That is, it will be a session with one company to discuss particular regulatory issues regarding specific facilities. Following the business portion of the meeting, members of the public will have an opportunity to discuss FENOC plant performance topics and the role of the agency in ensuring safe plant operation with NRC staff.

The agenda for the meeting is available on the NRC's website.