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MEMORANDUM TO: Undine Shoop, Branch Chief
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SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF THE JULY 28, 2010, PUBLIC MEETING
TO DISCUSS OBSERVATIONS AND LESSONS
LEARNED DURING THE PILOT APPLICATION OF THE
NUCLEAR ENERGY INSTITUTE'S NUCLEAR SAFETY
CULTURE ASSESSMENT PROCESS

On July 28, 2010, a Category 2 public meeting was held between the United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) and representatives of the Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI) and other interested stakeholders at NRC Headquarters, Two White Flint North, 11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD. The purpose of the meeting was to exchange information on observations and lessons learned during the industry's pilot application of NEI 09-07, "Fostering a Strong Safety Culture."

Opening remarks were made by Eric Leeds, Director of the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR), Anthony Pietrangelo, Senior Vice President and Chief Nuclear Officer of NEI, and Undine Shoop, Branch Chief of the Health Physics and Human Performance Branch/NRR. The NRC staff presented its observations from Safety Culture Monitoring Panel and Senior Leadership Team meetings conducted during the NEI Nuclear Safety Culture Assessment pilot study. Industry representatives discussed modifications to the Nuclear Safety Culture Assessment (NSCA) based on lessons learned from the industry pilot and NRC feedback, planned NSCA reliability and validation study activities, and lessons learned and actions taken by the NEI 09-07 pilot plants.

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Enclosed are the list of meeting attendees, as well as the slides and handouts presented at the meeting (ADAMS Accession Number ML102110189).

Please direct any inquiries to Molly Keefe at 301-415-5717 or molly.keefe@nrc.gov .

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