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NOTE TO EDITORS:

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is issuing the attached policy statement on conversion to the metric system of measurements. The policy states the practice and procedures by which the Commission will comply with the Omnibus Trade and Competitiveness Act of 1988. The policy affects the NRC's licensees and applicants and is designed to allow them to respond to market forces in determining the extent and timing for their use of the metric system. The policy will be published in the Federal Register October 7.

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Attachment