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NRC APPOINTS SENIOR PUBLIC AFFAIRS OFFICER TO ITS
REGION I OFFICE IN KING OF PRUSSIA, PENNSYLVANIA

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission has appointed Diane Screnci to be the Senior Public Affairs Officer in its Region I office. She will succeed Karl Abraham, who plans to retire at the end of the year after serving 21 years as the Senior Public Affairs Officer.

Ms. Screnci has been a Field Public Affairs Officer in Region I for the past four years.

Before arriving at NRC, Ms. Screnci spent five years as an editor, writer and reporter at KYW-AM, an all-news radio station in Philadelphia. She also worked as an anchor and editor at WILM Newsradio in Wilmington, DE, and at WCAU-FM in Philadelphia.

Ms. Screnci graduated from LaSalle University with a Bachelor of Arts degree in English and Communication Arts. She currently lives in Plymouth Township with her husband and daughter.

Karl Abraham was a science writer for the Philadelphia Bulletin and the Cleveland Plain Dealer before coming to NRC. He also served as a Public Affairs Consultant to NASA and was an investigative reporter specializing in local government corruption for several daily newspapers.

Mr. Abraham graduated from the City College of New York with a Bachelor of Arts in English and Journalism and was a Sloan-Rockefeller Fellow with the Graduate School of Journalism Advanced Science Writing Program at Columbia University.

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