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SUBJECT: MINUTES OF THE JULY 6, 2000, PUBLIC MEETING WITH THE
NUCLEAR ENERGY INSTITUTE (NEI) TO DISCUSS INDUSTRY
PROPOSED CHANGES TO REGULATORY GUIDE 5.66 AND NUMARC
89-01

On July 6 , 2000, NRC staff held a public meeting with representatives from NEI, industry, and the public. The purpose of this meeting was to provide industry an opportunity to describe its plans to update guidance for the Unescorted Access Authorization (UAA) program. The proposed changes are based on ten years of experience with the current standard document, Nuclear Regulatory Commission Regulatory Guide (RG) 5.66, which endorsed NUMARC 89-01 as an Appendix. NEI presented the proposed changes to NRC staff members in Attachment 1, "Industry proposed changes from NUMARC 89-01 to NEI 99-08", dated July 6, 2000.

NRC staff commented on the rationale for the proposed changes and indicated that a revision to the regulatory guide would be the proper means of endorsing this new guidance. An industry-wide acceptance of the proposed document would be required, followed by security plan changes made pursuant to 10 CFR 50.54(p).

The information above documents discussions between NRC staff, NEI representatives, and the public, and is not intended as a verbatim record. Attachment 2 lists the attendees of the July 6, 2000, public meeting.

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