# INDIAN POINT UNIT 2 AGENCY FOCUS MEETING

#### **SEPTEMBER 11, 2000**



## AGENDA

- INTRODUCTION
  - AGENCY FOCUS DISCUSSION
- INDIAN POINT 2 BACKGROUND
- REACTOR OVERSIGHT PROGRAM

#### CON ED

- REVIEW RESULTS OF PERFORMANCE ISSUES
- CURRENT STATUS OF PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT/ PLANNED ACTIONS

#### SUMMARY

## BACKGROUND

#### **INDIAN POINT 2**

#### EVENTS

► 1996/1997

VARIOUS OPERATIONAL EVENTS INCLUDING SHUTDOWN FOR REPETITIVE DB50 CIRCUIT BREAKER FAILURES

- ► 1997/1998 EXTENDED PLANT SHUTDOWN
- AUG 1999
  PLANT TRIP & LOSS OF OFFSITE POWER
- ► FEB 2000 STEAM GENERATOR TUBE FAILURE

# ASSESSMENTS

- 11/96 NRC INTEGRATED ASSESSMENT (IPAP)
- 3/97 SALP REPORT
- 1/98 PERFORMANCE REVIEW LETTER
- 5/98 CON ED INDEPENDENT ASSESSMENT (ISA)
- 6/98 NRC EVALUATION TEAM (NET)
- 4/99 NRC PLANT PERFORMANCE REVIEW (PPR)
- 9/99, 3/00 NRC AUGMENTED INSPECTION TEAMS
- **3/00** NRC PPR
- 5/00 NRC SENIOR MANAGEMENT MEETING -AGENCY FOCUS DESIGNATION
- 7/00, 8/00 NRC EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND STEAM GENERATOR INSPECTION REPORTS

### ENFORCEMENT

#### **INDIAN POINT 2**

### CIVIL PENALTIES

- ► 5/97 VARIOUS CORRECTIVE ACTION/ENGINEERING ISSUES (\$205K)
- ► 10/97 RECIRCULATION PUMP (\$110K)
- ► 7/98 DB 50 CIRCUIT BREAKERS AND EMERGENCY LIGHTS (\$110K)
- 2/00 LOSS OF OFFSITE POWER EVENT (\$88K)

### CONFIRMATORY ACTION LETTERS

- ► 2/97 FEED REG VALVES FAILED TO CLOSE
- 3/98 EQUIPMENT PERFORMANCE, ENGR SUPPORT, CORRECTIVE ACTION PROCESSES

# **AGENCY FOCUS LETTER**

- IDENTIFIED SEVERAL PERFORMANCE ISSUES
- INDICATED NEED FOR HEIGHTENED NRC OVERSIGHT
- CALLED FOR A MEETING WITH LICENSEE BEFORE ESTABLISHING SPECIFIC APPROACH

- COMMUNICATION/ COORDINATION BETWEEN SITE ORGANIZATIONS
- ENGINEERING SUPPORT/ RESOLUTION OF PLANT PROBLEMS
- CONFIGURATION MANAGEMENT/ CONTROL
- EQUIPMENT RELIABILITY/ CORRECTIVE ACTION BACKLOGS
- OPERATOR KNOWLEDGE/ STATION TRAINING/ PROCEDURES
- EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

### **KEY ASPECTS OF THE NEW PROCESS**

- ESTABLISHES CORNERSTONES OF SAFETY
- USES OBJECTIVE INDICATORS OF PERFORMANCE
- **NRC INSPECTORS MONITOR PLANTS**
- ASSESSMENT PROGRAM TRIGGERS REGULATORY ACTIONS

### **NRC WEBSITE INFORMATION**

#### WEBSITE NAME

- WWW.NRC.GOV GIVES YOU THE NRC HOME PAGE
- INFORMATION AVAILABLE ON MANY TOPICS

### **FOR INDIAN POINT 2 INFORMATION**

- CLICK ON "NUCLEAR REACTORS" THEN
- CLICK ON "INDIAN POINT 2 EVENT" OR "REACTOR OVERSIGHT PROCESS" OR "PLANT ASSESSMENT"
- MANY OTHER OPTIONS AND PATHS AVAILABLE