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MEMORANDUM TO: L. Joseph Callan
Executive Director for Operations

FROM: John C. Hoyle, Secretary /s/

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS - BRIEFING ON PRA
IMPLEMENTATION PLAN, 10:00 A.M., WEDNESDAY,
SEPTEMBER 2, 1998, COMMISSIONERS' CONFERENCE
ROOM, ONE WHITE FLINT NORTH, ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND
(OPEN TO PUBLIC ATTENDANCE)

The Commission was briefed by the NRC staff on the PRA Implementation Plan. The staff noted that it plans to issue a Commission paper in early 1999 which would identify options on modifying Part 50 to be risk-informed and include an assessment of industry's recent detailed proposal for a risk-informed and performance-based pilot plant initiative. The Commission encouraged the staff to include the implications of all the options presented in the paper, including resources.

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