

UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555

October 5, 1989

MEMORANDUM FOR: James M. Taylor
Acting Executive Director for Operations

FROM: Samuel J. Chilk, Secretary

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS - BRIEFING ON NRC
TECHNICAL TRAINING PROGRAM, 10:00 A.M.,
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1989, COMMISSIONER'S
CONFERENCE ROOM, ONE WHITE FLINT NORTH,
ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND (OPEN TO PUBLIC
ATTENDANCE)

The Commissioner was briefed by the staff on the Technical Training Program for NRC personnel.

The Commission requested the staff to:

1. Evaluate the training necessary to ensure uniformity in the conduct of the remaining maintenance team inspections. Actions to accomplish this training should then be implemented.
(EDO) (SECY Suspense: 10/15/89)
2. Develop and/or implement a refresher Fundamentals of Inspection training course to promote a consistent inspection philosophy.
(EDO) (SECY Suspense: 12/15/89)
3. Ensure that training costs associated with TTC staff participation in inspection teams are adequately included in future budgets.
(EDO) (SECY Suspense: 5/15/90)
4. Consider emphasizing cross-fertilization of experience among Technical Training Center (TTC) instructors to improve corporate/ commercial operating experience.
5. Assure adequate training capabilities in the areas of fuel cycle and reactor physics safety associated with fuel geometry and criticality.

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The Commission also encouraged the staff to continue to closely monitor training programs to ensure that personnel training needs can be accommodated.

cc: Chairman Carr
Commissioner Roberts
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