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FROM: Beth A. Wetzel, Lead Project Manager for Bulletin 2001-01 */ra/*
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SUBJECT: FORTHCOMING MEETING WITH NUCLEAR ENERGY INSTITUTE
(NEI) ELECTRIC POWER RESEARCH INSTITUTE AND OPERATING
PRESSURIZED WATER REACTOR LICENSEES

DATE & TIME: Wednesday, February 20, 2002 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Thursday, February 21, 2002 1:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

LOCATION: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Two White Flint North, Room T-3-B-45 (ASLBP Court Room)
11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD 20852

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Vessel Head Penetration cracking issue.

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MEETING AGENDA
FOR FEBRUARY 20 AND 21, 2002 MEETINGS WITH INDUSTRY
ON ALLOY 600 ISSUES

February 20, Meeting

Industry

- Alloy 600/82/182 Strategic Plan
- Alloy 600//82/182 Industry Inspection Plan
- Inspection Plans and Results to Date
- Generic Industry Risk Assessment (Proprietary)
- Alloy 600 Crack Growth Rate (Proprietary)
- Technical Justification for Recommendation
- Recommendation

Industry and NRC

- Discussion between the staff and MRP on future plans and desired topics for interactions

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