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SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF PUBLIC MEETINGS ON THE DRAFT SUPPLEMENT 1 TO

NUREG-0586, "FINAL GENERIC ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON

DECOMMISSIONING OF NUCLEAR FACILITIES"

In early 2000 the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff began an effort to update the part of the 1988 Generic Environmental Impact Statement on Decommissioning of Nuclear Facilities (NUREG-0586) that deals with nuclear power reactors. In October 2001 the staff published for comment Draft Supplement 1 (SEIS) to NUREG-0586 on decommissioning of nuclear power reactors. To solicit a full range of comments and to explain the conclusions reached in the draft SEIS, the NRC staff held four public meetings in major cities across the U.S. in December 2001. The meetings were held on December 4, in San Francisco, California; December 6, in Chicago, Illinois; December 10, in Boston, Massachusetts; and December 12, in Atlanta, Georgia. Presentations on the SEIS were made by Mr. Dino Scaletti and Ms. Eva Hickey. Attachments 1 through 4 are copies of transcripts from each of the four meetings. Documents submitted by members of the public during the meeting are attached to the meeting transcripts. Attachment 5 contains the presentation slides used by the NRC at all four meetings. Attachment 6 is a combined list of the attendees at all four meetings.

The purpose of the meetings was twofold; first to provide the public with an explanation of the need and scope of the document, the methodology used to identify and evaluate impacts associated with the reactor decommissioning process, and the conclusions of the staff's analysis; and second to solicit comments on the draft SEIS from interested members of the public, local, State and other Federal organizations and agencies, and representatives from the nuclear industry. The NRC staff will consider the comments while preparing the final SEIS. Each meeting was preceded by a 1-hour open house to provide individuals attending the meetings an opportunity to talk to the staff in a less formal setting. The open house was followed by an approximately 40-minute formal presentation by the NRC staff. After the formal presentation, people present were invited to ask questions and make comments, and deliver any statements they felt were appropriate.

Attendance ranged from approximately 15 to 35 people at each session. More than 16 persons made comments or statements. Attendees included representatives from Federal, State, and local governmental organizations, citizens groups, members of the utility industry, and members of the public.

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Memo, Public Scoping Sv. List, List of Attendees (Att. 6): ML020520061

Att. 1 Official Transcript of Proceedings, San Francisco, Ca (12/14/01): ML020520191

Att. 2 Official Transcript of Proceedings, Chicago, IL (12/06/01): ML020520263

Att. 3 Official Transcript of Proceedings, Boston, MA (12/10/01): ML020520318

Att. 4 Official Transcript of Proceedings, Atlanta, GA (12/12/01): ML020520355

Att. 4A Comments Georgians for Clean Energy, Atlanta, GA (12/12/01): ML020530389

Att 5 Presentation Slides, Public meeting on the Draft Suppl. 1 Generic Environmental Impact Statement on Decommissioning of Nuclear Facilities (12/01): **ML020530385**

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