

June 25, 2002

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SUBJECT: FORTHCOMING MEETING WITH NUCLEAR MANAGEMENT  
COMPANY, LLC (NMC), REGARDING THE PALISADES PLANT  
(TAC NO. MB5392)

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8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon

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**AGENDA**  
July 16 - 18, 2002 Meeting  
Regarding Inputs for use in the Pressurized Thermal  
Shock Risk Analysis of Palisades

**July 16 and 17:**

8:00-8:15	Introduction and Purpose of Meeting	H. Woods, NRC/RES
8:15-9:45	Discussion of Thermal Hydraulic PTS Sequence Binning for Input to FAVOR Probabilistic Fracture Mechanics Code	A. Kolaczowski (SAIC), D. Whitehead (SNL), and B. Brogan, et al. (NMC)
9:45-10:00	Break	
10:00-11:30	Continuation of Discussion	(Same)
11:30-12:30	Lunch	
12:30-2:45	Continuation of Discussion	(Same)
2:45-3:00	Break	
3:00-4:30	Continuation of Discussion	(Same)
4:30-5:00	Comments/Questions from the Public	

**July 18:**

8:00-11:30	Continuation of Discussion (with break as above)	(Same)
11:30-12:00	Comments/Questions from the Public	

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