## September 3, 2002

MEMORANDUM TO: Farouk Eltawila, Director

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Office of Nuclear Regulatory Research

FROM: Stuart D. Rubin, Senior Technical Advisor /RA/

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SUBJECT: NOTICE OF MEETING WITH GENERAL ATOMICS AND

INTERESTED STAKEHOLDERS REGARDING HIGH-TEMPERATURE GAS-COOLED REACTOR TECHNOLOGY AND PRE-APPLICATION

ACTIVITIES FOR THE GAS TURBINE - MODULAR HELIUM

REACTOR (PROJECT 716)

DATE AND TIME: September 24, 2002 – 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

LOCATION: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission

Two White Flint North, Atomic Safety and Licensing Board Room

11545 Rockville Pike - Room T-3 B45

Rockville, Maryland 20852

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