

December 17, 2002

MEMORANDUM TO: Christopher I. Grimes, Program Director
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Division of Regulatory Improvement Programs, NRR

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SUBJECT: NOTICE OF MEETING WITH NUCLEAR ENERGY INSTITUTE (NEI)
REGARDING FIRE PROTECTION ISSUES

DATE AND TIME: January 15, 2003
1:00 p.m.- 3:30 p.m.

LOCATION: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
One White Flint North
11555 Rockville Pike
Rockville, MD 20852-2738
Room O-12B4

PURPOSE: To discuss management of current and emerging fire protection issues.
A preliminary agenda is attached.

PARTICIPANTS*: NRC NEI/Industry
Suzanne Black Alex Marion, NEI
John Hannon Fred Emerson, NEI
Eric Weiss, et al Gary Gates, OPPD

CATEGORY: This is a category 2 meeting. The public is invited to participate in this meeting by discussing regulatory issues with the NRC at designated points identified on the agenda.

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Attachment: Agenda
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**PRELIMINARY AGENDA FOR NRC/NEI
MEETING ON FIRE PROTECTION ISSUES**

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- Introduction and Opening Remarks NRC/NEI
- Fire Protection Issue Management Processes NRC/NEI
 - New issue identification/resolution
 - Existing issue resolution
 - Potential constraints on issue resolution
- NRC Fire Protection Improvement Plan NRC
- Opportunity for Public Question and Comment Public
- Emerging Regulatory Concerns/Issues NRC/NEI
- Prioritization of Emerging Issues and Process for Resolution NRC/NEI
- Opportunity for Public Question and Comment Public
- Plans and Topics for Future Meetings NRC/NEI

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