

June 2, 2003

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Dear Mr. Pietrangelo:

This is to inform you of the status of Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI) Technical Specifications Task Force (TSTF) travelers since the transmittal and adoption of the policy as described in the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) letter to NEI dated January 10, 2003.

The following are the travelers that the staff has agreed to continue to review under fee exemption status:

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| TSTF-373, R.2 | Increase CIV Completion Time in accordance with CE-NPSD-1168  |
| TSTF-429, R.1 | Ice Mass Determination Surveillance Requirements  |
| TSTF-439, R.1 | Eliminate Second Completion Times Limiting Time from Discovery of Failure to meet an LCO            |
| TSTF-446      | Risk Informed Evaluation of Extensions to Containment Isolation Valve Completion Times (WCAP-15791) |
| TSTF-447, R.1 | Elimination of Hydrogen Recombiners and Change to Hydrogen and Oxygen Monitors                      |
| TSTF-448      | Control Room Habitability   |
| TSTF-449      | Steam Generator Tube Integrity  |

Additionally, the following Risk Management Technical Specifications will continue to be reviewed by the staff under fee exemption status:

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| TSTF-422 | CE Initiative 1           |
| TSTF-423 | BWR Initiative 1          |
| TSTF-431 | B&W Initiative 1          |
| TSTF-432 | W Initiative 1            |
| TSTF-424 | All Vendors Initiative 4b |
| TSTF-425 | All Vendors Initiative 5b |
| TSTF-426 | All Vendors Initiative 6  |
| TSTF-427 | All Vendors Initiative 7  |

Below are the travelers that NRC placed On Hold status at the January 30, 2003 NRC/NEI TSTF Meeting:

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| TSTF-254, R.2 | Extend Frequency of Accumulated Water Checks for DG Fuel Oil |
| TSTF-345, R.1 | Add New Condition C for 3.2.1 Actions                        |

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| TSTF-374      | Revision to TS 5.5.13 and associated TS Bases for Diesel Fuel Oil                        |
| TSTF-402      | Clarification of Required Features in 3.8.1 Actions                                      |
| TSTF-406, R.1 | Predicting End-of-Cycle MTC and deleting need for End-of-Cycle Verification (NPSD-911-A) |
| TSTF-407      | Extending ESFAS Subgroup Relay Test Intervals (CEN-403, Rev 1)                           |
| TSTF-409, R.1 | Containment Spray System Completion Time Extension (CE NPSD-1045-A)                      |
| TSTF-433      | Eliminate SR 3.8.2.1, Note 2, from the PWR ITS NUREGs                                    |
| TSTF-436      | Revise Channel Calibration Definition to Address Non-Adjustable Sensors                  |
| TSTF-437      | Correction of Rod Position Indication Condition  |
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The following TSTFs have been approved for adoption:

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| TSTF-370      | Increase Accumulator CT from 1 to 24 hours - Approved March 6, 2003.                             |
| TSTF-359, R.9 | Increase Flexibility in MODE Restraints - Approved April 4, 2003.                                |
| TSTF-404      | SDV Actions - Approved April 8, 2003.  |
| TSTF-442      | Elimination of Requirements for Post Accident Sampling System (BAW-2387) - Approved May 6, 2003. |

Please contact me at (301) 415-1161 or e-mail [wdb@nrc.gov](mailto:wdb@nrc.gov) if you have any questions or need further information on these proposed changes.

Sincerely,

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