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MEMORANDUM TO: Terence L. Chan, Chief  
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SUBJECT: FORTHCOMING MEETING WITH THE ELECTRIC POWER  
RESEARCH INSTITUTE (EPRI)

DATE & TIME: Wednesday, February 4, 2004, 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Thursday, February 5, 2004, 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

LOCATION: Entergy Office  
Conference Room #704  
639 Loyola Avenue  
New Orleans, Louisiana

PURPOSE: To discuss the status of the Performance Demonstration Initiative (PDI) program. The PDI program is an industry initiative for implementing the performance demonstration criteria in the supplements to Appendix VIII of Section XI of the ASME Code. (See attached agenda).

PARTICIPANTS: Participants from the NRC include members of the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR).

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**AGENDA FOR MEETING WITH EPRI**  
**ENTERGY OFFICE, NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA**

**February 4 & 5, 2004**

1. Status of PDI Piping Demonstration Program:
  - Supplements 10 and 14.
  - Supplement 10 qualification limitations.
2. Status of PDI RPV Demonstration Program:
  - Supplement 5 and 7 demonstrations.
  - Supplement 5 and 7 Code actions.
3. Open Items from Last Meeting:
4. NRC position on examination coverage of nozzle-to-vessel welds.
5. Site-specific mock-ups to expand Supplement 10 qualifications.
6. Discuss the proposed rule changes to 10CFR50.55a.
7. New issues of interest:
  - Expansion of Appendix VIII to include qualification with fabrication flaws.
  - Expansion of Appendix I to reference Appendix VIII to include all volumetric examinations for Class 1, 2, and 3 vessel welds.
  - Items of mutual interest.
8. Public Comment
9. Adjourn