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352 563-4883 ---- Original Message----

From: Baucom, Chuck,

Sent: Friday, June 21, 2002 9:36 AM

To: Beller, Leonard; Powell, Sidney C.; Caves, John; Groblewski, Tony

Subject: FW: Manual Actions Meeting with NRC

In case you had not seen this through other channels. ----Original Message-----

From: Modlin, Frank

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To: Castell, Curt; Caba, Erdal; Simonson, Terry; Stoddard, Dan; Baucom, Chuck; Gerwe, Bruce;

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The results of the meeting between NEI and the NRC are addressed below. I don't think we could have expected a better outcome. However, work remains to be done to demonstrate our ability to perform these actions. GOOD NEWS, Franklin -----Original Message----

From: Hardy, Steve

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To: Smith, Kent N.; Lee, David S.; Cairns, Robert L.; Curham, John J.; Doliber, Diane; Fletcher, Michael; Georgeson, Chris; Gerwe, Bruce; Hightower, Richard; Makowski, Richard; McAfee, David; Miller, Kenneth E; Modlin, Frank; Russell, Jay L.; Sims, Roger

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This was a very positive meeting that appeared to open some NRC senior management eyes that there are two sides to the story. The input that some of you provided to NEI was beneficial in ensuring the success of this meeting. -----Original Message-

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This message is for the members of the Fire Protection Working Group and the Circuit Failure Issue Task Force. The meeting with NRC this morning went guite well. The final version of the presentation materials is attached. NRC agreed with the industry position and are contemplating one of two ways to provide guidance to the industry that manual actions for redundant shutdown are acceptable without exemptions or deviations. One possible way is an Office of General Counsel interpretation; the other is a

direct final rule. The NEI lawyers are working with theirs to determine the appropriate method and the appropriate language. They also agreed to develop criteria guiding use of manual actions; this area must be explored further. While they did not agree to an enforcement moratorium, they made it clear that they would not cite licensees solely because of use of redundant shutdown manual actions without an exemption of deviation. Any citations would come if the licensee were not able to demonstrate that they could carry out the manual actions. This also remains to be fleshed out. Pending licensing actions will be reviewed in the light of their decision today. Please call me with any questions. Fred 202-739-8086

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