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>>> Ray Gallucci 04/08/04 11:49AM >>> *NRR*  
I think we have the ground rules - both pre-emptive, event-based OpManAx and recovery-type, symptom-based OpManAx are "in." While we may want to pick less "controversial" examples for the next session, I think even the PORV example would be considered "in" for both pre-emptive and reactive cases. For the workshop, we should not get bogged down on the nature of the actions, but focus on the time "margin" aspects, ergo the choice of "non-controversial" examples, for which the results we develop would apply even to the "controversial" examples (by necessity).

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>>> Ray Gallucci 04/08/04 07:45AM >>> *NRR*  
I think the "ground rules" are that "anything goes" so long as hot shutdown can be achieved. I don't like these ground rules, but, as per my memo yesterday after talking with Phil, there apparently has already been an implicit acceptance of this based on our not specifying what OpManAx are "in" and "out" in the SECY that started this rulemaking. The only specifications on OpManAx acceptability were that they be feasible (and, by implication, reliable as well). So, symptom-based "recoveries," such as reclosing the opened PORV via fuse box pull, are "in" because they have been "greened" as non-compliances during inspections.

Again, this may not be "right," but I don't see us having the luxury of redirecting the rulemaking at this point - we can only work on enhancing the criteria, specifically the Time "Margin." If it helps, let's try to pick less "controversial" examples (no "recoveries," for example).

>>> Peter Koltay 04/07/04 05:24PM >>>  
before we start up again we should review the ground rules for MAs and set

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>>> Erasmia Lois 04/06/04 04:47PM >>> *LES*

**Dates:** May 4 and 5

**Times:** 8:30 - 5:30

**ROOM:** O-13B4

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