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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON REACTOR SAFEGUARDS  
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MEMORANDUM TO: Luis A. Reyes  
Executive Director for Operations  
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FROM: John T. Larkins, Executive Director  
Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards

SUBJECT: PROPOSED GENERIC LETTER 2005-XX, "IMPACT OF POTENTIALLY  
DEGRADED HEMYC/MT FIRE BARRIER MATERIALS ON  
COMPLIANCE WITH APPROVED FIRE PROTECTION PROGRAMS"

During the 524<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards, July 6-8, 2005, the Committee considered the proposed Generic Letter 2005-XX, "Impact of Potentially Degraded HEMYC/MT Fire Barrier Materials on Compliance with Approved Fire Protection Programs." The Committee plans to review the draft final version of this Generic Letter after reconciliation of public comments. The Committee has no objection to the staff's proposal to issue the proposed Generic Letter for public comment.

Reference:

Memorandum dated June 9, 2005, from Brian W. Sheron, Associate Director for Project Licensing and Technical Analysis, NRR, to John T. Larkins, Executive Director, ACRS, Subject: Request for the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS) to Defer Initial Review of the Proposed Draft Generic Letter Entitled, "Impact of Potentially Degraded HEMYC/MT Fire Barrier Materials on Compliance with Approved Fire Protection Programs," (ADAMS Accession No. ML051510350).

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