REGIONAL ROLE IN THE NRC OPERATING EXPERIENCE PROGRAM

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Region's Role in the NRC's Operating Experience Program

- Identify, Collect, and Evaluate OpE
- Provide Prompt Reviews of Incoming OpE
- Coordinate Response with Stakeholders

Identify, Collect and Evaluate OpE Information

- Identify Reactor Safety Issues for OpE
- Provide Inspection Resources for Onsite Reviews of OpE
- Perform Independent Reviews of Licensee Actions
- Verify Implementation of Commitments Associated with OpE

Prompt Review of Incoming Operational Data

- Multiple Sources of OpE Information
- Screening Guidelines
  - Quantitative Reviews
    - Conditional Core Damage Probability (CCDP)
    - Significance Determination Process (SDP) ≥ WHITE
  - Qualitative Reviews
    - Degraded or Loss of Safety Function
    - Potential Generic Implications or Commonalities
    - New or Unexpected Failure Mode

Coordinate Response with Stakeholders

- Timely Communication of OpE to Stakeholders
- Apply Lessons Learned from OpE
- Provide Feedback to NRR on Program Effectiveness