

September 15, 2005

MEMORANDUM TO: Eileen McKenna, Acting Program Director
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SUBJECT: NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING BETWEEN THE NRC STAFF AND
STAKEHOLDERS TO DISCUSS CLOSURE TO POST-FIRE
OPERATOR MANUAL ACTIONS PROPOSED RULE (FEDERAL
REGISTER NOTICE 70 FR 10901, DATED MARCH 7, 2005)

DATE AND TIME: September 30, 2005
From 9:00 am To 12:00 pm

LOCATION: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
One White Flint North
11545 Rockville Pike, MD 20852-2738
Commission Briefing Room

CATEGORY: This is a Category 2^{*} Meeting. The public is invited to participate in this meeting by discussing regulatory issues with NRC at designated points identified on the agenda.

PURPOSE: NRC staff to convey (1) consideration of a recommendation to the Commission to withdraw the Operator Manual Actions rulemaking activity and (2) regulatory framework, inspection, and enforcement approach for the use of operator manual actions to satisfy paragraph III.G.2 of Appendix R to 10 CFR part 50. The Post-Fire Operator Manual Actions Proposed Rule related documents are available at <http://www.nrc.gov/ruleforum.llnl.gov/>

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^w Commission's Policy Statement on "Enhancing Public Participation in NRC Meetings," 67 Federal Register 36920, May 28, 2002

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POST-FIRE OPERATOR MANUAL ACTIONS PROPOSED RULE MEETING AGENDA

1. Introduction David Diec, NRR 9:00 am - 9:10 am
2. NRC Opening Remarks Brian Sheron, NRR 9:10 am - 9:20 am
3. Overall Regulatory Framework Sunil Weerakkody 9:20 am - 9:30 am

A. Response to Public Comments on Proposed Rule (70 FR 10901, dated March 7, 2005) (Alex Klein, NRR)

1. Summary of public comments and staff resolution of comments
2. Basis for staff's proposal to withdraw rulemaking activity

B. Closure Path

1. Issue a Regulatory Issue Summary (RIS) to re-iterate NRC's expectation with respect to the use of operator manual actions in Appendix R, paragraph III.G.2 (Alex Klein, NRR)
2. Enforcement discretion approach for compliance with Appendix R, paragraph III.G.2 (Chris Nolan, OE)

C. Stakeholders prepared statements

1. NEI presentation/statement
2. Public interest group presentation/statement
3. Closing Remarks John Hannon, NRR 11:55 am - 12:00 pm

Meeting Adjourned