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ATTN: G. M. McCann

Subject:

Plan for 2002 Emergency Exercise

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In response to your request for the Westinghouse Plans for the 2002 Emergency Plan Exercise to be held at the Hematite Site, Westinghouse Electric Company will conduct the drill on or before August 31, 2002. In planning for this exercise Westinghouse prepared a matrix of the Emergency Plan elements along with an evaluation of the current status of each program element. Based on this evaluation, an exercise has been designed.

The exercise will involve an unannounced emergency evacuation of the site buildings to the emergency control center. This exercise will be oriented towards testing the Command/Control, Personnel Accountability, Assessment and Notification aspects of the Emergency Plan. Drill controllers will control the scenario and activities by the use of cue cards and there will be at least two controllers/observers to critique performance. This exercise is not intended to test or critique emergency team operations. No involvement of off-site support and agencies is planned beyond notifications.

If you have any questions concerning this plan, please contact me at (412) 374-4652 or by email at nardiaj@westinghouse.com.

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