

March 2, 2006

MEMORANDUM TO: Timothy J. Kobetz, Acting Chief  
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Division of Operating Reactor Licensing  
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

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SUBJECT: FORTHCOMING MEETING WITH NUCLEAR MANAGEMENT  
COMPANY (NMC) TO DISCUSS USING M5 FUEL CLADDING AT  
PALISADES NUCLEAR PLANT

DATE & TIME: Wednesday, March 22, 2006  
1:00 p.m. — 3:00 p.m.

LOCATION: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC)  
One White Flint North  
11555 Rockville Pike, Room O14B8  
Rockville, Maryland 20852

PURPOSE: NMC to discuss their overall strategy for implementing M5 fuel cladding  
at Palisades and their M5 amendment and exemption.

CATEGORY 1: \* This is a Category 1 Meeting. The public is invited to observe this  
meeting, and will have one or more opportunities to communicate with  
the NRC after the business portion, but before the meeting is adjourned.

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\* Commission's Policy Statement on "Enhancing Public Participation in NRC Meetings,"  
(67 FR 36920), May 28, 2002

PARTICIPANTS: Participants from the NRC include members of the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR).

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**Meeting Agenda**  
**Nuclear Management Company (NMC)**  
**Using M5 Fuel Cladding at Palisades Nuclear Plant**

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- Introduction — Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC)
- Purpose of Meeting — NMC
- Objectives — NMC
- Overall Strategy of Implementing M5 Fuel Cladding — NMC
  - , Licensing Submittals
    - < License Amendments
      - Incorporation of Topical Report
      - Realistic Large Break Loss-of-Coolant Accident
  - , Exemption
    - < Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR), Part 50.46
    - < 10 CFR 50, Appendix K
- Schedule — NMC
- Discussion — NMC/NRC
- Public Comments
- Summary — NRC

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