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MEMORANDUM TO: Charles E. Ader, Director
Division of Safety Systems and Risk Assessment
Office of New Reactors

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SUBJECT: FORTHCOMING MEETING WITH STAKEHOLDERS REGARDING
RISK METRICS FOR NEW LIGHT-WATER REACTORS

DATE & TIME: Wednesday, February 18, 2009
8:30 A.M. to 12:00 NOON

LOCATION: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Two White Flint North
11545 Rockville Pike, Room T-2B3
Rockville, Maryland 20852-2738

PURPOSE: The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the issues and potential options
for implementation of risk metrics for new light-water reactor risk-informed
applications. See attached agenda.

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

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

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Tentative Agenda

Public Meeting Regarding Alternative Risk Metrics for New Light-Water Reactors

8:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon
Wednesday, February 18, 2009
NRC Headquarters (Room T-2B3)

<u>TIME</u>	<u>TOPIC</u>	<u>LEAD</u>
8:30 – 8:40 a.m.	Introduction and opening remarks	NRC
8:40 – 9:00 a.m.	Background on risk metrics for risk-informed applications	NRC
9:00 – 10:00 a.m.	Applicability of existing risk metrics to new reactor designs	All
10:00 – 10:15 a.m.	Opportunity for Public Comment	Public
10:15 – 10:30 a.m.	Break	
10:30 – 11:30 a.m.	Potential implementation issues for new reactors	All
11:30 – 11:45 a.m.	Next steps	All
11:45 a.m. – noon	Opportunity for Public Comment	Public
12:00 noon	Adjourn	

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