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**Sent:** Sunday, February 08, 2009 12:57 PM  
**To:** BelCol Resource; HarrisCOL Resource; LevyCOL Resource; SummerCOL Resource; VogtleCOL Resource  
**Subject:** FW: NRO Directors Issue Resolution Process

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From: Jeffrey Cruz  
Sent: Friday, January 09, 2009 1:14 PM  
To: Eileen McKenna; Stephanie Coffin; Amy Cabbage; Thomas Kevern; Michael Eudy  
Subject: FW: NRO Directors Issue Resolution Process

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From: Thomas Bergman  
Sent: Friday, January 09, 2009 11:35 AM  
To: BELL, Russ  
Cc: Jeffrey Cruz  
Subject: RE: NRO Directors Issue Resolution Process

Russ, we met Tuesday. We are getting you a formal response, expect soon. Nutshell is we agree with your interpretation. No GDC 2,4. GDC 5 applies at multi-unit sites, but neither AP1000 nor ESBWR are multi-unit in their DC reviews. I will forward you the writeup when I get it. We are planning to discuss at DCWG, I believe.

We may also make changes to the submittal process so that the one-pagers get into the right docket files through our normal processes.

I will not be at the DCWG, I'll be on the west coast at the APPA conference.

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From: BELL, Russ [rjb@nei.org]  
Sent: Friday, January 09, 2009 8:22 AM  
To: Thomas Bergman  
Subject: RE: NRO Directors Issue Resolution Process

Happy New Year, Tom!

I'm touching base with you on the status of the NRO Directors consideration of the one-pager we sent you before the Holidays on GDCs and off-site power systems. What is your schedule for getting back to us on that item? I have a conference call with our NPWG next Thursday, and I would like to provide them an update.

Thanks, and perhaps I will see you at the generic issues meeting next Wednesday.

From: Thomas Bergman [mailto:Thomas.Bergman@nrc.gov]

Sent: Friday, December 12, 2008 6:27 PM  
To: BELL, Russ  
Subject: RE: NRO Directors Issue Resolution Process

Russ, I will be the POC for coordinating these issues with the other divisions and ensuring they get on the agenda for our program meetings, as appropriate.

Please make sure the appropriate DNRL Project Managers and Projects Branch Chiefs are cc'd so they remain informed and can make preparations to support the meetings. For issues that pertain to the environmental review, please make sure to include the appropriate DSER Project Managers and Projects Branch Chiefs.

Also, it would be very helpful if you could coordinate the list of potential topics that might be raised, even before one-pagers developed, so that we could begin some advance planning as the program meeting agendas fill rapidly.

Thanks and have a good weekend.

From: BELL, Russ [mailto:rjb@nei.org]  
Sent: Monday, December 08, 2008 9:34 AM  
To: Thomas Bergman  
Subject: NRO Directors Issue Resolution Process

Your v-mail greeting says that e-mail would work better for you this week.

At last Tuesday's meeting with the New Plant Working Group, Dave described a new NRO process for Directors/Deputies to meet regularly to resolve new plant issues that are stuck or need timely resolution. This process was also discussed with AP1000 folks the day before. It was explained that industry (DCWGs or for generic issues, NEI) could provide brief white papers as input to these discussions on significant issues. We also got the message that the bar for us to exercise this process should be set high.

Re: process, you were mentioned as a possible point of contact for receiving issue papers from the industry. I think that having you as the single point of contact is a good idea, and I wanted to confirm that plan with you. Also, I wanted to ask you about how you envision closing the loop with whomever submitted an issue after it is discussed by the NRO Directors.

As discussed last week, we think that the current issue about applicability of GDCs to offsite power systems qualifies for special attention, and we are working on a short issue paper to input to the process.

Please advise regarding the process aspects. Thx.

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