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SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF PUBLIC MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2010, WHICH
DISCUSSED A SAFETY EVALUATION TEMPLATE AND A LICENSE
AMENDMENT REQUEST TEMPLATE FOR NUCLEAR POWER
PLANTS TRANSITIONING TO NFPA 805

On March 17, 2010, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) held a Category 3 public meeting to discuss a safety evaluation (SE) template and a license amendment request (LAR) template for nuclear power plants transitioning to a fire protection program based on the National Fire Protection Association Standard 805 (NFPA 805). During the discussion the NRC staff shared a draft sample section of the SE Template and provided feedback on a draft LAR template. An attendance list is included in this summary as an enclosure.

Summary of Meeting

The purpose of the meeting was to discuss recent activities on the part of the NRC staff and the industry to update the NFPA 805 SE template and license amendment request (LAR) template, respectively. The meeting notice can be found under Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) accession number ML100610307. The meeting handouts consisted of a draft of one section of the SE Template (ML100910199) and preliminary feedback on a draft version of the LAR Template (ML100950232). The Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI) also presented several slides on the status of the LAR Template development (ML100910214).

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The staff shared some preliminary feedback on the LAR Template. In general, the staff observed that the template should include positive compliance statements whenever possible, should use template-style language, and should minimize the reiteration of guidance that can be found in other documents. Representatives of NEI clarified the intent of the third bullet in Section 4.1.1 in that the term "Engineering Equivalency Evaluation" refers to Existing Engineering Equivalency Evaluation, which is a defined term in NFPA 805. After the LAR Template discussion, meeting participants discussed the format, structure and content of the draft SE Template section on nuclear safety capability assessments by fire area.

Members of the general public did not have any questions or comments during the meeting. No conclusions were made regarding these technical topics that were discussed. No public comment feedback forms were received after the meeting.

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Meeting on Safety Evaluation Template Guidance

March 17, 2010

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