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MEMORANDUM TO: R. W. Borchardt
Executive Director for Operations

FROM: Edwin M. Hackett, Executive Director */RA/*
Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards

SUBJECT: WITHDRAWAL OF REGULATORY GUIDES 1.39, 1.81, AND 1.154

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- Regulatory Guide 1.154, "Format and Content of Plant-Specific Pressurized Thermal Shock Safety Analysis Reports for Pressurized Water Reactors"

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