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MEMORANDUM TO: Lynn A. Mrowca, Chief
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SUBJECT: FORTHCOMING MEETING WITH STAKEHOLDERS TO PERFORM TABLETOP EXERCISES TO WRAP-UP LICENSING ISSUES AND TO DISCUSS THE REACTOR OVERSIGHT PROCESS FOR NEW REACTORS

DATES & TIME: Wednesday, October 5, 2011
8:30 A.M. – 5:00 P.M.
Eastern Standard Time (EST)

LOCATION: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
One White Flint North
11555 Rockville Pike, Room O-3B4
Rockville, Maryland 20852

PURPOSE: The purpose of the meeting is to perform "tabletop exercises" to discuss risk-informed licensing issues (i.e., Regulatory Guide 1.174 and LRF to LERF transition) that were not covered during the previous tabletops that were held, and the reactor oversight process (ROP) for new reactors. This activity is in response to the Commission's Staff Requirements Memorandum of March 2, 2011 on SECY-10-0121 regarding risk-informed regulatory guidance for new reactors. See attached agenda.

CATEGORY *: This is a Category 3 meeting. The public is invited to participate in this meeting by providing comments and asking questions throughout the meeting.

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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 Workshop to Perform
Tabletop Exercises to Wrap-up Licensing Issues and
to Discuss the Reactor Oversight Process for New Reactors
October 5, 2011
8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
NRC, One White Flint, O-3B4
1-800-369-2058; pass code: 10888#

TIME	TOPIC	LEAD
8:30 – 8:45 a.m.	Introduction, opening remarks, and ground rules for workshop	NRC
8:45 – 10:15 a.m.	Regulatory Guide 1.174	NRC
10:15 – 10:30 a.m.	Break	
10:30 – 11:30 a.m.	LRF to LERF transition issues	NRC
11:30 – 12:00 p.m.	Other risk-informed licensing issues	All
12:00 – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch	
1:00 – 2:00 p.m.	Significance Determination Process Cases	NRC/Industry
2:00 – 3:00 p.m.	Management Directive 8.3 Cases	NRC/Industry
3:00 – 3:15 p.m.	Break	
3:15 – 4:15 p.m.	Mitigating Systems Performance Index Cases	NRC/Industry
4:15 – 5:00 p.m.	Discussion of regulatory and licensee controls	All
5:00 p.m.	Adjourn	

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