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SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF THE AUGUST 25, 2011, CATEGORY 2 MEETING
REGARDING THE NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION ASSOCIATION
STANDARD 805 FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTION PROCESS

On August 25, 2011, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff held a meeting with stakeholders and the public to discuss Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) at plants that are adopting National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Standard 805. Licensees and the NRC staff discussed the list of currently open FAQs. The participants determined that both industry stakeholders and the NRC staff needed to continue to work on the remaining open FAQs.

The NRC staff discussed the status of FAQ 08-0053, which deals with Kerite cable categorization. The staff stated that the final test report had been received, but noted that final approval from Sandia National Laboratory is needed to publish the report. The staff will announce the public availability of the report at the next FAQ meeting following its issuance.

The licensees presented a new revision of FAQ 10-0059, which deals with the NFPA 805 Monitoring Program, and the staff discussed oral comments on the new revision. The licensees stated that they would be incorporating the comments into a new revision of the FAQ.

The licensees presented a proposal to expand the scope of the monthly FAQ public meetings to include tracking of some aspects of NRC review of the non-pilot NFPA 805 applications. The outline of the proposal was contained in a handout for the meeting. The NRC staff discussed each of the elements of the proposal with the licensee, and noted that most of the items were things that the licensees could collectively track themselves, without the NRC. The licensees and the staff agreed that the discussion of expanding the scope of the meetings should be continued in future meetings.

Participants agreed that the next FAQ meeting would take place on September 29, 2011, via teleconferencing.

The meeting handouts are available in the Agencywide Documents Access and Management System. The revision of FAQ 10-0059 is available at ML112340152. The handout describing the proposal to expand the FAQ meetings' scope is available at ML112340181. The June NEI

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NFPA 805 Task Force FAQ Log is available at ML111860057. The NRC NFPA 805 FAQ status and history document is available at ML112410418.

A list of meeting attendees is enclosed with this memorandum.

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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS PROCESS
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