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SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF THE NOVEMBER 14, 2012, PUBLIC WEBINAR
ON INTERIM STAFF GUIDANCE: SCREENING,
PRIORITIZATION AND IMPLEMENTATION DETAILS FOR
JAPAN LESSONS LEARNED NEAR-TERM TASK FORCE
RECOMMENDATION REGARDING SEISMIC REEVALUATION

On the afternoon of November 14, 2012, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC or the staff) held a Category 2 public webinar¹ to continue development of the guidance document supporting Recommendation 2.1, seismic reevaluations. This recommendation can be found in *Near-Term Task Force [NTTF] Recommendations for Enhancing Reactor Safety in the 21st Century* report, issued July 12, 2011.² The seismic reevaluations were identified as a Tier 1 recommendation, which are under consideration for implementation without unnecessary delay. Consequently, on March 12, 2012, the NRC issued a request for information per Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations*, Section 50.54(f). Enclosure 1 to the request for information letter includes Recommendation 2.1: Seismic.

The meeting participants are included in the enclosure to this document.

The meeting participants used a webinar format to review and edit the draft guidance document, "Screening Prioritization and Implementation Details (SPID)," authored by the Electric Power Research Institute (EPRI) staff, with input from the NRC staff. The meeting focused on several sections of the SPID guidance, including

- Section 6.6, "Comparison to ASME [American Society of Mechanical Engineers]/ANS [American Nuclear Society] SPRA [Seismic Probabilistic Risk Assessment] Standard and RG [Regulatory Guide] 1.200,"
- Section 6.7, "Peer Review,"
- New Section 6.8, "SPRA Documentation"
- Section 7, "Spent Fuel Pool [SFP] Integrity Evaluation."

¹ The meeting notice is available via the Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) under Accession No. ML12300A352.

² The NTTF report is available under ADAMS Accession No. ML111861807.

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Industry representatives discussed proposed changes to Section 7, these changes will be included in the draft SPID submitted for the next public meeting scheduled for November 20, 2012. Industry will attempt to provide the final Section 7 changes to the staff by Friday, November 16, 2012. NRC will provide comments on Table 6-4, "Comparison of SPID Guidance to ASME/ANS PRA Standard Supporting Requirements: Element SHA," and any final comments no later than Tuesday, November 20, 2012.

Members of the public participated in the webinar and asked clarifying questions throughout the meeting.

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Regarding the Seismic Reevaluation

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