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SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF THE NOVEMBER 20, 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 20, 2012, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC or the staff) held a Category 2 public webinar<sup>1</sup> 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.<sup>2</sup> 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 to 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The meeting participants used a webinar format to review and edit the draft guidance document, "Screening Prioritization and Implementation Details (SPID)," authored by the Electric Power Research Institute (EPRI) staff, with input from the NRC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 versions used during the meeting can be found in ADAMS:

ML12325A009 DRAFT SPID (11-16-12) NEI Markup  
ML12325A389 DRAFT SPID, NRC Comments, November 13, 2012, Revision 5  
ML12325A384 DRAFT SPID, Section 7, NRC Comments, November 16, 2012

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<sup>1</sup> The meeting notice is available via the Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) under Accession No. ML12319A616.

<sup>2</sup> The NTTF report is available under ADAMS Accession No. ML111861807.

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ML12326A580 DRAFT SPID, Section 7, Meeting Revisions

ML12326A620 DRAFT SPID, Meeting Revisions (other than Section 7)

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