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SUBJECT: PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS POTENTIAL QUASI-LAMINAR  
INDICATIONS IN REACTOR PRESSURE VESSEL FORGINGS

DATE & TIME: Tuesday, March 5, 2013  
8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

LOCATION: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC)  
One White Flint North, Room O-1F16/O-1G16  
Commissioners' Hearing Room  
11555 Rockville Pike  
Rockville, MD 20852

PURPOSE: The purpose of this meeting is to have technical discussions and an information exchange related to the potential for quasi-laminar indications in reactor pressure vessel forgings.

CATEGORY 2: This is a Category 2 Public Meeting. The public is invited to participate in this meeting by discussing issues with the NRC at designated points identified on the agenda. The goal is for the NRC to obtain feedback from interested technical parties on potential quasi-laminar indications in forgings related to operating nuclear power plant reactor pressure vessels. There will be no licensee-specific discussions of regulatory issues.

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\*Commission's Policy Statement on "Enhancing Public Participation in NRC Meetings," (67 *Federal Register* 36920), May, 2002.

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**AGENDA**  
**PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS POTENTIAL HYDROGEN FLAKING IN REACTOR**  
**PRESSURE VESSEL FORGINGS**

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<b>Time</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Organization</b>
8:30 a.m.	Welcome and Introductions	R. Hardies
8:40 a.m.	NRC Review of Publically Available Information	R. Hardies
9:10 a.m.	NRC Plans for U.S. Plants	R. Hardies
9:20 a.m.	Industry Plans	R. Dyle
10:40 a.m.	ASME Code Discussion	All
10:55 a.m.	Public Comment	R. Hardies
11:15 a.m.	Summary and Next Steps	R. Hardies
11:30 a.m.	ADJOURN	R. Hardies

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