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MEMORANDUM TO: William A. Gott, Acting Deputy Director
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SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF APRIL 3, 2013, CATEGORY 2 PUBLIC MEETING
WITH NUCLEAR ENERGY INSTITUTE AND INDUSTRY
REPRESENTATIVES TO DISCUSS AN INDUSTRY INITIATIVE TO
DEVELOP REPORTING GUIDANCE FOR OUTAGES OF
EMERGENCY RESPONSE FACILITIES, SYSTEMS, AND
EQUIPMENT.

On April 3, 2013, a public meeting was held by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) with the Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI) and representatives from various licensee organizations at NRC offices in Rockville MD. The purpose of the meeting was to provide an opportunity for both NEI and industry representatives to discuss a proposed initiative that will supplement guidance in NUREG-1022, "Event Reporting Guidelines 10 CFR 50.72 and 50.73" by providing reporting action levels for emergency preparedness event notifications under Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* Paragraph 50.72(b)(3)(xiii).

The meeting agenda was included with the meeting notice. NEI provided a presentation explaining the initiative. The remainder of the meeting was used by the NRC staff to raise preliminary questions and comments on the proposed document and for NEI and the industry representatives to discuss the questions and comments. The staff indicated that additional comments may be forthcoming. The staff provided two documents during the meeting. The first was an extract of a section of the document annotated by the staff to illustrate a particular concern. The second provided staff responses to two specific questions posed by NEI. All of the identified documents, and the roster of participants, may be found in Agencywide Documents Access and Management System package ML1300A390.

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As an outcome of the meeting, NEI will prepare a revised draft document that will be discussed in a public meeting to be scheduled.

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