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September 16, 2014

MEMORANDUM TO: Mark A. Satorius
Executive Director for Operations

FROM: Annette Vietti-Cook, Secretary */RA/*

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS – BRIEFING ON STRATEGIC
PROGRAMMATIC OVERVIEW OF THE NEW REACTOR
BUSINESS LINE, 9:30 A.M., WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10,
2014, COMMISSIONERS' CONFERENCE ROOM, ONE WHITE
FLINT NORTH, ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND (OPEN TO PUBLIC
ATTENDANCE)

The Commission was briefed by the NRC staff on the near-term goals and challenges and longer-term projections, trends, and challenges in the area of construction oversight, vendor inspections, transition to operations, and large light water reactor licensing.

The staff should continue the practice of conducting lessons learned reviews of the experience implementing 10 CFR Part 52. In particular, the next review should address whether the NRC can capture greater efficiencies in the process, and whether we should update the metrics for the length of time it will take to perform new reactor reviews under Part 52 based on experience.

cc: Chairman Macfarlane
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