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MEMORANDUM TO: Tara Inverso, Chief  
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Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

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SUBJECT: NOTICE OF FORTHCOMING CATEGORY 3 PUBLIC MEETING ON  
STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING A RISK MANAGEMENT  
REGULATORY FRAMEWORK

DATE & TIME: Tuesday, May 19, 2015  
1:00PM – 4:30PM  
Eastern Standard Time

LOCATION: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC)  
Two White Flint North Room T2B3  
11545 Rockville Pike  
Rockville, MD 20852-2738

PURPOSE: The purpose of this meeting is to discuss:

1. Possible risk management regulatory framework (RMRF) implementation options for nuclear power reactors;
2. Staff reevaluation of certain regulatory framework improvement activities related to Fukushima Near-Term Task Force Recommendation 1; and,
3. Possible development of an agency-wide risk management policy statement that could be used by the NRC to ensure adequate protection of public health and safety across all regulatory program areas, should the Commission choose to consider such a policy statement.

This meeting will focus on discussing the NRC staff's draft white paper entitled, "NRC Staff White Paper on Options for Responding to the

MEETING CONTACT: Glenna Lappert, NRR/DPR  
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June 14, 2012 Chairman's Tasking Memorandum on 'Evaluating Options Proposed for a More Holistic Risk-Informed, Performance-Based Regulatory Approach.'" This document will soon be made publicly available at Agency-wide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession No. ML15107A402. The NRC staff is requesting public comments on this draft white paper via the Federal rulemaking Web site, [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) under Docket ID NRC-2013-0254. The purpose of this meeting is to ensure a common understanding of the staff's proposed initiatives described in the white paper to facilitate the development of informed public comments. The NRC is **NOT** taking written public comments at this meeting.

**CATEGORY 3:**

This is a Category 3 Public Meeting: Public participation is actively sought for this meeting to fully engage the public in a discussion of regulatory issues. No classified, proprietary, or protected information will be discussed.

The NRC's Policy Statement, "Enhancing Public Participation in NRC Meetings," effective May 28, 2002, applies to this meeting. The policy statement may be found on the NRC Web site, [www.nrc.gov](http://www.nrc.gov), and contains information regarding visitors and security.

**Pre-registration:**

Seating may be limited and will be available on a first-come basis. Inform the NRC's meeting contact, Glenna Lappert, of your intention to attend by May 15, 2015. This step will ensure that sufficient copies of meeting materials are available.

If you need a reasonable accommodation to participate in this meeting (e.g., a translator, handicapped accessibility) or need this meeting notice or other information from the meeting in another format (e.g. Braille, large print, a language other than English), please notify the meeting contact, Glenna Lappert, as specified on this meeting notice or call the NRC's toll-free number, 1-800-368-5642, and ask the operator to be connected to Glenna Lappert. Determinations on requests for reasonable accommodations will be made on a case-by-case basis.

**Teleconferencing:**

Interested members of the public unable to attend the meeting may participate by telephone via a toll-free teleconference. For additional details, please contact Glenna Lappert (301-415-2552; [Glenna.Lappert@nrc.gov](mailto:Glenna.Lappert@nrc.gov)) or call the NRC's toll-free number, 1-800-368-5642, and ask the operator to be connected to Glenna Lappert. Those interested in participating in this meeting by teleconference should call or e-mail Glenna Lappert as soon as possible, but no later than May 15, 2015.

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Because meetings are sometimes canceled or rescheduled as a result of unforeseen circumstances such as severe weather, confirm the meeting schedule with the meeting contact.

**PARTICIPANTS:**

NRC staff, interested stakeholders, and members of the public. Participants from the NRC include members of the NRC's RMRF Working Group. Other participants will likely include the Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI), other industry representatives, and representatives from certain non-governmental organizations.

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**AGENDA FOR PUBLIC MEETING**  
**U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION (NRC)**  
**Tuesday, May 19, 2015**  
**1:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.**

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Led By</u>
1:00 – 1:10 p.m.	Welcome, Safety Briefing, and Introductions	NRC
1:10 - 1:25 p.m.	Background and Opening Remarks	NRC
1:25 – 1:35 p.m.	Questions	Public
1:35 – 1:55 p.m.	RMRF Options for Power Reactors	NRC
1:55 – 2:15 p.m.	Reevaluation of Rec. 1 Improvement Activities	NRC
2:15 – 2:30 p.m.	Questions	Public
2:30 – 2:45 p.m.	Break	All
2:45 – 3:05 p.m.	Risk Management Policy Statement	NRC
3:05 – 3:20 p.m.	Questions	Public
3:20 – 3:35 p.m.	NEI presentation	NEI
3:35 – 3:50 p.m.	UCS presentation	UCS
3:50 – 4:20 p.m.	Public remarks	Public
4:20 – 4:25 p.m.	Wrap- up	NRC
4:25 – 4:30 p.m.	Questions	Public
4:30 p.m.	Adjourn	

Note: Provided times are estimated and for planning purposes only. Adjustments may be made during the meeting as necessary.

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