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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Victor Stello, Jr.  
Executive Director for Operations

Harold R. Denton, Director  
Office of Governmental and Public Affairs

FROM: Samuel J. Chilk, Secretary

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS - PERIODIC BRIEFING ON  
OPERATING REACTORS AND FUEL FACILITIES,  
2:00 P.M., THURSDAY; JUNE 1, 1989,  
COMMISSIONERS' CONFERENCE ROOM, ONE WHITE  
FLINT NORTH, ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND (OPEN TO  
PUBLIC ATTENDANCE)

The Commission was briefed by the staff on the conclusions of the recent biannual senior management meeting to review the performance of NRC licensees.

The Commission expressed disappointment in the long term operating performance of Florida Power and Light Company's Turkey Point nuclear power plants. The Commission requested the staff to convey to the licensee that the Commission expects near term improvements in the operation of the Turkey Point plants.

~~(EDO)~~ (NRR/RII) (SECY Suspense: 6/30/89) 8900104 - DRPR

The staff committed to submit to the Commission a paper on:

- a. International OSART inspections of nuclear power plants. The paper should address the goals of the OSART inspection, how those goals are accomplished, and recommend constructive suggestions, if appropriate, which may prove useful to IAEA. The report should also address the OSART inspection of Calvert Cliffs and provide the introspective lessons learned from the Calvert Cliffs experience.

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b. Economic incentive arrangements for nuclear power plants.  
This analysis should include the following:

- 1) an update of NUREG-1256;
- 2) a plant-by-plant description of the types of incentive-based programs that are in place or under consideration;
- 3) an assessment of the potential financial impact of such arrangements on individual utilities, including  
- an assessment of whether such arrangements pose potential health and safety concerns; and
- 4) a discussion of the options available to the Commission to take action in response to such arrangements, where such arrangements pose potential health and safety concerns.

~~(EDO)~~- (NRR) (SECY Suspende: two week before  
(EDO Suspende: 1/15/90) next periodic briefing on  
operating reactors)

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Subsequent to the meeting, on June 6, 1989, a referendum was passed which directed the Sacramento Municipal Utility District to no longer operate the Rancho Seco Nuclear Power Plant. The staff should keep the Commission advised on the licensee's future plans for Rancho Seco. (NRR/RV)

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cc: Chairman Zech  
Commissioner Roberts  
Commissioner Carr  
Commissioner Rogers  
Commissioner Curtiss  
OGC  
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