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SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF NOVEMBER 15, 2019, MEETING TO CONTINUE
DISCUSSIONS ON PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING SMARTER FUEL CYCLE
INSPECTION AND LICENSING PROGRAMS

On November 15, 2019, a Category 3 public meeting was held between the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), representatives of the Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI) and members of the public at the NRC Headquarters office. The purpose of the meeting was to continue dialogue and idea sharing between NRC staff, members of NEI, and the public in support of the NRC's charters for the Working Group on Building a Smarter Fuel Cycle Inspection Program (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System [ADAMS] Accession Number ML19074A139) and the Working Group on Building a Smarter Fuel Cycle Licensing Program (ADAMS Accession No. ML19115A011). The meeting notice and agenda are available in ADAMS at Accession No. ML19318G284. Presentation materials from the meeting are available in ADAMS at Accession Nos. ML19318F612, ML19318F609, ML19318F610 and ML19312A886.

The NRC staff discussed the concepts under consideration to enhance the fuel cycle inspection program and engaged with members of NEI and the public to solicit feedback.

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Representatives from NEI further discussed suggested changes to Inspection Manual Chapter 2600, "Fuel Cycle Facility Operational Safety and Safeguards Inspection Program," Appendix B, "NRC Core Inspection Requirements".

Enclosure 1 provides NRC staff notes of the discussion.

A list of attendees is provided as Enclosure 2.

Enclosures:

1. NRC Staff Notes of November 15, 2019 Public Meeting
2. List of Attendees

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