

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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MEMORANDUM TO:

James M. Taylor

Executive Director for Operations

FROM:

Samuel J. Chilk, Secretary

SUBJECT:

STAFF REQUIREMENTS - BRIEFING ON FINAL REPORT OF REGULATORY REVIEW TASK PORCE (SECY-94-003), 9:30 A.M., MONDAY, JANUARY 24, 1994, COMMISSIONERS' CONFERENCE ROOM, ONE WHITE FLINT NORTH, ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND (OPEN TO

PUBLIC ATTENDANCE)

The Commission was briefed by the NRC staff on the implementation of the Regulatory Review Group recommendations. The Commission requested the staff to provide the status of the NUREG which describes reporting requirements for power plant licensees.

(EDO) (SECY Suspense: 3/11/94)

The Commission supports the staff initiative to increase the agency's focus towards performance based requirements rather than prescriptive requirements. Further, the Commission supports initiatives to reduce regulatory burden, through relief of licensee commitments, above minimum regulatory requirements, that are of only minor safety significance. These factors should be considered as the staff develops guidance for implementation of the Regulatory Review Group recommendations. The Commission hopes that a similar review of the regulations or an application of the lessons learned from the steview could be applied in the materials area.

cc: The Chairman

Commissioner Rogers

Commissioner Remick

Commissioner de Planque

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