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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
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MEMORANDUM FOR: William J. Dircks, Executive Director
for Operations

FROM: Joseph M. Hendrie *[Signature]*

SUBJECT: FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS IN LICENSING
PROCEEDINGS

The Commission has decided to reconsider the need for review of the generic financial requirements issue in the licensing process.

The staff is requested to submit its current views taking into account its examination of the issues since submittal of SECY-79-299, SECY-80-60, SECY-80-217, and SECY-80-227 but not to await the conclusions of any continuing examination of decommissioning and major reactor accident clean-up costs, although preliminary views may be provided if available.

cc: Commissioner Gilinsky
Commissioner Bradford
Commissioner Ahearne
Commission Staff Offices