

NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555

April 26, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR:

James M. Taylor

Executive Director for operations

FROM:

Samuel J. Chilk, Secreta

SUBJECT:

SECY-91-087 - SUMMARY OF PUBLIC MEETINGS ON THE BELOW REGULATORY CONCERN (BRC)

POLICY

The Commission (with all Commissioners agreeing) has deferred consideration of the draft summary of public meetings until after the Commission has evaluated recommendations from Francis Cameron on how to proceed with seeking consensus on BRC (see February 22, 1991 memorandum to Taylor, Parler, and Denton). Once the Commission has selected an approach for proceeding with the consensus process, staff should reconsider the format and approach of the document in responding to concerns raised at the workshops and revise the title and content of the document (e.g., "Response to Concerns Raised in Public Meetings on the Below Regulatory Concern Policy") to reflect the Commission's decision on seeking consensus on BRC. In any case, staff should delete Section I.C., "Summary of Written Questions and NRC Answers." This section distracts from the focus of the document, which should be on the responses to major issues in Section I.B. Once the revisions are completed, staff should resubmit the revised NUREG for Commission consideration by Negative Consent.

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SECY NOTE:

THIS SRM AND THE SUBJECT SECY PAPER WILL BE MADE PUBLIC AFTER THE COMMISSION HAS REVIEWED THE REVISED NUREG REQUESTED ABOVE

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