May 19, 1994

MEMORANDUM FOR: Frank J. Congel, Director Division of Radiation Safety

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Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

FROM:

Phillip F. McKee, Chief

Safeguards Branch

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SUBJECT:

MINUTES OF MEETING WITH NEI ON 05/17/94

On May 17, 1994, members of the staff, NEI, and other interested parties (see attached attendance roster) met to discuss the implementation of the Regulatory Review Group's (RRG) recommendations regarding clarification of "decrease in effectiveness" as used in 10 CFR 50.54(p). During a previous meeting on February 17, 1994, the staff had provided NEI with several examples of 50.54(p) changes that might be acceptable under the new guidance.

The staff had requested NEI survey the industry for additional examples of issues where the new guidance may apply. During this meeting, NEI discussed with the staff a draft document they had prepared with over 20 examples of possible security plan changes. Included in the document were the criteria used for selection and assessment of the individual issues. NEI plans to transmit the document to the NRC in several weeks after final review by their members. Brief discussions were held on the individual items, with the staff reserving judgement until it has received the final document and had time to review it.

The staff outlined its current plans for developing and promulgating new guidance and examples, including issuing this information as an appendix to an existing NUREG document. While the scheduling of this activity remains as originally planned, the staff pointed out that the guidance and examples would need to be processed through several internal NRC review steps which may result in adjustments to the milestones. Also, the staff noted that it may not be necessary to hold a workshop, as originally planned. If a need for the workshop is determined, it probably will be scheduled later in the fall.

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FORTHCOMING MEETING WITH NUCLEAR ENERGY INSTITUTE

DATE AND TIME:

Tuesday, May 17, 1994 8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

LOCATION:

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To discuss examples of 50.54(p) changes

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