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Docket No. 50-289

LICENSEE: GPU Nuclear Corporation

FACILITY: Three Mile Island, Unit No. 1

SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF MEETING WITH GPU NUCLEAR CORPORATION  
ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS ISSUES

On August 28, 1984, the staff met with representatives of the licensee in Bethesda, Maryland, to discuss emergency preparedness issues related to TMI-1 restart. An attendance list is attached.

The licensee requested the meeting in order to clarify the necessary corrective actions required to resolve the remaining open items in emergency preparedness prior to restart. Of particular interest was whether resolution of the "Category A" emergency planning deficiencies identified by FEMA in the November 16, 1983 full-scale exercise was a prerequisite to a Commission decision on whether to lift the immediate effectiveness of the shutdown order. Three of the four "Category A" deficiencies related to a restart certification item concerning emergency communications. The fourth deficiency is not related to the restart proceeding. The licensee emphasized that in its view the certification item is not a necessary prerequisite to lifting the immediate effectiveness of the shutdown order. The licensee also requested that the NRC request an evaluation report from FEMA of the communications drill held on July 17, 1984 in Dauphin and Lancaster Counties as this information would be useful to have prior to the exercise scheduled for October 3, 1984 at TMI.

The staff reiterated its position that the four Category A deficiencies identified by FEMA in the November 16, 1983 exercise need to be resolved prior to restart. The staff further stated that, in its view, resolution of the "Category A" deficiencies is not considered to be a requirement for lifting the immediate effectiveness of the shutdown order, but that such a course of action is one of the options available to the Commission. The staff indicated that a formal request would be made to FEMA for their evaluation of the July 17, 1984 communications drill.

The staff emphasized that the resolution of the "Category A" deficiencies depended upon satisfactory performance of the exercise scheduled for Dauphin County by September 30, 1984 and the full-scale exercise scheduled October 17, 1984 in Lancaster County (in conjunction with the Peach Bottom plant). The licensee informed the staff that Dauphin County had not committed to the September 30, 1984 date and that a firm date for the exercise had not been set.

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Enclosure: Attendance List

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Emergency Preparedness Meeting

August 28, 1984

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