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SUBJECT:

INTEGRATED MATERIALS PERFORMANCE EVALUATION PROGRAM (IMPEP)

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The MRB meeting to consider the RII report is scheduled for Thursday, July 11, 1996, from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. in One White Flint North, Rm. 8-B-11. In accordance with Management Directive 5.6, the meeting is open to the public. The agenda for that meeting is also a part of this package (Attachment 3).

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