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Project Directorate I-2

Division of Reactor Projects - I/II Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

FROM:

Mohan C. Thadani, Senior Project Manager

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SUBJECT:

FORTHCOMING MEETING WITH PECO ENERGY COMPANY

DATE & TIME:

Wednesday, November 18, 1998

1:30 p.m.

LOCATION:

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission

One White Flint North

11555 Rockville Pike, Room O-8B11

Rockville, Maryland

PURPOSE:

DISCUSSION OF PEACH BOTTOM ATOMIC POWER STATION, UNITS

2 & 3, DESIGN BASIS FOR PUMPS NET POSITIVE SUCTION HEAD

(SEE ATTACHED AGENDA)

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PECO ENERGY COMPANY'S BRIEFING ON PEACH BOTTOM ATOMIC POWER STATION, UNITS 2 & 3, EMERGENCY CORE COOLING SYSTEM PUMP NET POSITIVE SUCTION HEAD

1	Background				
11	Unresolved Safety Question for Pump Suction Strainers				
111	Discussion of Current Design to explain:				
	 -Understanding of the Conservatism and Margins in Net Positive Suction Head (NPSH) Analysis 				
	-Reach Agreement on Acceptable Containment Overpressure Credit for NPSH				
IV	Discussion of Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station Licensing Basis for Containment Overpressure Credit for Emergency Core Cooling System Pump NPSH				