



SECRETARY

UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001

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IN RESPONSE, PLEASE
REFER TO: M211209

MEMORANDUM TO: Daniel H. Dorman
Executive Director for Operations

FROM: Rochelle C. Bavol, Acting Secretary

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS – BRIEFING ON 10 CFR PART 53
LICENSING AND REGULATIONS OF ADVANCED NUCLEAR
REACTORS, 9:00 A.M., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2021,
COMMISSIONERS' CONFERENCE ROOM, ONE WHITE FLINT
NORTH, ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND (OPEN TO PUBLIC
ATTENDANCE)

The Commission was briefed by the NRC staff and an external panel on the development of 10 CFR Part 53. The external panel included Alice Caponiti, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Reactor Fleet and Advanced Deployment, Office of Nuclear Energy, Department of Energy; Doug True, Senior Vice President and Chief Nuclear Officer of Generation and Suppliers Division, Nuclear Energy Institute; Tara Neider, Senior Vice President and Project Director (Natrium Demonstration Reactor), TerraPower, LLC; Chris Nolan, Vice President of Regulatory Affairs, Policy, and Emergency Preparedness, Duke Energy; Dr. Rita Baranwal, Vice President of Nuclear Energy and Chief Nuclear Officer, Electric Power Research Institute; Dr. Ed Lyman, Director of Nuclear Power Safety, Union of Concerned Scientist; Dr. Patrick White, Project Manager, Nuclear Innovation Alliance; and Sarah Fields, Program Director, Uranium Watch.

There were no requirements identified for staff action.

cc: Chairman Hanson
Commissioner Baran
Commissioner Wright
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