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MEMORANDUM TO: Richard Chang, Chief  
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SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF THE JUNE 14, 2022, PUBLIC MEETING  
BETWEEN THE U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
AND THE NUCLEAR ENERGY INSTITUTE TO DISCUSS NRC'S  
COMMENTS ON NEI'S WHITE PAPER ON THE REMOTE  
EMERGENCY RESPONSE ORGANIZATION

On June 14, 2022, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) conducted a public meeting with representatives from the Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI) to discuss NRC's comments on NEI's latest version of its white paper entitled "Enabling a Remote Response by Members of an Emergency Response Organization." The public meeting was held virtually, and the meeting notice, meeting agenda topics, and NEI's white paper are publicly available in the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS). A list of the meeting participants enclosed.

The meeting provided an open and collaborative environment for NRC staff and industry to discuss comments on remote emergency response organization (ERO) augmentation. The NRC staff's comments addressed items in NEI's white paper regarding how to respond remotely to an emergency. Examples of NRC comments included the following: (1) inquiries regarding how drills and exercises will be controlled and evaluated for remote responders; (2) with respect to remote responders within the emergency planning zone, how will evacuations be handled if the remote responder must evacuate; and (3) during a remote ERO augmentation, is there additional guidance for individuals performing physical work and providing direction to operational support center, Technical Support Center, and emergency operations facility who are required to respond to the site augmentation. Revisions from prior drafts of the document, which were provided during the December 15, 2021, public meeting were also discussed.

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No regulatory decisions or commitments were made at these meetings. No public comments or public meeting feedback forms were received after the conclusion of these meetings.

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**ML22158A266 (NRC Presentation Slides)**

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