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MOX Fresh Fuel Package 2nd NRC Meeting

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Agenda

- Introduction
- Design Overview
- Preliminary Criticality Analysis Results
- Preliminary Thermal Analysis Results
- Preliminary Structural Analysis Results
- Planned Schedule

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Introduction

• Purpose

- Update NRC SFPO
- Present status of the MOX fresh fuel package (MFFP) design
- Obtain NRC views of:
 - · Design approach
 - · Preliminary analysis results
 - · Certification test plan

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Introduction

· Background

- Excess plutonium (PU) from various DOE defense programs
- Consortium of Duke, COGEMA, & Stone & Webster (DCS) awarded contract by DOE-MD (Materials Disposition) to design, license and build:
 - MOX fuel fabrication facility (MFFF)
 - MOX PWR fuel assemblies
 - Transportation packages (MFFP)
- Fuel fabrication facility & transportation package to be NRC-licensed
- Fuel to be transported between MFFF and mission reactors by DOE using Safeguards Transport (SGT) Vehicles

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Design Overview

- Design Overview
 - System Overview
 - Containment Boundary
 - Impact Limiters
 - Payload (Strongback and MOX Fuel Assemblies)

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Design Overview

- General Configuration:
 - Overall Envelope Parameters (Approx.)
 - Length: 174.5 inches (w/o impact limiters)
 - Containment Shell Outer Diameter: 295/8 inches
 - Impact Limiter Outer Diameter: 60 inches
 - Package Gross Weight: 14,500 pounds (15,000 Maximum)
 - Weight of Internals (strongback, support discs, fuel assemblies): 7,100 pounds

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