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MEMORANDUM William D. Travers

TO: Executive Director for Operations

FROM: Annette Vietti-Cook, Secretary **/RA/**

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS - SECY-01-0067 - REPORT ON SUPPORT TO THE AMERICAN NUCLEAR SOCIETY FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF STANDARD ON PROBABILISTIC RISK ASSESSMENT FOR LOW POWER AND SHUTDOWN

The Commission has approved the staff's recommendation to provide support to the American Nuclear Society (ANS) to update NUREG/CR-6595 to address low-power and shutdown (LPSD) conditions. Work in this area should reflect realistic containment conditions that would be in effect during the shutdown conditions and the ability of plant personnel to take mitigating actions in the longer time frames typically available during these conditions.

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