

December 30, 1999

MEMORANDUM TO: William D. Travers Executive Director for Operations
FROM: Annette L. Vietti-Cook, Secretary /s/
SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS - MEETING ON NRC RESPONSE TO STAKEHOLDERS' CONCERNS,
9:00 A.M., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1999, AUDITORIUM, TWO WHITE FLINT NORTH,
ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND (OPEN TO PUBLIC ATTENDANCE)

The Commission met with invited stakeholders representing the nuclear power industry, public interest groups, ASME, the Center for Strategic and International Studies, the State of Georgia, and the NRC staff to conduct a discussion on NRC response to stakeholder concerns in the following areas:

1. Risk-Informing Part 50
2. Pilots of the Revised Reactor Oversight Program
3. 2.206 Petition Process

The Commission appreciates the support and the time spent by the various individuals and organizations that participated in the stakeholder meeting. The broad representation of views provides the Commission with necessary insights for improving its interactions with all stakeholders and for focusing specific improvement initiatives.

The Commission directs the staff to consider the comments and discussion provided during the course of the meeting and incorporate the suggestions, as appropriate, into current NRC activities and plans.

The staff should conduct a focused Commission briefing on the 2.206 petition process by June 2000 to review process improvements and hear specific comments from stakeholders.

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(SECY Suspense: 6/30/00)

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