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NRC TO MEET WITH ENTERGY TO DISCUSS INDIAN POINT 3 PLANT PERFORMANCE

Nuclear Regulatory Commission staff will meet with representatives of Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc., on Thursday, April 11, to discuss the results of the agency's annual assessment of safety performance at the Indian Point 3 nuclear power plant. The facility is located in Buchanan, N.Y., and operated by Entergy.

The meeting, which will be open to the public for observation, is scheduled to begin at 2 p.m. at the Verplanck Fire House, Broadway and 8th Street (approximately 200 yards west of Broadway) in Verplanck. Before the session is adjourned, NRC staff will be available to answer questions from the public on the safety performance of the Indian Point 3 plant, as well as the role of the NRC in ensuring safe plant operation.

The performance period to be discussed is April 1, 2001, to December 31, 2001. In addition, NRC staff will provide an overview of the agency's Reactor Oversight Process.

A letter sent from the NRC Region I office to Entergy addresses the performance of the plant during the period and will serve as the basis for the meeting discussion. It is available on the NRC web site at: http://www.nrc.gov/NRR/OVERSIGHT/ASSESS/LETTERS/inp3_2001q4.pdf

Current performance information for the Indian Point 3 is available on the NRC web site at: http://www.nrc.gov/NRR/OVERSIGHT/ASSESS/IP3/ip3_chart.html

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