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MEMORANDUM TO: Joseph Colaccino, Chief
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SUBJECT: MEETING WITH AREVA NP TO DISCUSS U. S. EPR FUEL ASSEMBLY
MECHANICAL ANALYSIS TOPICAL REPORT (PORTIONS OF THIS
MEETING WILL BE CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC)

DATE & TIME: Wednesday August 29, 2007
1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

LOCATION: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Two White Flint North, Room 09A1
11545 Rockville Pike
Rockville, Maryland 20852

PURPOSE: To discuss AREVA NP's approach regarding design of the U.S. EPR with
respect to fuel assembly mechanical analysis methodology. Additional
detail regarding topics to be discussed are provided in the attached
agenda.

CATEGORY 1:* This is a Category 1 Meeting. The public will have one or more
opportunities to communicate with the NRC after the business portion, but
before the meeting is adjourned. **Certain portions of this meeting will
be closed to the public because the staff has determined that the
information is proprietary in nature.**

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*Commission's Policy Statement on "Enhancing Public Participation in NRC Meetings,"
67 *Federal Register* 36920, May 28, 2002

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Draft Agenda for Public Meeting between AREVA NP and the NRC

Regarding Fuel Assembly Mechanical Analysis Methodology

EPR Pre-Application Review

August 29, 2007

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Led by</u>
1:00 P.M.	Introductory remarks	NRC/AREVA
1:15 P.M.	Topical report contents	AREVA
2:00 P.M.	Topical report coordination with U.S. EPR DC application	AREVA
2:15 P.M.	Overview of fuel assembly and components*	AREVA
3:00 P.M.	Operational experience*	AREVA
3:30 P.M.	Comparison with existing approved designs	AREVA
3:45 P.M.	Summary and next steps	AREVA/NRC
4:00 P.M.	Opportunity for Public Comment	
4:10 P.M.	Adjourn	

*Portions of this presentation will be closed for discussion of proprietary material

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