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SUBJECT: FORTHCOMING MEETING WITH THE ELECTRIC POWER
RESEARCH INSTITUTE REGARDING PERFORMANCE
DEMONSTRATION INITIATIVE PROGRAM

DATE & TIME: Tuesday, December 6, 2011, 1:00 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.
Wednesday, December 7, 2011, 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

LOCATION: Laguna Cliffs Marriott Resort
25135 Park Lantern
Dana Point, California 92629

PURPOSE: To discuss the status of the Performance Demonstration Initiative (PDI) program. The PDI program is an industry initiative for implementing the performance demonstration criteria in supplements to Appendix VIII of Section XI of the ASME Code.

CATEGORY 2*: This meeting is a Category 2 meeting. The public is invited to participate in this meeting by discussing regulatory issues with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) at designated points during the meeting.

PARTICIPANTS: Participants from the NRC include members of the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR).

<u>NRC</u>	<u>EPRI/PDI</u>
T. Lupold, et. al.	R. Fuller, et. al.

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* Commission's Policy Statement on "Enhancing Public Participation in NRC Meetings" (67 FR 36920), May 28, 2002.

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AGENDA
FOR MEETING WITH THE ELECTRIC POWER RESEARCH INSTITUTE –
PERFORMANCE DEMONSTRATION INITIATIVE
AT LAGUNA CLIFFS MARRIOTT RESORT
25135 PARK LANTERN, DANA POINT, CALIFORNIA 92629
DECEMBER 6 AND 7, 2011

Tuesday, December 6, 2011, 1:00 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

1. Introductions
2. Review of Previous Action Items
3. Status of ASME Code Nondestructive Examination (NDE) Activities
4. NRC Rule Making Reconciliation with 2011 NRC Rule Making
5. Discussion on: what editions licensees are using when implementing Appendix VIII, what their perspective is on updating the edition of Appendix VIII, when they update their ISI
6. Status of PDI Piping/DM/Overlay Program
7. Status of the PDI Reactor Pressure Vessel (RPV) Program
8. Adjourn

Wednesday, December 7, 2011, 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

1. Status of ASME Code Case N-780
2. Status of Cable Equivalency Work
3. Ultrasonic Instrument Equivalency (PDI Process)
4. Generic Procedure Control (NRC Question: "Which revision should the UT examiner use, the one they used to qualify with or the latest revision?")
5. Use of Fast Track NDE Personnel (NRC Request: "PDI to clarify the candidate entrance requirements for personnel coming to EPRI to take the PDI exams.")
6. Status on Review of PDI ID Depth Sizing Data (Path Forward)
7. Performance Demonstration Workshop Discussion
8. Operating Experience
9. Items of Mutual Interest
10. Review of Action Items
11. Next Meeting
12. Public Comment
13. Adjourn

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