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Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 3:03 AM
To: Satorius, Mark
Subject: Don't Miss Out - Safety Webinar Marth 15th

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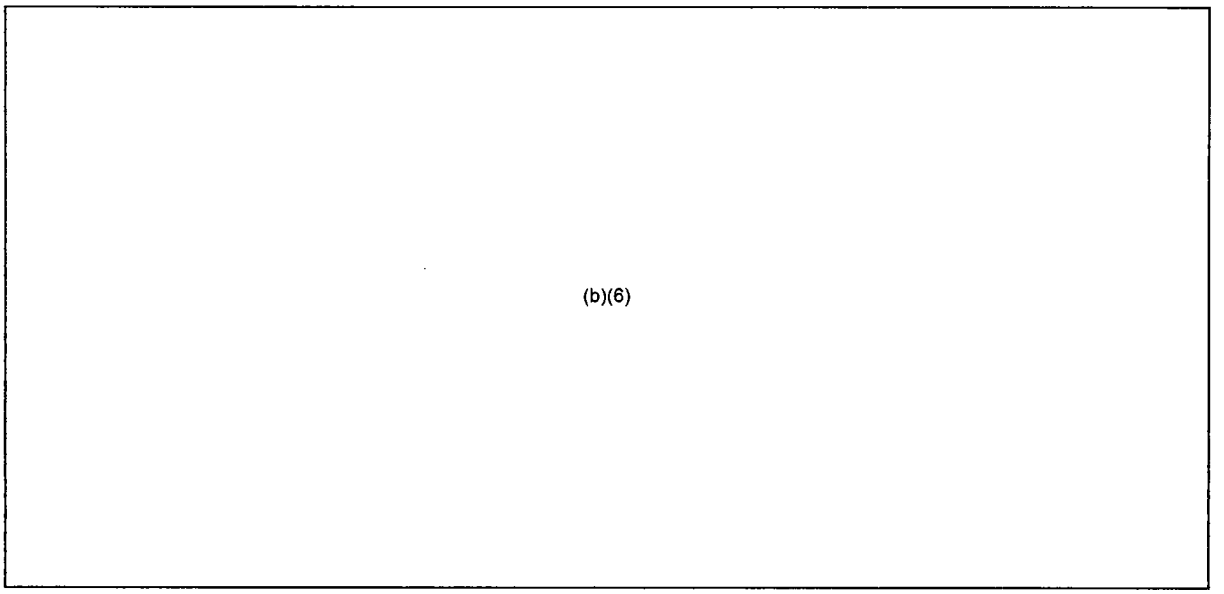
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From: Virgilio, Martin
To: "G.Caruso@iaea.org"
Cc: Williams, Shawn; Schwartzman, Jennifer
Subject: Re: IRRS Follow-up to CANADA
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:56:37 AM

Thanks Gustavo

I look forward to seeing you next week

Marty

From: G.Caruso@iaea.org <G.Caruso@iaea.org>
To: Virgilio, Martin
Cc: ShafferMr@state.gov <ShafferMr@state.gov>; D.N.Graves@iaea.org <D.N.Graves@iaea.org>; M.Kobein@iaea.org <M.Kobein@iaea.org>; M.Ubani@iaea.org <M.Ubani@iaea.org>
Sent: Fri Mar 11 04:25:40 2011
Subject: IRRS Follow-up to CANADA

Dear Marty,

Thank you for your availability and agréement to participate in the IRRS Follow-up to Canada.

I already contacted Mr. Matsuura and it is not possible for him to participate in the mission. Therefore, I would like to ask you if you would accept to participate in the mission as Team Leader.

The rest of the key team members will be nominated in accordance with the areas and responsibilities assigned previously. The size of the team will be approximately 7 experts including IAEA staff (2) plus the administrative assistant.

I propose to have a short discussion about this with you next week in our meeting planned in the IAEA.

I look forward to seeing you next week in Vienna.

With my best regards,

Gustavo

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To: Grobe, Jack
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From: Gnugnoli, Giorgio
To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: Out of Office: Composition of US delegation to Organizational Meeting May 10-12, 2011
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:07:15 AM

I am at (b)(6). I will periodically check my e-mail.

Should you need immediate assistance, please contact Ms. Krupskaya Castellon at Krupskaya.Castellon@nrc.gov or by calling 301-415-7474.

From: Smith, Shawn
To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: RE: Composition of US delegation to Organizational Meeting May 10-12, 2011
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:11:52 AM

That was also my understanding... (b)(5)

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From: Haney, Catherine
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:07 AM
To: Moore, Scott; Gnugnoli, Giorgio; Doane, Margaret; Camper, Larry
Cc: Smith, Shawn; Schwartzman, Jennifer; Felsher, Harry; Abu-Eid, Boby
Subject: Re: Composition of US delegation to Organizational Meeting May 10-12, 2011

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From: Moore, Scott
To: Gnugnoli, Giorgio; Haney, Catherine; Doane, Margaret; Camper, Larry
Cc: Smith, Shawn; Schwartzman, Jennifer; Felsher, Harry; Abu-Eid, Boby
Sent: Thu Mar 10 19:01:18 2011
Subject: RE: Composition of US delegation to Organizational Meeting May 10-12, 2011

Cathy or Shawn can answer for NMSS. I'll check within OIP, (b)(5)

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Scott

From: Gnugnoli, Giorgio
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 6:43 PM
To: Haney, Catherine; Moore, Scott; Doane, Margaret; Camper, Larry
Cc: Smith, Shawn; Schwartzman, Jennifer; Felsher, Harry; Abu-Eid, Boby
Subject: Composition of US delegation to Organizational Meeting May 10-12, 2011

I wanted to pulse folks on NRC's portion of the contingent. (b)(5)

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Please let me know, if I am off base on any of this.

Giorgio

Owen, Lucy

From: Satorius, Mark
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:20 AM
To: Dean, Bill; Mamish, Nader; Collins, Elmo
Subject: Re: Fwd: HEALTH TIP...
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LOL
Mark Satorius

From: Dean, Bill
To: Mamish, Nader; Satorius, Mark; Collins, Elmo
Sent: Fri Mar 11 07:34:34 2011
Subject: Re: Fwd: HEALTH TIP...

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Bill Dean
Regional Administrator
Region I, USNRC
Sent from NRC BlackBerry

From: Mamish, Nader
To: Satorius, Mark; Collins, Elmo; Dean, Bill
Sent: Fri Mar 11 06:34:22 2011
Subject: FW: Fwd: HEALTH TIP...

I got this last night and thought I'd pay you back for some of the humor you shared w/me in the past couple of days …

-----Original Message-----
From: Halina Biel-Milunovic <bielmilu@usc.edu>
To: 'Chris Street' <(b)(6)>; 'Valerie Fitzharris' <(b)(6)>; 'Elizabeth Banach' <EBanach@oceamember.org>; 'Kanski, Elizabeth' <(b)(6)>
Sent: Tue, Mar 8, 2011 5:30 pm
Subject: FW: HEALTH TIP...

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Murphy, Martin

From: Prescott, Paul
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:23 AM
To: Murphy, Martin
Subject: RIC Feedback

Marty,

As we didn't get any feedback from our two fearless leaders, I asked Vic what he made have heard from Tappert &Co. See below. I'll let you know if I hear any more information from their side of the house.

From: Hall, Victor
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 4:59 PM
To: Prescott, Paul
Subject: RIC feedback

Paul,
I just got back from a meeting and listened to your message. I'll try calling tomorrow and we can talk about this (and I can laugh at you for having to put together Public Affair talking points on the OIG report).
The feedback that I got from Tappert was positive. (b)(5)

(b)(5)

-Vic

Satorius, Mark

From: Satorius, Mark
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:23 AM
To: West, Steven; Pederson, Cynthia; Reynolds, Steven; Shear, Gary; Boland, Anne
Subject: Re: Kew issue

Thanks. Cindy, bob daley, and on plane regan. Eta reg befre noon.
Mark Satorius

----- Original Message -----
From: West, Steven
To: Satorius, Mark; Pederson, Cynthia; Reynolds, Steven; Shear, Gary; Boland, Anne
Cc: Kunowski, Michael
Sent: Fri Mar 11 07:53:28 2011
Subject: Re: Kew issue

Last night, breaker reset, off-site power restored, EDG secured.

Steve

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Steven.West@nrc.gov

----- Original Message -----
From: Satorius, Mark
To: West, Steven; Pederson, Cynthia
Cc: Shear, Gary; Kunowski, Michael; Reynolds, Steven; Boland, Anne
Sent: Thu Mar 10 19:18:24 2011
Subject: Re: Kew issue

Thanks for the update.

Nothing better than day old pizza!!!!
Mark Satorius

----- Original Message -----
From: West, Steven
To: Satorius, Mark; Pederson, Cynthia
Cc: Shear, Gary; Kunowski, Michael; Reynolds, Steven; Boland, Anne
Sent: Thu Mar 10 19:12:32 2011
Subject: RE: Kew issue

Residents on site. Great support here in region from DRS and DRP staff and BCs. Human performance error in switchyard resulted in trip of incorrect breaker and loss of bus. Both SFP cooling pumps running, although only one needed. Licensee has prepared plan to restore breaker and bus and will be doing so shortly. Residents okay with plan. Will inform you when job is completed.

Steve

P.S. If you make it back to the office tomorrow, there's pizza for you in the icebox.

-----Original Message-----
From: Satorius, Mark
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 4:42 PM
To: West, Steven; Pederson, Cynthia
Subject: RE: Kew issue

thanks

-----Original Message-----
From: West, Steven
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 5:41 PM
To: Satorius, Mark; Pederson, Cynthia
Subject: Fw: Kew issue

Breaking News. Will keep you informed.

Steve

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----- Original Message -----
From: Kunowski, Michael
To: West, Steven
Cc: Shear, Gary
Sent: Thu Mar 10 17:23:34 2011
Subject: Kew issue

Steve,

Kew lost power to one of two safety busses. Edg started and is carrying loads; the other safety bus is still powered by offsite power. All fuel is in SFP. Maybe a breaker or transformer problem. Kevin is in the control room watching ops restore the bus; elba is also onsite and is helping if needed. No loss of cooling to SFP. No EALs in effect. It appears to be nuisance vice safety. Kevin will be calling me in about 15 mins.
(Sent from Blackberry)

Satorius, Mark

From: Dean Murphy [dmurphy@eyeforenergy.com]
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:31 AM
To: Satorius, Mark
Subject: Satorius did you see this?

Hi Satorius

To celebrate the launch of our 2nd Annual Nuclear Power Uprate Conference, I'm giving away access to two presentations from Nuclear Energy Insider's Power Uprate conference last year.

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I hope they are of use to you and your business

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From: McMillan, Joseph
To: Johnson, Michael
Cc: Wiggins, Jim; Leeds, Eric; Haney, Catherine
Subject: RE: Follow Up Mtg with NCIX RE: Part 21
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:33:02 AM

That sounds good.

Regards,

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From: Johnson, Michael
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:23 AM
To: McMillan, Joseph
Cc: Wiggins, Jim; Leeds, Eric; Haney, Catherine
Subject: RE: Follow Up Mtg with NCIX RE: Part 21

Certainly Joe. I would like to be sure to engage Jim Wiggins, Eric Leeds and Kathy Haney also. Maybe a meeting when Jim returns will be most efficient.

From: McMillan, Joseph
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 3:41 PM
To: Johnson, Michael
Subject: Follow Up Mtg with NCIX RE: Part 21

Mike: FYI We had a good meeting today with NCIX regarding the initiative they are assisting us with and as promised a couple of your folks attended. From that meeting and our prior engagement with NCIX they have approached NEI to obtain situational awareness of industry's engagement on these issues. Recently NCIX has coordinated with DHS regarding collaboration with industry and was looking to expand their interface with volunteer Nuclear Power Plant owners and operators. One thought tee'd up was possibly for NRC to act as an interface with the NPP to solicit volunteer entities or simply to have DHS, who has already met on this issue, to continue and be the interface. Coming back on the train I thought about this aspect and am of the mindset it might be best for DHS to continue and address that aspect of the initiative. If you have a few minutes next week can we meet so I can fully bring you up to speed?

Regards,

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To: Thomas, Brian
Subject: FW: NRR Administrative Staff Feedback
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From: Ross, Robin **On Behalf Of** Boger, Bruce
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 4:52 PM
To: Boger, Bruce; Givvines, Mary; Grobe, Jack; Leeds, Eric; Bahadur, Sher; Blount, Tom; Brown, Frederick; Cheok, Michael; Cunningham, Mark; Evans, Michele; Ferrell, Kimberly; Galloway, Melanie; Giitter, Joseph; Hiland, Patrick; Holian, Brian; Howe, Allen; Lee, Samson; Lubinski, John; McGinty, Tim; Nelson, Robert; Quay, Theodore; Ruland, William; Weerakkody, Sunil; Wilson, George; Auluck, Rajender; Bailey, Stewart; Broaddus, Doug; Brown, Rohn; Campbell, Stephen; Carlson, Robert; Casto, Greg; Champion, Bryan; Chernoff, Harold; Dennig, Robert; Dias, Antonio; Eads, Johnny; Elliott, Robert; Franovich, Rani; Gorham, Tajuan; Harrison, Donnie; Helton, Shana; Imboden, Andy; Jolicoeur, John; Khanna, Meena; Klein, Alex; Kobetz, Timothy; Kulesa, Gloria; Le, Hong; Lupold, Timothy; Markley, Michael; Mathew, Roy; McHale, John; McMurtray, Anthony; Mendiola, Anthony; Mitchell, Matthew; Murphy, Martin; Narick, Marianne; Pascarelli, Robert; Pelton, David; Pham, Bo; Quichocho, Jessie; Regan, Christopher; Rodriguez, Veronica; Rosenberg, Stacey; Ross-Lee, MaryJane; Salgado, Nancy; Shoop, Undine; Simms, Sophonia; Tate, Travis; Taylor, Robert; Thorp, John; Ulses, Anthony; Wertz, Trent; Wrona, David
Cc: Gerke, Laura; Walker(NRR), Sandra
Subject: NRR Administrative Staff Feedback
Importance: High

I recently sent the following email to the office's Administrative Assistants (AAs), providing a summary and next steps from a focus group of NRR AAs conducted in November; I encourage you to read the attached for insight into their concerns. Consider having a conversation with your AA as to whether it resonates and discuss what shared next steps can occur as a result.

Bruce.

From: Ross, Robin **On Behalf Of** Boger, Bruce
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 4:26 PM
To: Alexander, Cheryl; Balarabe, Sarah; Beckford, Kaydian; Blechman, Paula; Brown, Nathan; Burton, Tasheena; Caponiti, Kathleen; Chen, Qiao-Lynn; Chey, Sonary; Cho, Caroline; Cohen, Shari; Cox, Linda; Craig, Jocelyn; Creedon, Meghan; Cunningham, Liza; Curran, Bridget; Freeman, Stanley; Graham, Camillea; Green, Rodneshia; Harper, Kevin; Jones(NRR), Latoya; Lee, Erika; Lent, Susan; Moore, Toye; Richards, Karen; Ross, Robin; Saah, Lauren; Sanchez, Chanel; Schwarz, Sherry; Shan, Roya; Thorpe, April; Tobe, Celestia; Weaver, Tonna; Wilhelm, Martha; Williams, Terry; Wohl, Marilyn; Woods, Sylvia; Zeleznock, Karen
Cc: Gerke, Laura; Walker(NRR), Sandra
Subject: Administrative Assistants' Focus Group--Final
Importance: High

Good Afternoon All,

I am writing to you in my role as NRR's Safety Culture Champion. Last November, we conducted a focus group of NRR Administrative Assistants (AA) in order to learn more about responses to the OIG Safety Culture and Climate Survey; attached is a summary of the discussion. *We are listening to your concerns and acting on them!* In the summary,

you'll see a list of actions: some of these are items the office will do; others are ones on which I encourage you act and take the initiative to make NRR an even better place to work. Consider having a conversation about the attached with your supervisor.

Eric Leeds will be discussing the summary at the next AA quarterly meeting this month. Come prepared to tell him how we're doing and how you can help us improve.

In closing, I want to thank you for the work you do in helping NRR meet its mission of public health and safety through your assistance with timely processing of our safety documents, being the friendly NRR voice to other offices and the public, and ensuring time and labor is completed for staff to get paid.

Bruce

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Actions Responsive to Feedback from NRR Administrative Assistants

In November, a focus group was conducted with nine NRR administrative assistants (AAs) to get further insight into issues affecting them and identify possible actions. A summary of the discussion and responsive actions follows. Some of the actions note commitments on NRR's part; others reflect areas where AAs are encouraged to take the initiative for improvement.

1. How would you characterize the work environment?

Focus Group views: Experiences vary based on which division AAs work in; however, the overall work environment is good.

Actions:

- Hold yourself and NRR management accountable for maintaining this positive work environment.
    - At the AA quarterly meeting on March 24, Office Director Eric Leeds will ask for your feedback and whether these actions are working
    - Demonstrate in your office a collaborative approach to work and take advantage of training to perform even better .

2. How are you treated? How would you describe current working relationships?

Focus Group views: AAs say they have limited job and career opportunities. Sometimes they feel it's not worth it to interview because someone else will get the job anyway. Training and development are encouraged by the Office Director, but there is uncertainty about support from Division Directors. Teamwork among NRR AAs varies: some strong AAs, in some divisions, have an established means of teamwork, with backup procedures for phone transfers and emails.

Actions:

- The AA Retreat planned for May 18, 2011 will focus on teamwork.
- PMDA's Infrastructure Service Branch (ISB) will follow up with division AAs, who should work with fellow AAs to develop a division procedure for phone coverage and emails.
- To learn more about career path opportunities, access the following links:
    - Administrative Assistant Qualification Program (AAQP): http://papaya.nrc.gov/Training/Staff_Development/sec/index.cfm; Contact: Tamara Thompson, 301-492-2204.
    - ADM-505: http://nrr10.nrc.gov/pmda/phcb/rht/initiatives/adminstafftrainplan.html . Use the Office Instruction to identify training to help you perform more effectively in your current job. Additionally, the OI lists all the administrative jobs (i.e., Program Analyst, Licensing Assistant, Management Analyst, IT) in NRR, which can help you plan for career development. Contact: Alice Katoski, 301-415-7409
- To strengthen teamwork, review the AAQP's two courses on team-building: a) Being an Effective Team Member, and b) The Path to Peace and Harmony (Team Building). Consider having AAs in your division taking a course together.

- After reviewing the above, develop an Individual Development Plan (IDP) setting out what your goals are for your current job and future career. Read the IDP Brochure at: http://papaya.nrc.gov/IDP.pdf
- Discuss with your supervisor, particularly at mid-years or appraisal time, your job/career goals. While external funding in the current budget environment is quite limited, there are many internal courses to consider.
- Always interview! Even if you don't get that job, the process gets your name out there, improves your interviewing skills, and demonstrates initiative for future consideration.

3. How are Administrative Assistants viewed by others in NRR?

Focus Group views: The Front Office knows the value of AAs; however, this view might not trickle down to lower management levels. Perception is that few awards are provided to AAs, and that too many questions are asked of them, as if they don't know what they're doing.

Actions:

- NRR Leadership will provide a reminder at the March 30 All Supervisors Meeting to acknowledge how AAs contribute to mission accomplishments. Kudos to Kevin Harper for being November's NRR employee of the month!
- If you feel you're being asked a lot of questions, consider if more training would help you more confidently explain duty performance and ease your ability to advocate for yourself. Two required courses in the AAQP are: a) The Art of Global Communication, and b) Interpersonal Skills on the Fast Track.

4. What is your level of comfort raising issues and seeking resolution?

Focus Group views: Raising issues can be easy or difficult depending on the issue, one's past experience raising issues, and to whom you raise them. Directors are available and follow the open door policy, but some Branch Chiefs are less approachable. AAs believe that managers should coach their employees because more tenured technical staff does not want AAs telling them how to do administrative processes. AAs indicated that branch chiefs do not manage poor performance, either of AAs or other staff. AAs try to work with their peers to resolve issues, but managers choose not to get involved in technical staff-to-AA conflicts and issues linger.

Actions:

- NRR Leadership will provide a reminder message at the next All Supervisors meeting about the importance of working with AAs on T&L and processing of documents.
- Acknowledging that supervisory skill sets can be strengthened, NRR is placing a renewed emphasis on first line supervisor training.
    - OHR's *Leader's Academy* has a group of courses for supervisors. In January, Eric Leeds told Branch Chiefs that they are expected to develop their Leader's Academy training plan in order to a) discuss with their supervisors at mid-years, and b) demonstrate progress at appraisals.

- All NRR managers received training in Feb/March on *Difficult Conversations,* which should assist them in discussing issues and having effective performance discussions.
- Good news: peer to peer issue resolution is going well. AAs are actively resolving issues amongst themselves. Keep up the good work!

5. Describe how communications within NRR are handled.

Focus Group views: Poor attendance is an issue at AA meetings, which makes AAs wonder if their peers take the meetings seriously. The topics at the meetings are relevant to AA work; however, more focus is needed on interpersonal relationships. PMDA is also trying to help improve communications. Front Office communications have improved due to leadership changes. Changes are communicated via email and/or announcements. Most times, AAs don't know that changes are made until after the fact (there is a delay).

Actions:

- For AA quarterly meetings, ISB will include a 10-15 minute activity for AAs to become better acquainted.
- Leader's Academy training for Branch Chiefs includes *Interpersonal Communications.*
- Attend the quarterly AA meetings.

6. Do you have the tools needed to do your job?

Focus Group views: Both the Administrative section on the NRR website and the AA newsletter help refresh staff on procedures. Work procedures should be turnkey; there are procedural inconsistencies across NRR Divisions. The format of concurrence and the processes should be the same across the office. Desk audits are needed to better describe work and create consistent procedures.

Actions:

- ISB will include *"Helpful Tools"* as a topic for a future AA quarterly meeting to brainstorm on other improvements.
- If you haven't already, check out NRR's Administrative webpage at: http://nrr10.nrc.gov/nrr-office/pmda/sec-handbook/index.cfm . You'll find the NRR Monthly Administrative Newsletter (NMAN) there as well.
- Take the recently revised PDC classroom courses: a) Correspondence Management, and b) Correspondence Management: SECY Papers.

Contact: Sandra Walker (x1401) and Laura Gerke (x4099)

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To: Thomas, Brian
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To: Boger, Bruce; Givvines, Mary; Grobe, Jack; Leeds, Eric; Bahadur, Sher; Blount, Tom; Brown, Frederick; Cheok, Michael; Cunningham, Mark; Evans, Michele; Ferrell, Kimberly; Galloway, Melanie; Giitter, Joseph; Hiland, Patrick; Holian, Brian; Howe, Allen; Lee, Samson; Lubinski, John; McGinty, Tim; Nelson, Robert; Quay, Theodore; Ruland, William; Weerakkody, Sunil; Wilson, George; Auluck, Rajender; Bailey, Stewart; Broaddus, Doug; Brown, Rohn; Campbell, Stephen; Carlson, Robert; Casto, Greg; Champion, Bryan; Chernoff, Harold; Dennig, Robert; Dias, Antonio; Eads, Johnny; Elliott, Robert; Franovich, Rani; Gorham, Tajuan; Harrison, Donnie; Helton, Shana; Imboden, Andy; Jolicoeur, John; Khanna, Meena; Klein, Alex; Kobetz, Timothy; Kulesa, Gloria; Le, Hong; Lupold, Timothy; Markley, Michael; Mathew, Roy; McHale, John; McMurtray, Anthony; Mendiola, Anthony; Mitchell, Matthew; Murphy, Martin; Narick, Marianne; Pascarelli, Robert; Pelton, David; Pham, Bo; Quichocho, Jessie; Regan, Christopher; Rodriguez, Veronica; Rosenberg, Stacey; Ross-Lee, MaryJane; Salgado, Nancy; Shoop, Undine; Simms, Sophonia; Tate, Travis; Taylor, Robert; Thorp, John; Ulses, Anthony; Wertz, Trent; Wrona, David
Cc: Gerke, Laura; Walker(NRR), Sandra
Subject: NRR Administrative Staff Feedback
Importance: High

I recently sent the following email to the office's Administrative Assistants (AAs), providing a summary and next steps from a focus group of NRR AAs conducted in November; I encourage you to read the attached for insight into their concerns. Consider having a conversation with your AA as to whether it resonates and discuss what shared next steps can occur as a result.

Bruce.

From: Ross, Robin **On Behalf Of** Boger, Bruce
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 4:26 PM
To: Alexander, Cheryl; Balarabe, Sarah; Beckford, Kaydian; Blechman, Paula; Brown, Nathan; Burton, Tasheena; Caponiti, Kathleen; Chen, Qiao-Lynn; Chey, Sonary; Cho, Caroline; Cohen, Shari; Cox, Linda; Craig, Jocelyn; Creedon, Meghan; Cunningham, Liza; Curran, Bridget; Freeman, Stanley; Graham, Camillea; Green, Rodneshia; Harper, Kevin; Jones(NRR), Latoya; Lee, Erika; Lent, Susan; Moore, Toye; Richards, Karen; Ross, Robin; Saah, Lauren; Sanchez, Chanel; Schwarz, Sherry; Shan, Roya; Thorpe, April; Tobe, Celestia; Weaver, Tonna; Wilhelm, Martha; Williams, Terry; Wohl, Marilyn; Woods, Sylvia; Zeleznock, Karen
Cc: Gerke, Laura; Walker(NRR), Sandra
Subject: Administrative Assistants' Focus Group--Final
Importance: High

Good Afternoon All,

I am writing to you in my role as NRR's Safety Culture Champion. Last November, we conducted a focus group of NRR Administrative Assistants (AA) in order to learn more about responses to the OIG Safety Culture and Climate Survey; attached is a summary of the discussion. *We are listening to your concerns and acting on them!* In the summary,

you'll see a list of actions: some of these are items the office will do; others are ones on which I encourage you act and take the initiative to make NRR an even better place to work. Consider having a conversation about the attached with your supervisor.

Eric Leeds will be discussing the summary at the next AA quarterly meeting this month. Come prepared to tell him how we're doing and how you can help us improve.

In closing, I want to thank you for the work you do in helping NRR meet its mission of public health and safety through your assistance with timely processing of our safety documents, being the friendly NRR voice to other offices and the public, and ensuring time and labor is completed for staff to get paid.

Bruce

Bruce A. Boger, Deputy Director
NRR/Reactor Safety Programs
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Location: O13-D14
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Telephone: (301) 415-1272

From: Lubinski, John
To: Hardies, Robert
Cc: Thomas, Brian; Lupold, Timothy
Subject: FW: ACRS Full Committee meeting on groundwater
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:37:00 AM

Bob,

Congrats and thanks for supporting this.

From: Lund, Louise
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 6:32 PM
To: Virgilio, Martin; Leeds, Eric
Cc: Kotzalas, Margie; Lubinski, John; Brown, Frederick; Holian, Brian; Haney, Catherine; Burns, Stephen; Miller, Charles; Johnson, Michael; Satorius, Mark
Subject: ACRS Full Committee meeting on groundwater

Marty and Eric,

The ACRS full committee meeting on the review of the Groundwater Task Force Report went well. We stayed for the letter writing session, and the draft ACRS letter is supportive of the conclusions of the SMRG in SECY-11-0019 and the Chairman Memorandum. Chuck Casto attended the meeting, and before he left, told me he thought it went well from his perspective, as well. ACRS staff predicted a letter may be out by a week from Monday or so.

Louise

From: Lubinski, John
To: Howe, Allen
Cc: Campbell, Stephen
Subject: RE: Watts Bar 2 Management Report
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:39:00 AM

Do not believe there was an attachment

-----Original Message-----
From: Howe, Allen
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 10:01 PM
To: Lubinski, John; Thomas, Brian; Giitter, Joseph; Nelson, Robert; McGinty, Tim; Quay, Theodore; Blount, Tom; Cheok, Michael; Lee, Samson; Ruland, William; Bahadur, Sher; Brown, Frederick; Hiland, Patrick; Skeen, David
Cc: Boger, Bruce; Grobe, Jack; Leeds, Eric; Campbell, Stephen
Subject: Watts Bar 2 Management Report

All - attached is the current Watts Bar 2 Management report. The environmental information has been added. We have also identified some areas where more information is needed or new issues were identified. Steve has coordinated with the branch chiefs. Busy week this week; you should have next week's update earlier in the week.

Allen

From: Campbell, Stephen
Sent: Wednesday, March 09, 2011 6:58 AM
To: Howe, Allen
Subject: Management Report

Allen:

Attached is the latest management report that incorporates feedback from my discussions with the BCs yesterday. Please used attached. I will bring you hard copies.

Stephen J. Campbell,
Branch Chief
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Washington, DC 20555
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From: Campbell, Stephen
To: Lubinski, John
Subject: Out of Office: Watts Bar 2 Management Report
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:39:05 AM

I am out of the office March 11, 2011. Please contact Rags Raghavan at (b)(6) for any concerns related to Watts Bar Nuclear 1 and 2 and Bellefonte. If you have an urgent need to contact me please call me at (b)(6)

I will be back in the office on March 14, 2011.

From: Burnell, Scott
To: Bergman, Thomas
Subject: Re: Update - RE: ~~OUO~~ - Sensitive Allegation Material - Potential Media/Public Inquiry Regarding Anonymous Letters Sent to the NRC Chairman Regarding AP-1000 Shield Building
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:53:57 AM

I did?? Don't recall -- Perhaps Eliot?

Sent from an NRC Blackberry
Scott Burnell
(b)(6)

----- Original Message -----
From: Bergman, Thomas
To: Burnell, Scott
Sent: Fri Mar 11 07:52:27 2011
Subject: RE: Update - RE: ~~OUO~~ - Sensitive Allegation Material - Potential Media/Public Inquiry Regarding Anonymous Letters Sent to the NRC Chairman Regarding AP-1000 Shield Building

The one you passed me yesterday that I was very late replying to.

Thomas A. Bergman
Director, Division of Engineering
Office of New Reactors
(w) 301-415-7192
(c) (b)(6)

From: Burnell, Scott
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:45 AM
To: Bergman, Thomas; Tabatabai, Omid; Johnson, Michael; Holahan, Gary
Cc: Frye, Timothy; Dudes, Laura; Tappert, John; Shams, Mohamed; Williams, Donna; Shane, Raeann
Subject: Re: Update - RE: ~~OUO~~ - Sensitive Allegation Material - Potential Media/Public Inquiry Regarding Anonymous Letters Sent to the NRC Chairman Regarding AP-1000 Shield Building

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Dean, Bill

From: Dean, Bill
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:54 AM
To: Lew, David; Roberts, Darrell; Wilson, Peter; Weerakkody, Sunil; Clifford, James; Lorson, Raymond; Collins, Daniel; Baker, Pamela; Walker, Tracy
Cc: Barkley, Richard; Farrar, Karl; Miller, Chris
Subject: Fw: Safety Culture support from OE
Attachments: OE support memo ML1036100769.pdf

I am not anticipating any needs. It remains to be seen what "implementation" will be needed, especially given tenor of some of the Commission's votes. Would be interested in Director's Council perspective so we can reply to this memo. Thanks.
Bill Dean
Regional Administrator
Region I, USNRC
Sent from NRC BlackBerry

From: Sieracki, Diane
To: Miller, Charles; Haney, Catherine; Johnson, Michael; Leeds, Eric; Wiggins, Jim; Dean, Bill; Reyes, Luis; Satorius, Mark; Collins, Elmo
Cc: Piccone, Josephine; Flannery, Cindy; Firth, James; Dorman, Dan; Witt, Kevin; Pasquale, Daniel; Frye, Timothy; Jimenez, Jose; Brown, Frederick; Shoop, Undine; Keefe, Molly; Holahan, Patricia; Albert, Ronald; Zimmerman, Roy; Campbell, Andy; Solorio, Dave; Schwartz, Maria; Fries, Eric; Thompson, Catherine; Cai, June; Pedersen, Renee
Sent: Thu Mar 10 17:21:32 2011
Subject: Safety Culture support from OE

Good Afternoon,

I have attached a copy of a memo which each of you received in late December. The Office of Enforcement (OE) is asking for your input into what resource needs you may have for OE in the areas of external safety culture as well as internal safety culture and OCWE. With the issuance of SRM 11-005 related to our Safety Culture Policy Statement, we would ask that you consider what your needs will be for that effort and provide your input to our office. As many of you are aware, we have a steering committee meeting scheduled for March 30, 2011, and we plan to include this topic as an agenda item at that meeting. If you have input prior to that meeting, please don't hesitate to provide us with your thoughts. We look forward to working with you as we move into the "next steps" phase of the SCPS.

Please remember to include any needs you might have for our internal safety culture team, including OCWE, as well.

Thank you,

Diane J. Sieracki
Sr. Safety Culture Program Manager
Office of Enforcement
301 415-3297

December 23, 2010

MEMORANDUM TO: Charles L. Miller, Director
Office of Federal and State Materials
and Environmental Management Programs
Catherine Haney, Director
Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards
Michael R. Johnson, Director
Office of New Reactors
Eric J. Leeds, Director
Nuclear Reactor Regulation
James T. Wiggins, Director
Office of Nuclear Security and Incident Response
William M. Dean, Regional Administrator, RI
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Mark A. Satorius, Regional Administrator, RIII
Elmo E. Collins, Regional Administrator, RIV

FROM: Roy P. Zimmerman, Director ***/RA/***
Office of Enforcement

SUBJECT: SUPPORT FROM OE FOR SAFETY CULTURE INITIATIVES IN CY2011

The purpose of this memorandum is to start a conversation about assistance OE may be able to provide in the safety culture area during CY2011.

First, with regard to external safety culture, on January 24, 2011, the staff will meet with the Commission to present the draft Safety Culture Policy Statement (SCPS). We anticipate receiving the Commission decision and direction on the SCPS shortly thereafter.

On behalf of OE, I would like to express my appreciation for the support that many offices provided to OE throughout the process of bringing the SCPS to this point, especially the collaborative efforts from the steering committee and working group. We look forward to the opportunity to repay this support in kind during the implementation of the SCPS.

CONTACTS: Diane J. Sieracki, OE/CRB 301-415-3297
Eric V. Fries, OE/CRB 301-415-2719
June Cai, OE 301-415-5192

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In the interim, if there are areas in external safety culture where we can be of assistance, please let us know.

cc: (for internal safety culture)
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P. Howard, CSO
M. Cohen, HR
J. Dyer, OCFO
B. Poole, OCAA
M. Doane, OIP
R. Schmidt, OCA
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Cc: Frye, Timothy; Dudes, Laura; Tappert, John; Shams, Mohamed; Williams, Donna; Shane, Raeann
Subject: RE: Update - RE: ~~OUO~~ - Sensitive Allegation Material - Potential Media/Public Inquiry Regarding Anonymous Letters Sent to the NRC Chairman Regarding AP-1000 Shield Building
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:57:50 AM

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From: Burnell, Scott
To: Bergman, Thomas
Subject: Re: Markey AP1000 letter
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:58:55 AM

OK, brain fart on my part, sorry.

Sent from an NRC Blackberry
Scott Burnell
(b)(6)

----- Original Message -----
From: Bergman, Thomas
To: Burnell, Scott
Sent: Fri Mar 11 07:56:31 2011
Subject: FW: Markey AP1000 letter

Ok - maybe some web site - here's the chain. Getting old, my man!!

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From: Bergman, Thomas
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 7:57 PM
To: Johnson, Michael; Holahan, Gary
Subject: Fw: Markey AP1000 letter

Additional press interest. Fyi - I told s
Scott that if we get asked about 11/8 letter we are referring the inquiry to OPA until we get the answer agreed to.
Thomas A. Bergman
Director, Division of Engineering
Office of New Reactors
301-415-7192 (O)
(b)(6) (C)

----- Original Message -----
From: Shane, Raeann
To: Burnell, Scott; Bergman, Thomas
Sent: Thu Mar 10 15:03:39 2011
Subject: RE: Markey AP1000 letter

Amy is going up to the Chairman's office now on another matter and is going to get direction.

(b)(6)

(b)(6) I will be available by Blackberry. Amy will most likely contact Markey's office in my absence.

-----Original Message-----
From: Burnell, Scott
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 2:30 PM
To: Bergman, Thomas; Shane, Raeann
Subject: FW: Markey AP1000 letter

Tom -- John's full title?

Raeann -- response expected by?

Thanks!

-----Original Message-----
From: Kenneth Fletcher [mailto:fletcher@exchangemonitor.com]
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 2:28 PM
To: Burnell, Scott
Subject: Markey AP1000 letter

Hi Scott,

I'm doing a story this afternoon on Rep. Markey's letter this week raising concerns about the AP1000 reactor shield building design.

I have just two quick questions:
-The letter cites a nonoccurrence report by John Ma, who Markey identifies as "the NRC's lead structural reviewer charged with evaluating the design of the reactor shield." Could you provide me with his official title?
-Does the Chairman plan to respond by March 28 and will we hear then whether the Commission plans to revisit the design certification amendment? Or would that be after the public comment period ends?

Thanks,

Kenny Fletcher
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Satorius, Mark

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Date:	Friday, March 11, 2011 8:09:55 AM
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Nancy,

I think your revision looks great. Thank you for writing it. I offered some edits (I think will show up in blue) in the attached you might consider. (b)(5)

(b)(5)

I also provided to Brach and Don Cool as they generally provide outstanding insights and proposed revisions. I asked them to provide comments by 10am. If that is too late, let us know.

Thanks again,
Shawn

From: Fragoyannis, Nancy
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 5:42 PM
To: 'ShafferMr@state.gov'; Virgilio, Martin; Williams, Shawn; Layton, Michael; Schwartzman, Jennifer
Cc: Mamish, Nader; Doane, Margaret
Subject: DraftCableJointTaskForce - 3 10 11.docx
Importance: High

Attached is OIP's edits to the draft cable. Please review and provide comments as soon as possible.

(b)(5)

Thanks.

Nancy

(b)(5)

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From: John.STEIN@oecd.org
Subject: RWMC-44: reminder for country updates by 11 March
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:10:43 AM
Attachments: Delegation contacts.pdf
Registration Status RWMC-44 on 11 March.pdf
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MESSAGE SENT ON BEHALF OF CLAUDIO PESCATORE

Dear RWMC members and participants in the RWMC-44,

We would like to remind you to send us your country update for Item 7 of the agenda **by 11 March** as originally requested. Adequate time is necessary to prepare the Country Trends Analysis Report for Item 20. Our thanks to those who have already sent their country update.

Stricter security measures are in place at OECD. It will not be possible, as in previous years, to provide the Secretariat with computer files via USB sticks or other similar devices in the meeting room. Please send all material by email to john.stein@oecd.org in advance of the meeting. This concerns, in particular, Powerpoint presentations to be made at the meeting. Thank you for your co-operation and understanding in this matter.

For those of you who will prepare presentations, may we please have them no later than 17 March, so that we can reproduce them for all colleagues. After this date we ask that you kindly bring with you 80 copies of your presentation.

If you have not done so, please register for this meeting (and for the RF-14 meeting if applicable to you) through your national delegation (instructions in the agenda opening notes); a list of contacts in Delegations is attached. A list of those registered at this time for the RWMC-44 and RF-14 meetings is also attached.

As mentioned in our last email, please visit the website to obtain meeting documentation: http://www.oecd-nea.org/download/rwmc/ We ask that you bring the documentation to the meeting with you. Limited numbers of paper copies will be available. If you have any trouble with accessing the website, please contact John Stein (john.stein@oecd.org).

Kind regards on behalf of the RWMC Chair and the NEA Secretariat.

Claudio Pescatore

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Subject: Follow-up on NFPA-805 discussion
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:13:44 AM

Marty – thanks for the info on the paper this morning.

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Thanks.

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If you have any questions, please give me a call on 415-1969.

IN RESPONSE, PLEASE
REFER TO: M110310

March 10, 2011

MEMORANDUM FOR: Brooke Poole, Director
Office of Commission Appellate Adjudication

FROM: Annette L. Vietti-Cook, Secretary /RA/

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS - AFFIRMATION SESSION, 3:30 P.M., THURSDAY, MARCH 10, 2011, COMMISSIONERS' CONFERENCE ROOM, ONE WHITE FLINT NORTH, ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND (OPEN TO PUBLIC ATTENDANCE)

I. SECY-11-0021 – Entergy Nuclear Vermont Yankee, L.L.C. and Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc. (Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station), Petition for Review of LBP-10-19 (Oct. 28, 2010), Docket No. 50-271-LR

The Commission approved a Memorandum and Order denying a petition for review filed by the New England Coalition (NEC) challenging the Licensing Board's decision in LBP-10-19, in which the Board refused to reopen this adjudication and admit for litigation NEC's latest proposed contention. The Memorandum and Order affirms LBP-10-19 and terminates this proceeding. Commissioner Apostolakis did not participate in this matter

(Subsequently, on March 10, 2011, the Secretary signed the Memorandum and Order.)

cc: Chairman Jaczko
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From: Williams, Shawn
To: Shaffer, Mark R; Fragoyannis, Nancy; Virgilio, Martin; Layton, Michael; Schwartzman, Jennifer
Cc: Mamish, Nader; Doane, Margaret
Subject: RE: DraftCableJointTaskForce - 3 10 11.docx
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:20:57 AM

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-Mark

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Cc: Mamish, Nader; Doane, Margaret
Subject: DraftCableJointTaskForce - 3 10 11.docx
Importance: High

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Thanks.

Nancy

From:
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Subject: Upcoming stuff
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:24:22 AM

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From: Williams, Shawn
To: Fragoyannis, Nancy
Cc: Brach, Bill; Cool, Donald; Mamish, Nader; Schwartzman, Jennifer; Virgilio, Martin
Subject: FW: DraftCableJointTaskForce - 3 10 11.docx
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:25:36 AM
Attachments: DraftCableJointTaskForce with Brach"s comments.docx

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Thank You Bill.

Nancy,
Please consider Bill's suggestions on the cable (attached), and his suggestions below regarding your e-mail transmitting our comments.

Thanks Again,
Shawn

From: Brach, Bill
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:12 AM
To: Williams, Shawn; Cool, Donald
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Shawn/Don,

I fully support the cable as revised by Nancy. I have added a few further suggested changes noted in Track Changes in the attachment.

Further, I suggest the transmittal email sending our comments include the following:

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Good luck. Bill

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Your revision edits are also welcome. If possible, by 10am tomorrow.

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Attached is OIP's edits to the draft cable. Please review and provide comments as soon as possible.

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Thanks.

Nancy

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Stevens, in a written statement Thursday to the FHA's staff, called his two-year term "the most intense and significant in my career." A former president of national real estate brokerage Long & Foster, he has indicated in recent months that he was considering a return to the private sector. MORE

Federal funding of public media under fire

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GSA launches program to attract midsized firms to fed market

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U.S. intelligence and defense officials took a risk in not locking down the classified information in war zones, said Thomas Ferguson, principal deputy under secretary for intelligence at the U.S. Department of Defense. The DOD allowed soldiers to transfer data between its own systems and allied networks so they could "rapidly" respond to conditions in Iraq, he said. MORE

Cyber security key to America's competitiveness

Government Security News: U.S. competitiveness was a major theme of President Obama's 2011 State of the Union Address. "We know what it takes to compete for the jobs and industries of our time. We need to out-innovate, out-educate, and out-build the rest of the world," Obama opined.

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Nextgov: The Defense Department's top weapons tester told lawmakers at a hearing Wednesday that a key component of the Army's battlefield network now in development failed 72 percent of the time in tests last year. The network is the centerpiece of the service's modernization strategy, according to testimony by Army Vice Chief of Staff Gen. Peter Chiarelli at the same hearing. MORE

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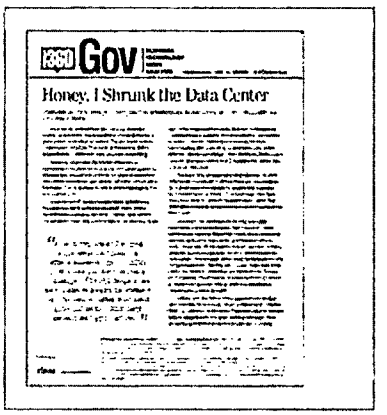

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Redefining 'Making D0': How state governments are leveraging technology to decrease budget deficits

An *i360Gov* special report. Excerpt: After several years on a steady diet of tight budgets, revenue shortfalls and the ongoing weakened economy, it would seem state and local governments might by now be unable to maintain current IT operations, much less build new services or applications.

However, despite ongoing hardships, states and localities have developed strong survival strategies, ferreting out cost reductions and reusing savings from ongoing data center consolidation efforts, for example, rather than seeking new funding for planned IT upgrades....

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Data Center Consolidation

An *i360Gov* special report. Excerpt: Data center consolidation is now a top federal IT priority, as the White House leads the charge in driving a government-wide effort to reduce IT costs, lower energy consumption, improve IT security and enable a shift to more efficient IT platforms, such as cloud computing.

Driven by a few recently formed initiatives, a Presidential Executive Order, memos and other guidance, federal agencies are now working out plans to streamline data center operations, gain greater efficiency and meet a mandated goal to achieve $3 billion in cost savings by the end of fiscal 2012...

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Countering Advanced Persistent Threats with Cyber Forensics

Many security teams have been caught unprepared by recent advances in targeted attacks. Multi-stage, multi-vector campaigns now steal sensitive and classified data, access privileged accounts, and spy on public sector organizations. This white paper explains the need for new security tactics and rapid response technologies to counter these advanced persistent threats. This whitepaper will demonstrate the need for

forensic-grade technology in order to combat advanced persistent threats and minimize the attack surface of an agencies' sensitive data.

Read the report.

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States Appeal Some Portions of Ruling Dismissing Health-Care Law

Bloomberg Business Week: (Bloomberg) -- Florida and 25 other states, after the U.S. appealed a ruling invalidating President Barack Obama's health-care law, said they will appeal portions of that decision and earlier ones in the case that were unfavorable to them.

Lawyers for the states said in a filing yesterday in federal court in Pensacola, Florida, that their appeal pertains to "adverse disposition of claims" in Judge C. Roger Vinson's Jan. 31 decision and any other adverse rulings in the case. The U.S. filed a notice of appeal on March 8. MORE

Massachusetts health plan gets high marks: poll

Reuters: A large majority of Massachusetts residents are satisfied with the commonwealth's subsidized health plan, which has components similar to the Obama administration's federal plan, according to a poll released on Thursday.

The poll by Market Decisions, a research and consulting group, found that 84 percent of residents are satisfied with the Massachusetts plan, which requires most adults to have health insurance. A similar requirement in President Barack Obama's health plan has been challenged by a group of states in the courts and the case is working its way through appeals. MORE

OCR will train state AGs to enforce HIPAA

Government Health IT: The Office for Civil Rights has invited the 50 state attorneys general for in-person training on HIPAA privacy and security rules, at the agency's expense, so they will be better prepared to take on expanded enforcement roles to safeguard health information privacy.

The training course will aid state attorneys general and their staff in investigating and seeking damages for violations of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) that affect residents of their states, said Sue McAndrew, OCR deputy director for health information privacy. MORE

Panel: WHO botched H1N1 response

MSNBC: LONDON — An expert panel commissioned by the World Health Organization to investigate its handling of the swine flu pandemic has slammed mistakes made by the U.N. body and warned tens of

millions could die if there is a severe flu outbreak in the future.

The U.N. health agency established the review committee to evaluate its performance after the 2009 global outbreak of swine flu, or H1N1. In a draft report released on Thursday, the committee said WHO performed well in many ways, but made crucial errors. MORE

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Webinars

How server and datacenter consolidation can simplify and maximize cloud computing success

Wednesday, March 16, 2011 at 2:00 PM Eastern

Many Federal agencies are already pursuing consolidation and cloud computing initiatives, but OMB's 25-point mandate for government-wide IT reform has accelerated things significantly. Would you like to hear about a proven path forward to datacenter consolidation, transforming to a cloud-ready infrastructure and ultimately being able to adopt that cloud-first policy?

Join i360Gov for a live webinar on datacenter consolidation and how to build your cloud. Virtualization is a critical first step in consolidation and cloud computing, and with it, Federal agencies can leverage proven strategies to:

- Increase datacenter services, while decreasing infrastructure
- Build a scalable cloud infrastructure
- Integrate consolidation and cloud plans and maximize resources
- Leverage existing infrastructure to complete the transformation

Our panel of subject matter experts includes **Anil Karmel** (Los Alamos Labs) and **Doug Bourgeois**, formerly with U.S. Department of the Interior and the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. **Register Now** (no cost)

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i360Gov Proof Points: How to Achieve Private Cloud Formation

Tuesday, March 22, 2011 at 2:00 PM Eastern

To comply with federal mandates, agencies are being challenged to invest in cloud computing, to reduce IT costs and streamline operations. Despite the benefits of the cloud, many questions remain about security and the privacy of sensitive or classified information. Industry observers predict the strong push toward cloud-based services will lead to a rise in private cloud implementations in the coming year.

This i360Gov educational webinar and corresponding special report will highlight what government organizations should do to ensure security, while still adhering to federal cloud-focused mandates. The tools, assistance, guidance and advice of industry experts will be incorporated into the corresponding

special report, called Private Cloud Formations, which will hone in on how this technological alternative may work best for a wide range of government applications. **Register Now** (no cost)

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The Records Management Challenge: A Strategy for Paper Records

Wednesday, March 30, 2011 at 2:00 PM Eastern

Is your agency plagued with paper documents and manual processes associated with managing government paper records? Attend this i360Gov educational webinar and learn how leading agencies have modernized their paper-based process and the benefits they are realizing.

Our panelists, including Ray Miller, formerly with the NY State Dept of Health, will discuss how the process of managing paper records has evolved, what new techniques and technologies governments can employ to modernize this process, and how these improvements can impact your agency's bottom line. **Register Now** (no cost)

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i360Gov Proof Points: Trends in Digital Archiving of Legislative Records

Despite the availability of electronic records preservation solutions, nearly 60% of our survey's respondents said they still don't possess an easily accessible electronic repository of all state laws, present and past, hindering each organization's ability to provide advanced web-based or online constituent services.

Join this complimentary educational webinar to see the full results of this study presented along with expert analysis. You will also hear experts present case studies high lighting the latest initiatives and best practice advice for building and maintaining electronic repositories.

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Leveraging Technology to Fight Budget Difficulties in State & Local Governments

Under the gun to provide more and better services while striving to manage shrinking resources, state and local governments are seemingly being squeezed from multiple directions. Luckily there are some technological tools available to help, such as web-based self services and desktop virtualization, among others.

Join i360Gov's panel of government experts for this live event as we highlight the solutions that best aid these government organizations in closing budget deficit gaps while delivering greater agility to constituent-facing services. **View Now** (no cost!)

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Energy - Policy & Technology

Obama to Address Rising Energy Prices

The Wall Street Journal (online subscription required): WASHINGTON -- President Barack Obama will address rising energy prices at a news conference on Friday, but he is not expected to call for releasing oil from the Strategic Petroleum Reserve.

Unrest in the Middle East and North Africa has driven up gasoline and heating oil prices in the United States. Republicans in Congress have raised the volume on their criticism of Mr. Obama's energy policies, and some Democrats have called for Mr. Obama to release oil from the strategic reserves in an attempt to moderate prices by increasing supply. MORE

Interest in renewable energy may stick as oil prices surge

Los Angeles Times: The latest surge in oil prices may help the renewable energy industry reach a turning point after years of boom-and-bust cycles long dictated by the rise and fall in gas prices.

Solar, wind and biofuel investors and analysts said the latest run-up in prices caused by unrest in Libya and other oil-producing nations could lead to lasting interest in alternate sources of energy. MORE

Fracking blowback spooks energy industry

CNN: HOUSTON (CNNMoney) -- The oil and gas industry is reeling from attacks on what it considers one of its most important technologies -- fracking.

Protests across New York State, have temporarily banned the practice. Unfavorable coverage in the media

and a scathing documentary film that was nominated this year for an Oscar also seem to have scared the industry. MORE

Natural gas won't dethrone king coal soon, panelists say

Houston Chronicle: The surge in North American natural gas supplies is shaking up the mix of U.S. electricity generation, but coal will continue as the fastest growing power plant fuel globally for years, speakers at the CERAWeek conference said Thursday.

The much-touted "shale gale," a storm of production expected to expand U.S. natural gas reserves for decades thanks to improved technology, has cut prices for the fuel to half what most analysts expected just a few years ago. MORE

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Defense / Intelligence / Homeland Security - Policy & Technology

Pentagon tightens computer security in wake of WikiLeaks breach

Federal Times: Top defense and intelligence officials reiterated their commitment to information-sharing at a Senate hearing Thursday, even as they outlined new safeguards to prevent a repeat of the WikiLeaks breach that has led to the release of thousands of classified military reports and diplomatic cables.

The Defense Department, for example, is striving to proceed with needed protections "without reverting to pre-9/11 stovepipes," Chief Information Officer Teresa Takai told the Senate Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee. MORE

U.S. Navy Ill-Prepared for New Arctic Frontier: Study

Defense News: WASHINGTON - Climate change is rapidly transforming the Arctic and the U.S. Navy is falling behind as international powers jockey for power over vast oil resources, suggested a U.S. study released on March 10.

The report by the National Academy of Sciences (NAS) pointed to areas where the United States needs to bolster its forces as warming temperatures break up polar ice, raise sea levels, and potentially cause more international chaos. MORE

Don't Look Up: The Secret Space Plane Is Flying Again

Time: There's something sinister-looking about an airplane with no windows. If a Predator drone starts buzzing your neighborhood, you can be pretty sure it's not there to make friends. The same is true of a

windowless space plane. The shuttle may be a flawed machine, but it's also an oddly friendly one — stub-winged and chubby, with little windows in the front that just beg for the smiling face of a pilot.

Not so the shuttle's new little brother, the 29-ft.-long (8.8 m), 15-ft.-high (4.5 m) Air Force space plane that launched in early March on what's billed as a seven-month mission, having completed an earlier nine-month flight in December. MORE

Better Efforts Needed to Stem Cross-Border Currency Smuggling, Congress Told

Homeland Security Today: US Customs and Border Protections (CBP), the lead federal agency in the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) in charge of securing our nation's borders in March 2009 was tasked by DHS Secretary Janet Napolitano to help stem the flow of bulk cash and weapons moving south by inspecting travelers leaving the United States for Mexico. MORE

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Say What?

"No man will ever bring out of the Presidency the reputation which carries him into it. . . . To myself, personally, it brings nothing but increasing drudgery and daily loss of friends."

—Thomas Jefferson

WI: A coup in Wisconsin: How the Governor got his way

Time: "The rich have gotten much richer," bellowed Jesse Jackson Jr. amid the rumble of cheering voices, horns and maracas. "Yeah!" roared back the crowd of at least 10,000 protesters who had gathered in Madison, Wis., Thursday morning.

"It's about the rights of workers," Jackson continued. "The rights of workers," repeated the crowd. "The rights of women," Jackson said. "The rights of women," repeated the crowd. MORE

TX: Texas struggles to fill a Texas-sized budget hole

Stateline: AUSTIN, Texas — Last week, advocates for people with disabilities rallied at the state Capitol

here to protest budget cuts. Eleven, including nine in wheelchairs, were arrested and charged with criminal trespass. This week, another group is organizing a far bigger rally that organizers say will draw more than 10,000 education advocates to the capitol on Saturday. MORE

Digital Divide Still Present in Washington, D.C., Broadband Map Shows

Government Technology: Washington, D.C., continues to deal with a "stark digital divide" within the city, a problem highlighted again in a broadband adoption map released Wednesday, March 9.

The online map found that the average broadband wireline adoption rate for Washington, D.C's population in 2009 was 65.3 percent. MORE

IL: Fuel prices may keep state police off the highway

TheSouthern.com: SPRINGFIELD - Drivers might see fewer Illinois State Police patrolling the roads soon if gas prices continue to rise.

State Police Interim Director Patrick Keen told a state House appropriations committee that his department's proposed budget for the next fiscal year calculates gasoline at about $3.35 a gallon. Gas at the pump is hovering above that cost right now, thanks in part to recent turmoil in the Middle East. MORE

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Federal Policy & Business

Fed poised to keep interest rates extremely low

Houston Chronicle: WASHINGTON — Federal Reserve leaders will gather around a conference table here this week and almost certainly decide to keep interest rates at rock-bottom levels, as they have for 11 straight meetings.

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To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: Today: March 11th, 2011 GovConectx GovAware VIP Invite Expo Tour & Lunch
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:39:11 AM

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Goods, Services and Solutions: Green products, Medical, Information Technology, Electronics, Physical Security, Cyber Security, Architecture, Health Care, Construction, A/V, Office Supplies, Printing, Furniture, Wireless, Janitoral and Indoor Environmental Control, Manufacturing, Engineering, Professional Services, Staffing, Disaster Recovery, Homeland Security, COOP, Maintenance, Nanotechnologies, Environmental, Biotech, Information Assurance, Telecommunications, Critical Infrastructure, Energy, Power and Cooling and much More.

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* Event Time: 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

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From: Smith, George
To: Trapp, James
Subject: FW: Request for Facilitation Services
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:39:23 AM

Jim, any issue with me volunteering?

George E. Smith
Inspector, Division of Reactor Safety
Region I
WP: 610-337-6916
CP : (b)(6)
George.smith@nrc.gov

U.S.NRC

From: Barkley, Richard
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 1:38 PM
To: Adelstein, Patricia; Anderson, Brian; Bafundo Crimm, Nina; Bailey, Kenneth; Barkley, Richard; BowdenBerry, Elva; Burton, William; Carpenter, Gene; Daniel, Richard; Fehst, Geraldine; Fuller, Michael; Glenn, Nichole; Heck, Jared; Kotra, Janet; Krsek, Robert; Leslie, Bret; Maier, Bill; Meeting_Facilitation Resource; Mroz (Sahm), Sara; Rakovan, Lance; Rivera, Alison; Rodriguez, Michael; Salter, Susan; Smith, George; Stuyvenberg, Andrew; Wright, Lisa (Gibney)
Subject: FW: Request for Facilitation Services

Business is good today – Who wants to take this one on?

From: Communications Site [mailto:webwork.resource@nrc.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 1:36 PM
To: Collins, Frank
Subject: Request for Facilitation Services

Frank Collins of NSIR is requesting facilitation assisstance for a series of meetings involving Annual Continuity exercise, Eagle Horizon 11.

Details include:
- Meeting Purpose: fulfill annual continuity training and exercise requirements for the agency
- Type of Meeting: internal
- Date(s) of Meeting: June 23, 2011 / all day
- Location(s): Headquarters and Regional Offices
- Style of Meeting: workshop
- Expected Level of Controversy/Contention: Low
- Expected Number of Attendees: 50-100
- Sensitivity of Topics to be Discussed: ~~Official Use Only~~

Additional Details: 5 separate Table Top exercises A - Devolution Options

Frank Collins can be reach at 301-415-6359.

Satorius, Mark

From: veronica.leyva@gsa.gov on behalf of ChicagoFEB@gsa.gov
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:50 AM
Subject: Join the FEB's Community Service Committee and WellFeds for the Second Annual "Garden with Growing Power"

PLEASE DISSEMINATE WIDELY THROUGHOUT YOUR AGENCIES - THIS VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY IS OPEN TO ALL EMPLOYEES!

Join the FEB's Community Service Committee and WellFeds for the Second Annual "Garden with Growing Power"

There are three sessions to choose from:
May 10th 12 PM - 12:45 PM
May 11th 12 PM - 12:45 PM
May 12th 12 PM - 12:45 PM

Walk over to Grant Park and then get your hands dirty. You'll have the opportunity to help the community, to learn about growing food, and to get some exercise!
Over 150 varieties of heirloom vegetables, herbs, and edible flowers are grown at the urban farm in the heart of downtown Chicago adjacent to Buckingham Fountain.
This activity has limited capacity. Ensure you have your supervisor's permission to participate and please sign up in advance to ensure your spot.
Last years event reached capacity quickly. This year we will not be able to accommodate last minute changes so please make sure to attend if you sign up.

GROWING POWER's GARDEN IS LOCATED AT:
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Chicago, IL 60605

REGISTER TODAY!
Pre-registration is mandatory. To sign up, go to http://fedgarden2011.eventbrite.com
Please select which date you would like to volunteer for. Select the "1" under quantity to register yourself for that date and time and then submit your registration.

QUESTIONS?
For more information please contact John Hosteny: JHosteny@cns.gov.

From: Elliott, Robert
To: Boger, Bruce
Cc: Brown, Frederick
Subject: RE: NFPA 805 Impacts
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:40:22 AM

Thanks, Bruce. Not as definitively worded as I'd like, but at least, it's acknowledged. We will be cautious in communicating with the industry on the budget realities.

(b)(5)

Thanks for info!
Rob

From: Boger, Bruce
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 7:16 AM
To: Elliott, Robert
Cc: Brown, Frederick
Subject: NFPA 805 Impacts

Rob, Thanks for sharing your enthusiasm with me after the risk-informed tech spec initiatives panel discussion at the RIC.

(b)(5)

Bruce

From: Salgado, Nancy
To: Cheok, Michael
Subject: Do you still get to eat lunch?
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:42:01 AM

I am going to Veggie Garden....want to come with me?

From: Doane, Margaret
To: Moore, Scott; Gnugnoli, Giorgio; Haney, Catherine; Camper, Larry
Cc: Smith, Shawn; Schwartzman, Jennifer; Felsher, Harry; Abu-Eid, Boby
Subject: Re: Composition of US delegation to Organizational Meeting May 10-12, 2011
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:48:03 AM

(b)(5)

Margie

Sent from an NRC Blackberry
Margaret Doane

From: Moore, Scott
To: Gnugnoli, Giorgio; Haney, Catherine; Doane, Margaret; Camper, Larry
Cc: Smith, Shawn; Schwartzman, Jennifer; Felsher, Harry; Abu-Eid, Boby
Sent: Thu Mar 10 19:01:18 2011
Subject: RE: Composition of US delegation to Organizational Meeting May 10-12, 2011

Cathy or Shawn can answer for NMSS. I'll check within OIP, (b)(5)

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Scott

From: Gnugnoli, Giorgio
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 6:43 PM
To: Haney, Catherine; Moore, Scott; Doane, Margaret; Camper, Larry
Cc: Smith, Shawn; Schwartzman, Jennifer; Felsher, Harry; Abu-Eid, Boby
Subject: Composition of US delegation to Organizational Meeting May 10-12, 2011

I wanted to pulse folks on NRC's portion of the contingent. (b)(5)

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Please let me know, if I am off base on any of this.

Giorgio

Satorius, Mark

From: Buckley, Patricia
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:50 AM
To: Boland, Anne; Barker, Allan; Holt, BJ; Ariano, Carole; Pederson, Cynthia; Heck, Jared; Logaras, Harral; Satorius, Mark; OBrien, Kenneth; Reynolds, Steven; West, Steven; Tomczak, Tammy
Subject: T&L Reminder: Pay Period 06/11

Importance: High

A reminder to submit your Time & Labor for Pay Period 06/11 (2/27/11-03/12/11) by 930 a.m. on Monday, March 14, 2011.

Thanks!

Pat

Satorius, Mark

From: Buckley, Patricia
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:51 AM
To: Cole, Christian
Cc: Tomczak, Tammy
Subject: RE: Help Request for - Pat Buckley

Thanks much!

Pat

From: Cole, Christian
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:15 AM
To: Buckley, Patricia
Cc: Tomczak, Tammy
Subject: RE: Help Request for - Pat Buckley

Hi Pat,

I have this request and I'll make sure it gets done without any problems.

Thanks,

Christian

From: HELP3 Resource
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 3:39 PM
To: Buckley, Patricia
Subject: FW: Help Request for - Pat Buckley
Importance: High

Your **computer/POWERPOINT ASSISTANCE/request** has been logged as ticket number **505681.** A member of the IT Team will contact you as soon as possible.

Please contact Tom Magee with any comments or suggestion regarding the Region III Help Desk.

Thank you,
IT Team

From: Machform [mailto:no-reply@nrc.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 3:22 PM
To: HELP3 Resource
Subject: Help Request for - Pat Buckley

Name - Pat Buckley
Email address - patricia.buckley@nrc.gov
Drop Down - General issue
Paragraph
Mark Satorius is scheduled to meet with the Palisades Licensee on Monday. March 14, 2011, in the Executive Conference Room from 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. I have attached slides that will be used by the licensee as part of their presentation to Mark Satorius and company. I am requesting a laptop computer be setup and loaded with the attached powerpoint slides submitted by the licensee prior to the 1:00 p.m. meeting.

Note: I have discussed the logistics of this meeting with Chris Cole, and request he be given the ticket to complete.

Thanks!

Pat

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From: Valentine, Nicholee

To: Astwood, Heather; Calero, Alicia; Golubski, Adam; Helton, Shana; Hiser, Diana; Hon, Andrew; Hylton, Etoy; Jones(NRR), Latoya; Kea, Ashley; Lynch, Steven; Markley, Anthony; McGovern, James; NRR_DPR_DO Distribution; NRR_DPR_PFIB Distribution; NRR_DPR_PGCB Distribution; NRR_DPR_PLPB Distribution; NRR_DPR_PRLB Distribution; NRR_DPR_PRMB Distribution; NRR_DPR_PROB Distribution; Font, Ossy; Golubski, Adam; Lappert, Glenna; Lichatz, Taylor; Lising, Jason; Lynch, Steven; McGovern, James; Reed, Elizabeth; Sloan, Scott; Torres, Paulette; Traiforos, Spyros; Voth, Marcus; Yin, Xiaosong; Zimmerman, Jacob; Purnell, Blake; Rosenberg, Stacey

Subject: Card for (b)(6) outside my office for your signature (12D7).

Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:53:50 AM

THANKS!

-Nikki

From: Powell, Amy
To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: Please call when you can
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:54:13 AM

Good morning –

Can we chat this morning when you have time? Hoping to coordinate with you…

Thanks,
Amy

Amy Powell
Associate Director
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Office of Congressional Affairs
Phone: 301-415-1673

Satorius, Mark

From: Daley, Robert
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 8:56 AM
To: Stone, AnnMarie; Satorius, Mark; Pederson, Cynthia; Reynolds, Steven; West, Steven; Giessner, John; Shear, Gary
Subject: RE: Palisades previous CDBI results
Attachments: Estimated NFPA 805 LAR_03_2011.pdf

My understanding is that you would like the schedule for Palisades' LAR submittal for NFPA 805. Please see the attached. This shows Palisades as being one of the earliest submittals and scheduled to submit by the end of May. As you may be aware; however, there may be a staggered submittal approach coming in the near future. This may, or may not affect Palisades' submittal date, because one of the concerns is NRC resources for LAR review. My bet would still be that Palisades is one of the first to submit and get approved though.

If you need any more, or different information, please let me know.

Bob Daley
Work (630) 829-9749
Cell (b)(6)

From: Stone, AnnMarie
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 5:41 PM
To: Satorius, Mark; Pederson, Cynthia; Reynolds, Steven; West, Steven; Giessner, John; Shear, Gary
Cc: Daley, Robert
Subject: Palisades previous CDBI results

Mark,

I had 2 follow-up actions from today's meeting. The first deals with NFPA 805 schedule – I'll have that information for you Monday morning. The second concerned the previous CDBI....which was conducted in November-December 2008. Two findings with violations were identified for the (1) failure to account for worst case design loading for the emergency diesel generator during design basis loss-of-coolant-accident and loss-of-offsite-power conditions and (2) failure to incorporate the appropriate emergency diesel generator load profile when calculating the emergency diesel generator fuel oil consumption. We have identified similar violations at other sites. There was one Unresolved Item involving the use of non-safety-related atmospheric dump valves in a steam generator tube rupture accident – later resolved to being acceptable through the TIA process.

Ann Marie

ESTIMATED NFPA 805 LAR SUBMITTAL SCHEDULE

Region	Site	Licensee	LAR is Due	Planned Submission Date	Comment
II	V. C. Summer	SCE&G	06/29/2011	04/30/2011	Expect these plants to submit early.
IV	Callaway	AmerenUE	06/29/2011	05/31/2011	
III	Palisades	Entergy Nuclear Operations	06/29/2011	05/31/2011	
IV	ANO 2	Entergy Nuclear Operations	06/29/2011	05/31/2011	
IV	ANO 1	Entergy Nuclear Operations	06/29/2011	06/29/2011	
IV	Waterford 3	Entergy Nuclear Operations	06/29/2011	06/29/2011	
IV	San OnoFre 2 & 3	Southern California Edison	03/28/2011	06/29/2011	Extension request under review.
I	Nine Mile Point 2	Constellation Energy	05/01/2011	06/29/2011	May withdraw or request an extension.
I	Nine Mile Point 1	Constellation Energy	06/29/2011	06/29/2011	
I	Calvert Cliffs 1 & 2	Constellation Energy	06/29/2011	06/29/2011	
I	Ginna	Constellation Energy	06/29/2011	06/29/2011	
II	Catawba 1 & 2	Duke Energy	06/29/2011	06/29/2011	
II	McGuire 1 & 2	Duke Energy	06/29/2011	06/29/2011	
II	Turkey Point 3 & 4	Florida Power & Light	06/29/2011	06/29/2011	
III	Point Beach 1 & 2	Florida Power & Light	06/29/2011	06/29/2011	
II	St. Lucie 1 & 2	Florida Power & Light	06/29/2011	06/29/2011	
III	Duane Arnold	Florida Power & Light	06/29/2011	06/29/2011	
III	D.C. Cook 1 & 2	Indiana Michigan Power Co.	06/29/2011	06/29/2011	
IV	Cooper	Nebraska Public Power Dist.	06/29/2011	06/29/2011	
III	Prairie Island 1 & 2	Nuclear Management Co.	06/29/2011	06/29/2011	
IV	Fort Calhoun	Omaha Public Power District	06/09/2011	06/29/2011	
IV	Diablo Canyon 1 & 2	Pacific Gas & Electric	06/29/2011	06/29/2011	
II	Crystal River	Progress Energy	06/29/2011	06/29/2011	
II	H. B. Robinson 2	Progress Energy	06/29/2011	08/31/2012	Declared they would submit late.
I	Beaver Valley 1 & 2	FirstEnergy Nuclear Co.	06/29/2011	06/29/2011	
III	Davis-Besse	FirstEnergy Nuclear Co.	06/29/2011	08/31/2012	Declared they would submit late.
II	Farley 1 & 2	Southern Nuclear Op. Co.	06/29/2011	12/31/2011	Submit late due to License Renewal.
III	Kewaunee	Dominion	07/21/2011	07/21/2011	No extension required.
II	Brunswick 1 & 2	Progress Energy	08/31/2011	08/31/2011	
II	Browns Ferry 1, 2, & 3	Tennessee Valley Authority	03/04/2012	03/04/2012	

02/08/2011

From: Lee, Samson
To: Nelson, Robert
Cc: Cheok, Michael; Frumkin, Daniel
Subject: FW: Challenges for License Amendment Reviews - "Fire Protection Exemptions"
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:00:35 AM

Nelson:

Please see below, previous response provided by Dan Frumkin. Please contact Dan for any clarification.

Thanks,
Sam

From: Frumkin, Daniel
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:45 AM
To: Lee, Samson
Cc: Klein, Alex
Subject: FW: Challenges for License Amendment Reviews - "Fire Protection Exemptions"

This is the response that I sent to Robert Nelson last month.

Dan

From: Frumkin, Daniel
Sent: Thursday, February 17, 2011 4:02 PM
To: Nelson, Robert
Cc: Lee, Samson; Klein, Alex
Subject: Challenges for License Amendment Reviews - "Fire Protection Exemptions"

Robert,

(b)(5)

Dan

Daniel M. Frumkin

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From: Cooper, LaToya
To: Haney, Catherine
Cc: Walker, Dwight
Subject: Phone Message (Amy Powell)
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:03:25 AM

Hi Cathy,

Amy Powell called but no message was left. Please return her call at your earliest convenience at 415-1673.

La'toya Cooper
US NRC
Division of Spent Fuel Storage and Transportation
Office of Nuclear Material Safety
and Safeguards
(301) 492-3300

From: Frye, Timothy
To: Shane, Raeann; Bergman, Thomas; Tabatabai, Omid; Johnson, Michael; Holahan, Gary
Cc: Dudes, Laura; Tappert, John; Shams, Mohamed; Williams, Donna; Burnell, Scott
Subject: RE: Update - RE: ~~OUO~~ - Sensitive Allegation Material - Potential Media/Public Inquiry Regarding Anonymous Letters Sent to the NRC Chairman Regarding AP-1000 Shield Building
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:08:23 AM

Tom/Laura

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-----Original Message-----
From: Shane, Raeann
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:31 AM
To: Bergman, Thomas; Tabatabai, Omid; Johnson, Michael; Holahan, Gary
Cc: Frye, Timothy; Dudes, Laura; Tappert, John; Shams, Mohamed; Williams, Donna; Burnell, Scott
Subject: RE: Update - RE: ~~OUO~~ - Sensitive Allegation Material - Potential Media/Public Inquiry Regarding Anonymous Letters Sent to the NRC Chairman Regarding AP-1000 Shield Building

Omid,

OCA would also like a copy of the 1/31 letter and the e-mails from (b)(6),(b)(7)(C) We have the 11/8 letter but were also unaware that other similar letters had been received.

Thanks,
Raeann

-----Original Message-----
From: Bergman, Thomas
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:28 AM
To: Tabatabai, Omid; Johnson, Michael; Holahan, Gary
Cc: Frye, Timothy; Dudes, Laura; Tappert, John; Shams, Mohamed; Williams, Donna; Shane, Raeann; Burnell, Scott
Subject: Update - RE: ~~OUO~~ - Sensitive Allegation Material - Potential Media/Public Inquiry Regarding Anonymous Letters Sent to the NRC Chairman Regarding AP-1000 Shield Building

Just to keep all informed, we have had a second press inquiry on the Markey letter, but not the referenced 11/8 letter. We are waiting to get feedback from OCA regarding their discussion with Markey's office. We will hold the comm plan until we can include this information.

Omid - can I please get a copy of the 1/31 letter on Monday that you refer to? I was unaware a similar letter had arrived. Thanks

Thomas A. Bergman
Director, Division of Engineering
Office of New Reactors
(w) 301-415-7192
(c) (b)(6)

From: Tabatabai, Omid
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 2:42 PM
To: Johnson, Michael; Holahan, Gary; Sanfilippo, Nathan; Virgilio, Martin; Brenner, Eliot; Zimmerman, Roy; Borchardt, Bill; Schmidt, Rebecca; Hackett, Edwin; Burns, Stephen
Cc: Tabatabai, Omid; Bergman, Thomas; Frye, Timothy; Vito, David; James, Lois; Jarriel, Lisamarie; Shuaibi, Mohammed; Dudes, Laura; Tappert, John; Burnell, Scott; Shams, Mohamed; Jimenez, Jose; Williams, Donna; Shane, Raeann; Rihm, Roger

Subject: ~~OUO-~~ Sensitive Allegation Material - Potential Media/Public Inquiry Regarding Anonymous Letters Sent to the NRC Chairman Regarding AP-1000 Shield Building

The attached communications plan provides background information, facts, and key messages regarding two anonymous letters that have been sent to the NRC Chairman and U.S. Congressmen Markey and Voinovich regarding Westinghouse's AP-1000 shield building design and structure. Because the NRC is treating these letters as allegations and due to the sensitive nature of NRC's Allegations Program, it is important that the NRC staff exercise caution when discussing subject letters with the media and public, specifically, not to inadvertently divulge any information concerning ongoing review of allegation matters.

Satorius, Mark

From: Buckley, Patricia
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:11 AM
To: ALL_R3
Subject: Cancellation of Regional Procedure RP-IMC-0609
Attachments: image001.png; image002.jpg

Importance: High

All - -

Subject Regional Procedure RP-IMC-0609 "Best Practices" For Managing Implementation of the Significance Determination Process – is canceled.

Roger – Please move the Regional Procedure from the active ADAMS section into the Canceled/Superseded section.

Thanks!

Administrative Assistant to Regional Administrator
ORA/Region III

Patricia.Buckley@nrc.gov
630/829-9657

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Dean, Bill

From: Lew, David
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:13 AM
To: Collins, Daniel
Cc: Lorson, Raymond; Matakas, Gina; ODaniell, Cynthia; Dean, Bill
Subject: FW: Action: Materials and Waste Annual Performance Report Concurrence by 3/24/2011
Attachments: FY10 Materials Annual Report_ML1106801221.docx; FY10 Materials Annual Report_Enclosure 1_ML1106801310.docx; FY10 Materials Annual Report_Enclosure 2 _ML1106801370.docx; FY10 Materials Annual Report_Enclosure 3_ML1106801420.pdf; FY10 Materials Annual Report_Enclosure 4_ML1106801510.docx; FY10 Materials Annual Report_Enclosure 5_ML1106801590.docx

Importance: High

Dan, Please have DNMS generate an EDATS item with the appropriate milestones, which include briefing the ORA for any significant concerns or comments. Thanks. Dave

From: White, Duane
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:55 AM
To: Camper, Larry; Haney, Catherine; Dean, Bill; McCree, Victor; Satorius, Mark; Collins, Elmo; Wiggins, Jim; McCrary, Cheryl; Zimmerman, Roy; Scott, Catherine
Cc: Campbell, Andy; Dapas, Marc; Dorman, Dan; Howell, Art; Krupnick, David; Lew, David; Moore, Scott; Pederson, Cynthia; Boland, Anne; Campbell, Andy; Caniano, Roy; Correia, Richard; Gody, Tony; Kinneman, John; Krupnick, David; Lewis, Robert; Lorson, Raymond; Safford, Carrie; Tschiltz, Michael; Louden, Patrick; Luehman, James; Cai, June; McIntosh, Angela; Layton, Michael; Evans, Michele; Doolittle, Elizabeth; Diec, David; Hilton, Nick; Matakas, Gina; Miles, Patricia; Buckley, Patricia; Owen, Lucy; Walker, Dwight; Salus, Amy; Riddick, Nicole
Subject: Action: Materials and Waste Annual Performance Report Concurrence by 3/24/2011
Importance: High

Hello All,

Attached is the draft Annual Report (SECY Paper) to the Commission On Licensee Performance in the Materials and Waste Programs for FY 2010. I ask that you review this report and provide your comments and/or concurrence to me by **COB 3/24/2011**. Please note that Enclosure 3 of the report is the Nuclear Material Events Database Annual Report for FY 2010. The NMED report is a contract deliverable and therefore does not require concurrence. However, if you like to comment on this report please feel free to do so.

For the individuals located at NRC Headquarters that are on concurrence, I will bring you a concurrence package. For the Regions, I ask that the administrative assistants print out the attached documents and prepare a concurrence package for the Regional Administrators. The Regions may send their comments and concurrence electronically to me by email.

If you should have any questions please let me know. My contact information may be found below.

Thank you,

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FSME/MSSA/RMSB
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Phone: (301) 415-6272

From: Whelan, Robert (GE Power & Water)
To: Golla, Joe
Subject: RE: LTR Review Milestone Dates and Other
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:16:19 AM

Joe: got the letter the other day. Thank you for sending and communicating that. I will be working with my team to see when they would like to get together for a follow-up phone call on the LTR, and then propose some dates. Rob

From: Golla, Joe [mailto:Joe.Golla@nrc.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, March 09, 2011 8:19 AM
To: Whelan, Robert (GE Power & Water)
Cc: SLSCAMMON@energy-northwest.com
Subject: RE: LTR Review Milestone Dates and Other

That will be acceptable Rob. Dates downstream of it will be adjusted accordingly. Final SE date (unless it gets help up in Congressional Review Act Review by Office of Management and Budget) will be Dec. 30. Joe

From: Whelan, Robert (GE Power & Water) [mailto:Robert.Whelan@ge.com]
Sent: Thursday, February 24, 2011 11:19 AM
To: Golla, Joe
Cc: SLSCAMMON@energy-northwest.com
Subject: RE: LTR Review Milestone Dates and Other

Joe: after doing some scheduling analysis for our team, I would actually request the RAI response date be changed to 8/4/11. Is that possible?

From: Golla, Joe [mailto:Joe.Golla@nrc.gov]
Sent: Thursday, February 17, 2011 9:12 AM
To: Whelan, Robert (GE Power & Water)
Subject: LTR Review Milestone Dates and Other

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Here are review milestone dates we worked out here. Let me know if you agree with these dates (I'll call and discuss them with you):

RAIs to BWROG: 5/11/11

RAI Response from BWROG: 7/25/11

Draft SE to BWROG: 10/27/11

Draft SE Comments from BWROG: 11/18/11

Final SE Issued to BWROG: 12/20/11 (Note this final date might be impacted by Congressional Review Act review by the Office of Management and Budget)

Joe Golla, Project Manager
US Nuclear Regulatory Commission
NRR/DPR/PLPB
301-415-1002

From: Russell, Andrea NRR
To: Golla, Joe NRR
Subject: RE: Pandemic Plan Appendix B
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:20:54 AM

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From: Golla, Joe
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:10 AM
To: Russell, Andrea
Subject: RE: Pandemic Plan Appendix B

Yea, fine, whatever. I'm just asking the question. (b)(6)

From: Russell, Andrea
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:01 AM
To: Golla, Joe
Subject: RE: Pandemic Plan Appendix B

(b)(5)

From: Golla, Joe
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:57 AM
To: Russell, Andrea
Subject: Pandemic Plan Appendix B

(b)(5)

Joe Golla, Project Manager
US Nuclear Regulatory Commission
NRR/DPR/PLPB
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From: FedInsider News
To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: The Preeminent Federal Senior Management Conference
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:23:25 AM

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To: Cheok, Michael
Subject: Congress failed to do its job
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:28:00 AM

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Federal Policy & Business

Congress failed to do its job

CNN: NEW YORK (CNNMoney) -- The fiscal year is 162 days old, and the federal government is still operating without a budget. And it doesn't look like one will be arriving anytime soon.

Instead, lawmakers have passed five short-term spending bills. With their next deadline, March 18 bearing down, the two parties remain miles apart on spending cuts. MORE

Budget Fight: Why the Spending Bill Failed

San Francisco Chronicle: Federal Housing Administration Commissioner David Stevens, who took over the agency in the midst of the worst economic downturn since the 1930s, announced he would soon leave his post.

Stevens, in a written statement Thursday to the FHA's staff, called his two-year term "the most intense and significant in my career." A former president of national real estate brokerage Long & Foster, he has indicated in recent months that he was considering a return to the private sector. MORE

Federal funding of public media under fire

USA Today: Public broadcasting fans have a lot more to worry about than the embarrassing tape, released this week, of a National Public Radio executive criticizing Tea Party activists, evangelical Christians and Republicans.

Critics of the federal government's $460 million a year outlay to the Corporation for Public Broadcasting (CPB) — which contributes to NPR and PBS— call the expenditure an unneeded luxury at a time when most households are awash in media. NPR CEO Vivian Schiller resigned Wednesday amid the political fallout surrounding the tape. MORE

GSA launches program to attract midsized firms to fed market

Federal Times: The General Services Administration plans a new education and training program to entice more medium-sized businesses into contracting with the government.

"While we have given tremendous focus to small-business entrepreneurs and innovators, we must not forget that there are a large number of midsize companies in the United States that are looking for opportunities to expand," White House National Economic Council senior adviser Ginger Lew said during a Thursday teleconference about the program.MORE

Government IT

Senators question how WikiLeaks breach happened

Networkworld: U.S. Army Private Bradley Manning allegedly was able to copy hundreds of thousands of classified documents from a U.S. Department of Defense network because military officials were more focused on getting critical information to troops quickly than on security, witnesses told a U.S. Senate committee Thursday.

U.S. intelligence and defense officials took a risk in not locking down the classified information in war zones, said Thomas Ferguson, principal deputy under secretary for intelligence at the U.S. Department of Defense. The DOD allowed soldiers to transfer data between its own systems and allied networks so they could "rapidly" respond to conditions in Iraq, he said. MORE

Cyber security key to America's competitiveness

Government Security News: U.S. competitiveness was a major theme of President Obama's 2011 State of the Union Address. "We know what it takes to compete for the jobs and industries of our time. We need to out-innovate, out-educate, and out-build the rest of the world," Obama opined.

Cyber security and the Internet as a trusted platform are essential to the competitiveness equation. For those of us on the frontlines, this involves forging government-industry partnerships, encouraging collaboration across government agencies and working with our school and university systems to build the next-generation "cyber capable" citizenry. MORE

Government Printing Office Overhauls Online Document System

InformationWeek: The U.S. Government Printing Office (GPO) is phasing out a nearly 17-year-old online document-access system in favor of a next-generation system for providing online access to official federal government publications. MORE

Key Army radio system has a 72 percent failure rate

Nextgov: The Defense Department's top weapons tester told lawmakers at a hearing Wednesday that a key component of the Army's battlefield network now in development failed 72 percent of the time in tests last year. The network is the centerpiece of the service's modernization strategy, according to testimony by Army Vice Chief of Staff Gen. Peter Chiarelli at the same hearing. MORE

Federal Data Center Consolidation: Initiatives and Best Practice Advice

Following the launch of a recent federal mandate to achieve $3 billion in cost savings by the end of fiscal 2012, data center consolidation leapt into a top federal IT priority with the White House leading the consolidation charge to reduce costs, lower energy consumption, improve IT security and enable a shift to more efficient IT platforms, such as cloud computing. Read this i360Gov special report to learn more about what's being done to consolidate and optimize data center resources.

Special Reports & Whitepapers

Best Practices for Achieving Migration to a Cloud Model

An i360Gov special report: Recent initiatives, including the just-published Federal Cloud Computing Strategy, the 25-point Implementation Plan to Reform Federal IT Management published in December and its accompanying 'Cloud First' acquisition strategy are forcing federal agencies to figure out how to quickly 'get their IT operations in shape' to embrace cloud computing.

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Energy Efficient Cooling for Data Centers: A Close-Coupled Row Solution

Abstract: The trend of increasing heat densities in data centers has held consistent with advances in computing technology for many years. As power density increased, it became evident that the degree of difficulty in cooling these higher power loads was also increasing. In recent years, traditional cooling system design has proven inadequate to remove concentrated heat loads (20 kW per rack and higher). This has driven an architectural shift in data center cooling. The advent of a newer cooling architecture designed for these higher densities has brought with it increased efficiencies for the data center. This article discusses the efficiency benefits of row-based cooling compared to two other common cooling architectures.

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Guide for Reducing Data Center Physical Infrastructure Energy Consumption in Federal Data Centers

Abstract: In an effort to create a clean energy economy, recent US presidents and congress have issued a series of legislation and executive orders requiring federal agencies to increase energy efficiency and reduce carbon emissions in government facilities. Vivek Kundra, Federal Chief Information Officer, is supporting that effort by establishing a Federal Data Center Consolidation Initiative to help reduce energy consumption in over 1, 100 Federal data centers. US Federal data center managers are on a timeline to respond with their final consolidation plan. This paper analyzes the implication of these mandates and offers recommendations for how to improve energy efficiency in Federal data centers. This paper is written for a US-only audience.

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Desktop Virtualization Rolls into Public Sector IT Organizations

An *i360Gov* special report. As the federal government strives to modernize IT operations, desktop virtualization is becoming one technology agencies are starting to embrace to help simplify management, improve security and reduce both costs and energy consumption.

Driven in part by the cost and space savings gained in server virtualization efforts, many public sector organizations are now investigating desktop virtualization to give federal employees and contractors more flexible access to government resources and information, while centralizing control over management, administrative and security headaches...

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Redefining 'Making Do': How state governments are leveraging technology to decrease budget deficits

An *i360Gov* special report. Excerpt: After several years on a steady diet of tight budgets, revenue shortfalls and the ongoing weakened economy, it would seem state and local governments might by now be unable to maintain current IT operations, much less build new services or applications.

However, despite ongoing hardships, states and localities have developed strong survival strategies, ferreting out cost reductions and reusing savings from ongoing data center consolidation efforts, for example, rather than seeking new funding for planned IT upgrades....

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Data Center Consolidation

An *i360Gov* special report. Excerpt: Data center consolidation is now a top federal IT priority, as the White House leads the charge in driving a government-wide effort to reduce IT costs, lower energy consumption, improve IT security and enable a shift to more efficient IT platforms, such as cloud computing.

Driven by a few recently formed initiatives, a Presidential Executive Order, memos and other guidance, federal agencies are now working out plans to streamline data center operations, gain greater efficiency and meet a mandated goal to achieve $3 billion in cost savings by the end of fiscal 2012...

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Countering Advanced Persistent Threats with Cyber Forensics

Many security teams have been caught unprepared by recent advances in targeted attacks. Multi-stage, multi-vector campaigns now steal sensitive and classified data, access privileged accounts, and spy on public sector organizations. This white paper explains the need for new security tactics and rapid response technologies to counter these advanced persistent threats. This whitepaper will demonstrate the need for forensic-grade technology in order to combat advanced persistent threats and minimize the attack surface of an agencies' sensitive data.

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Government Healthcare - Policy & IT

States Appeal Some Portions of Ruling Dismissing Health-Care Law

Bloomberg Business Week: (Bloomberg) -- Florida and 25 other states, after the U.S. appealed a ruling invalidating President Barack Obama's health-care law, said they will appeal portions of that decision and earlier ones in the case that were unfavorable to them.

Lawyers for the states said in a filing yesterday in federal court in Pensacola, Florida, that their appeal pertains to "adverse disposition of claims" in Judge C. Roger Vinson's Jan. 31 decision and any other adverse rulings in the case. The U.S. filed a notice of appeal on March 8. MORE

Massachusetts health plan gets high marks: poll

Reuters: A large majority of Massachusetts residents are satisfied with the commonwealth's subsidized health plan, which has components similar to the Obama administration's federal plan, according to a poll released on Thursday.

The poll by Market Decisions, a research and consulting group, found that 84 percent of residents are satisfied with the Massachusetts plan, which requires most adults to have health insurance. A similar requirement in President Barack Obama's health plan has been challenged by a group of states in the courts and the case is working its way through appeals. MORE

OCR will train state AGs to enforce HIPAA

Government Health IT: The Office for Civil Rights has invited the 50 state attorneys general for in-person training on HIPAA privacy and security rules, at the agency's expense, so they will be better prepared to take on expanded enforcement roles to safeguard health information privacy.

The training course will aid state attorneys general and their staff in investigating and seeking damages for violations of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) that affect residents of their states, said Sue McAndrew, OCR deputy director for health information privacy. MORE

Panel: WHO botched H1N1 response

MSNBC: LONDON — An expert panel commissioned by the World Health Organization to investigate its handling of the swine flu pandemic has slammed mistakes made by the U.N. body and warned tens of millions could die if there is a severe flu outbreak in the future.

The U.N. health agency established the review committee to evaluate its performance after the 2009 global outbreak of swine flu, or H1N1. In a draft report released on Thursday, the committee said WHO performed well in many ways, but made crucial errors. MORE

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Webinars

How server and datacenter consolidation can simplify and maximize cloud computing success

Wednesday, March 16, 2011 at 2:00 PM Eastern

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i360Gov Proof Points: How to Achieve Private Cloud Formation

Tuesday, March 22, 2011 at 2:00 PM Eastern

To comply with federal mandates, agencies are being challenged to invest in cloud computing, to reduce IT costs and streamline operations. Despite the benefits of the cloud, many questions remain about security and the privacy of sensitive or classified information. Industry observers predict the strong push toward cloud-based services will lead to a rise in private cloud implementations in the coming year.

This i360Gov educational webinar and corresponding special report will highlight what government organizations should do to ensure security, while still adhering to federal cloud-focused mandates. The tools, assistance, guidance and advice of industry experts will be incorporated into the corresponding special report, called Private Cloud Formations, which will hone in on how this technological alternative may work best for a wide range of government applications. Register Now (no cost)

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Wednesday, March 30, 2011 at 2:00 PM Eastern

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Our panelists, including Ray Miller, formerly with the NY State Dept of Health, will discuss how the process of managing paper records has evolved, what new techniques and technologies governments can employ to modernize this process, and how these improvements can impact your agency's bottom line. Register Now (no cost)

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Obama to Address Rising Energy Prices

The Wall Street Journal (online subscription required): WASHINGTON -- President Barack Obama will address rising energy prices at a news conference on Friday, but he is not expected to call for releasing oil from the Strategic Petroleum Reserve.

Unrest in the Middle East and North Africa has driven up gasoline and heating oil prices in the United States. Republicans in Congress have raised the volume on their criticism of Mr. Obama's energy policies, and some Democrats have called for Mr. Obama to release oil from the strategic reserves in an attempt to moderate prices by increasing supply. MORE

Interest in renewable energy may stick as oil prices surge

Los Angeles Times: The latest surge in oil prices may help the renewable energy industry reach a turning point after years of boom-and-bust cycles long dictated by the rise and fall in gas prices.

Solar, wind and biofuel investors and analysts said the latest run-up in prices caused by unrest in Libya and other oil-producing nations could lead to lasting interest in alternate sources of energy. MORE

Fracking blowback spooks energy industry

CNN: HOUSTON (CNNMoney) -- The oil and gas industry is reeling from attacks on what it considers one of its most important technologies -- fracking.

Protests across New York State, have temporarily banned the practice. Unfavorable coverage in the media and a scathing documentary film that was nominated this year for an Oscar also seem to have scared the industry. MORE

Natural gas won't dethrone king coal soon, panelists say

Houston Chronicle: The surge in North American natural gas supplies is shaking up the mix of U.S. electricity generation, but coal will continue as the fastest growing power plant fuel globally for years, speakers at the CERAWeek conference said Thursday.

The much-touted "shale gale," a storm of production expected to expand U.S. natural gas reserves for decades thanks to improved technology, has cut prices for the fuel to half what most analysts expected just a few years ago. MORE

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Pentagon tightens computer security in wake of WikiLeaks breach

Federal Times: Top defense and intelligence officials reiterated their commitment to information-sharing at a Senate hearing Thursday, even as they outlined new safeguards to prevent a repeat of the WikiLeaks breach that has led to the release of thousands of classified military reports and diplomatic cables.

The Defense Department, for example, is striving to proceed with needed protections "without reverting to pre-9/11 stovepipes," Chief Information Officer Teresa Takai told the Senate Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee. MORE

U.S. Navy Ill-Prepared for New Arctic Frontier: Study

Defense News: WASHINGTON - Climate change is rapidly transforming the Arctic and the U.S. Navy is falling behind as international powers jockey for power over vast oil resources, suggested a U.S. study released on March 10.

The report by the National Academy of Sciences (NAS) pointed to areas where the United States needs to bolster its forces as warming temperatures break up polar ice, raise sea levels, and potentially cause more international chaos. MORE

Don't Look Up: The Secret Space Plane Is Flying Again

Time: There's something sinister-looking about an airplane with no windows. If a Predator drone starts buzzing your neighborhood, you can be pretty sure it's not there to make friends. The same is true of a windowless space plane. The shuttle may be a flawed machine, but it's also an oddly friendly one — stub-winged and chubby, with little windows in the front that just beg for the smiling face of a pilot.

Not so the shuttle's new little brother, the 29-ft.-long (8.8 m), 15-ft.-high (4.5 m) Air Force space plane that launched in early March on what's billed as a seven-month mission, having completed an earlier nine-month flight in December. MORE

Better Efforts Needed to Stem Cross-Border Currency Smuggling, Congress Told

Homeland Security Today: US Customs and Border Protections (CBP), the lead federal agency in the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) in charge of securing our nation's borders in March 2009 was tasked by DHS Secretary Janet Napolitano to help stem the flow of bulk cash and weapons moving south by inspecting travelers leaving the United States for Mexico. MORE

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WI: A coup in Wisconsin: How the Governor got his way

Time: "The rich have gotten much richer," bellowed Jesse Jackson Jr. amid the rumble of cheering voices, horns and maracas. "Yeah!" roared back the crowd of at least 10,000 protesters who had gathered in Madison, Wis., Thursday morning.

"It's about the rights of workers," Jackson continued.

Say What?

"No man will ever bring out of the Presidency the reputation which carries him into it. . . . To myself, personally, it brings nothing but increasing drudgery and daily loss of friends."

"The rights of workers," repeated the crowd. "The rights of women," Jackson said. "The rights of women," repeated the crowd. MORE

—Thomas Jefferson

TX: Texas struggles to fill a Texas-sized budget hole

Stateline: AUSTIN, Texas — Last week, advocates for people with disabilities rallied at the state Capitol here to protest budget cuts. Eleven, including nine in wheelchairs, were arrested and charged with criminal trespass. This week, another group is organizing a far bigger rally that organizers say will draw more than 10,000 education advocates to the capitol on Saturday. MORE

Digital Divide Still Present in Washington, D.C., Broadband Map Shows

Government Technology: Washington, D.C., continues to deal with a "stark digital divide" within the city, a problem highlighted again in a broadband adoption map released Wednesday, March 9.

The online map found that the average broadband wireline adoption rate for Washington, D.C's population in 2009 was 65.3 percent. MORE

IL: Fuel prices may keep state police off the highway

TheSouthern.com: SPRINGFIELD - Drivers might see fewer Illinois State Police patrolling the roads soon if gas prices continue to rise.

State Police Interim Director Patrick Keen told a state House appropriations committee that his department's proposed budget for the next fiscal year calculates gasoline at about $3.35 a gallon. Gas at the pump is hovering above that cost right now, thanks in part to recent turmoil in the Middle East. MORE

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To:	Wiggins, Jim; Haney, Catherine; Miller, Charles; Johnson, Michael
Cc:	Evans, Michele; Dorman, Dan; Carpenter, Cynthia; Holahan, Gary; White, Duane; Kozak, Thomas; Barry, Terrence
Subject:	Request for Concurrence on AARM Invitation
Date:	Friday, March 11, 2011 9:31:37 AM
Attachments:	Audrey - April 20 2011 AARM Invitation.doc

Hello Ladies & Gents,

Attached is the 2011 AARM invitation for which I am requesting your concurrence via email. Your concurrence by March 15 would be very much appreciated.

The document can be found at ML110660145.

Thank you!

MEMORANDUM TO: Those on the Attached List

FROM: Eric J. Leeds, Director
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

SUBJECT: AGENCY ACTION REVIEW MEETING: APRIL 20, 2011

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Enclosure:
As stated

cc: Chairman Jaczko
Commissioner Svinicki
Commissioner Apostolakis
Commissioner Magwood
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AGENCY ACTION REVIEW MEETING AGENDA

April 20, 2011 8:30 am to 2:45 pm PDC Classroom D Bethesda, MD

Time	Subject	Presenter(s)
8:30 – 8:45 am	Welcome and Overview	R. W. Borchardt
8:45 – 9:30 am	Materials and Waste Performance Trending Analysis	C. Miller
9:30 – 10:15 am	Facility Discussion: Nuclear Fuel Services	V. McCree
10:15 – 10:30 am	Break	
10:30 – 11:30 am	Facility Discussion: Department of Veteran Affairs Philadelphia VA Medical Center (PVMC)	M. Satorius
11:30 am – 12:30 pm	Lunch	
12:30 – 12:50 pm	Reactor Oversight Process (ROP) Industry Trends Program	E. Leeds
12:50 – 1:30 pm	ROP Self-Assessment and Action Matrix Deviations	E. Leeds
1:30 – 1:45 pm	Break	
1:45 – 2:05 pm	Re-Integrating the Security Cornerstone into the ROP	F. Brown
2:05 – 2:30 pm	Potential Public Radiation Safety Cornerstone Enhancements	F. Brown
2:30 – 2:45 pm	AARM Wrap-Up, Adjourn Meeting	R. W. Borchardt

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Memorandum to Those on the Attached List from Eric J. Leeds dated March ##, 2011

SUBJECT: AGENCY ACTION REVIEW MEETING SCHEDULED FOR APRIL 20, 2011

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From: Doolittle, Elizabeth
To: Haney, Catherine; Damiano, Debra; Dorman, Dan; Walker, Dwight
Subject: RE: ACTION/Phone message - Annette Vietti-Cook 415-2599 (or 415-1969)
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:33:11 AM

Got it.

From: Haney, Catherine
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:30 AM
To: Damiano, Debra; Dorman, Dan; Doolittle, Elizabeth; Walker, Dwight
Subject: Re: ACTION/Phone message - Annette Vietti-Cook 415-2599 (or 415-1969)

I spoke to her. Important dan call my cell

From: Damiano, Debra
To: Dorman, Dan; Doolittle, Elizabeth; Walker, Dwight; Haney, Catherine
Sent: Fri Mar 11 09:20:46 2011
Subject: ACTION/Phone message - Annette Vietti-Cook 415-2599 (or 415-1969)

Dan/Cathy:

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You need to coordinate with OCA and OPA –

You need to redact and get electronic copies to Amy Powell, OCA, 415-1673, and she will get to the Hill.

You need to coordinate with OPA, Eliot Brenner, 415-8200, get him an electronic copy and notify him when made public. (She said to give him one hour before you make public)

From:	Doolittle, Elizabeth
To:	Damiano, Debra; Dorman, Dan; Walker, Dwight; Haney, Catherine
Cc:	Chidichimo, Gabriele
Subject:	RE: ACTION/Phone message - Annette Vietti-Cook 415-2599 (or 415-1969)
Date:	Friday, March 11, 2011 9:33:52 AM

Thanks, Deb. Will do.

From: Damiano, Debra
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:21 AM
To: Dorman, Dan; Doolittle, Elizabeth; Walker, Dwight; Haney, Catherine
Subject: ACTION/Phone message - Annette Vietti-Cook 415-2599 (or 415-1969)
Importance: High

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Owen, Lucy

From: Owen, Lucy
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:37 AM
To: Collins, Elmo
Subject: RE: LPP Extension

got it

From: Collins, Elmo
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:36 AM
To: Owen, Lucy
Subject: Fw: LPP Extension

Action for me
Thanks
Elmo

From: Chin, Allison
To: Burns, Stephen; Dyer, Jim; Doane, Margaret; Virgilio, Martin; Weber, Michael; Ash, Darren; Greene, Kathryn; Boyce, Thomas (OIS); Wiggins, Jim; Johnson, Michael; Leeds, Eric; Haney, Catherine; Miller, Charles; Sheron, Brian; Dean, Bill; McCree, Victor; Satorius, Mark; Collins, Elmo
Cc: Cohen, Miriam; Gallagher, Johanna; Johns, Nancy; Tallarico, Alison
Sent: Fri Mar 11 10:10:30 2011
Subject: LPP Extension

Hello All:

The deadline for reviewing your LPP packages and turning in your quartile rankings and vote sheets has been extended to April 8, 2011.

The expanded ERB meeting will take place on April 22, 2011.

Thanks,

ALLISON CHIN, HR SPECIALIST
REACTOR PROGRAM SUPPORT BRANCH, OHR
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[FAX] **301-415-3818**
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Satorius, Mark

From: Mail Delivery System [MAILER-DAEMON@mail1.nrc.gov]
To: kenneth@ob.nrc.gov
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:38 AM
Subject: Undeliverable: NSIR/DPR Newsletter for Internal Distribution

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kenneth@ob.nrc.gov
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To: "Pederson, Cynthia" <Cynthia.Pederson@nrc.gov>, "Reynolds, Steven"
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Return-Path: Mark.Satorius@nrc.gov

Fw: NSIR/DPR
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Satorius, Mark

From: Satorius, Mark [Mark.Satorius@nrc.gov]
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:37 AM
To: Pederson, Cynthia; Reynolds, Steven; 'kenneth@ob'
Subject: Fw: NSIR/DPR Newsletter for Internal Distribution

From: Tadesse, Rebecca
To: Lorson, Raymond
Cc: Trapp, James
Subject: RE: Holtec/CMU trip
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:39:16 AM

Ray,

The following are the contact people for the trip to Holtec and CMU

Pierre P. Oneid
Senior VP and CNO for Holtec
856-797-0900 Ext. 700

Tim McNulty
External Relations Coordinator, CMU
(412)608-9285

From: Lorson, Raymond
Sent: Wednesday, March 09, 2011 4:46 PM
To: Tadesse, Rebecca
Cc: Trapp, James
Subject: Holtec/CMU trip

Rebecca:

Do you have POC's (or have you been working with POC's) and have phone numbers to support each visit? It may come in hand if we get caught in traffic.

Thanks

Ray

Bozin, Sunny

From: Nieh, Ho
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:43 AM
To: Herr, Linda
Subject: RE: NRC and Its Environment
Attachments: image001.gif

Thanks Linda.

Ho Nieh
Chief of Staff
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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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ho.nieh@nrc.gov

From: Herr, Linda
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 11:53 AM
To: Nieh, Ho
Cc: Ostendorff, William
Subject: NRC and Its Environment

Ho:
Here is the info I rec'd from the organizer's requesting WCO's to speak request and subject.
Hope this helps!
Linda

-----Original Message-----
> From: John Haskell (b)(6)
> Sent: Tuesday, February 15, 2011 9:11 AM
> To: Herr, Linda
> Cc: Mark Nadel
> Subject: Re: good morning!
>
> Hi Linda,
>
> First, I am cc'ing my colleague, Mark Nadel, who is working with me on this program. You can communicate with either of us -- his office is next door to mine. :-)
>
> We are very glad that the commissioner can do this. Like I told you, I have met him once or twice in the past when he was a congressional staffer and have been looking forward to including him on an NRC program.
>
> We will schedule him for 8am-9am in B-369 Rayburn House Office Building, March 31. He knows exactly where that is. As for parking, he is likely to know more than I as I take metro there. Having said that, on the rare occasions I do drive I use the lot under the freeway on S. Capitol St. Coming from the west on Independence Ave, you take
> a right on Washington St then bear right on South Capitol. The lot is on the right just past the police station. I suspect Cmr Ostendorff knows where this is.
>
Other commissioners, including Chairman Jaczko, talk about how the Commission deals with Congress and why Congress is important to the agency. Dr. Jaczko has done a very interesting

speech on why he thinks Congress is really "the boss" of the agency. Others, including Merrifield and Lyons, also did great speeches -- theirs were along the lines of how the commissioners deal with members of Congress and staffers, how the agency needs to be a resource for staff on Capitol Hill, etc. All of these talks have been well-received, and the commissioners have gotten a lot of questions.
>
> The course usually has about 30-35 agency people in it. They come from all parts of the agency, including a few from the regions, and are usually highly graded. The agency does not share the list with us usually until the week of the program. Frankly, you're more likely to be able to find out who is coming than we are!
>
> Again, Linda, thank you for setting this up. We will send you the agenda, which will include congressional staff, stakeholders, GAO, Becky Schmidt from congressional affairs, and others, once we have it nailed down.
>
> Best, John (and Mark)
>
> John Haskell
> Senior Fellow and Curriculum Chair
> Government Affairs Institute at Georgetown University
> (O)
> (C) (b)(6)

Linda Herr
Administrative Assistant to
Commissioner William C. Ostendorff
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green Please consider the environment before printing this e-mail.

Bozin, Sunny

From: Nieh, Ho
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:54 AM
To: (b)(6)
Subject: Contact info

Dear Mark – thanks for the info on the course.

My contact info is below.

Best wishes,

Ho

Ho Nieh
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Owen, Lucy

From:	Conly, John [John.Conly@luminant.com]
Sent:	Friday, March 11, 2011 10:08 AM
To:	Aitken, Diane; Barrie, Ashley; Bell, Russ; Bird, Bobby; Borsh, Gina; Buschbaum, Denny; Bywater, Russell; Caldwell, Jan; Carver, Ronald; Certrec; Ciocco, Jeff; Clouser, Tim; Collins, Elmo; Conly, John; Cosentino, Carolyn; Degeyter, Brock; Evans, Todd; Flores, Rafael; Frantz, Steve; Freitag, Al; Hamzehee, Hossein; Hoshi, Masaya; Ishida, Mutsumi; Johnson, Michael; Kawanago, Shinji; Keithline, Kimberley; Kellenberger, Nick; Koenig, Allan; Kramer, John; Lucas, Mitch; Madden, Fred; Matthews, David; Matthews, Tim; McConaghy, Bill; Monarque, Stephen; Moore, Bill; ComanchePeakCOL Resource; Onozuka, Masanori; Paulson, Keith; Plisco, Loren; Reible, Robert; Rund, Jon; Simmons, Jeff; Singal, Balwant; Sirirat, Nan; Sprengel, Ryan; Takacs, Michael; Tapia, Joe; Tindell, Brian; Turner, Bruce; Volkening, David; Vrahoretis, Susan; Williamson, Alicia; Willingham, Michael; Woodlan, Don
Cc:	Hill, Craig
Subject:	Schedule Update
Attachments:	TXNB-11012 Schedule Update.pdf

Luminant has submitted the attached letter to the NRC updating the CPNPP Units 3 and 4 schedule. If there any questions regarding the submittal, please contact me or contact Do Woodlan (254-897-6887, Donald.Woodlan@luminant.com).

Thanks,

John T. Conly

COLA Project Manager

(254) 897-5256

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March 11, 2011

U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Document Control Desk
Washington, DC 20555
ATTN: David B. Matthews, Director
Division of New Reactor Licensing

SUBJECT: COMANCHE PEAK NUCLEAR POWER PLANT, UNITS 3 AND 4
DOCKET NUMBERS 52-034 AND 52-035
SCHEDULE UPDATE

REFERENCE: Letter logged TXNB-10029 (Proprietary) from Rafael Flores of Luminant to the NRC, dated March 31, 2010, transmitting a Schedule Update to the Combined License Application for Comanche Peak Nuclear Power Plant, Units 3 and 4.

Dear Sir:

Luminant Generation Company LLC (Luminant) submits herein schedule updates for Comanche Peak Nuclear Power Plant (CPNPP) Units 3 and 4. The most recent schedule for these units was provided in the referenced letter. Since it was submitted, the NRC has issued revisions to the US-APWR certification schedule and the CPNPP Units 3 and 4 COL application review schedule.

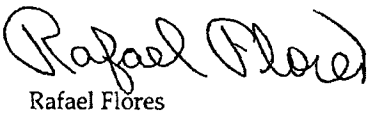
On February 24, 2011, the NRC released a revised schedule for review of MHI's design certification application that calls for issuance of the US-APWR design certification in October 2013. The NRC cited extended design certification review in three topical areas as reasons for its decision to extend the review schedule. Subsequently the NRC extended the review schedule for the CPNPP combined license application to November 2013. As members of the US-APWR Design Centered Working Group, MHI, Luminant and Dominion Virginia Power are working together to support timely review completion and issuance of the design certification. The revised COL schedule, along with commercial and pre-COL investment considerations, led Comanche Peak Nuclear Power Company to extend the scheduled commercial operation dates for Units 3 and 4 to Q3 2021 and Q2 2022, respectively.

Please address any correspondence regarding this schedule update to Don Woodlan, Manager, Nuclear Regulatory Affairs, P.O. Box 1002, 6322 North FM 56, Glen Rose, TX 76043. You may also contact Mr. Woodlan directly at 254-897-6887 or by email at Donald.Woodlan@luminant.com.

There are no commitments in this letter.

Sincerely,

Luminant Generation Company LLC



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From: Moore, Scott
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Subject: RE: Composition of US delegation to Organizational Meeting May 10-12, 2011
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 10:08:48 AM

FYI (to just you): (b)(5)

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Scott

From: Haney, Catherine
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:07 AM
To: Moore, Scott; Gnugnoli, Giorgio; Doane, Margaret; Camper, Larry
Cc: Smith, Shawn; Schwartzman, Jennifer; Felsher, Harry; Abu-Eid, Boby
Subject: Re: Composition of US delegation to Organizational Meeting May 10-12, 2011

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From: Moore, Scott
To: Gnugnoli, Giorgio; Haney, Catherine; Doane, Margaret; Camper, Larry
Cc: Smith, Shawn; Schwartzman, Jennifer; Felsher, Harry; Abu-Eid, Boby
Sent: Thu Mar 10 19:01:18 2011
Subject: RE: Composition of US delegation to Organizational Meeting May 10-12, 2011

Cathy or Shawn can answer for NMSS. I'll check within OIP, (b)(5)

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From: Gnugnoli, Giorgio
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 6:43 PM
To: Haney, Catherine; Moore, Scott; Doane, Margaret; Camper, Larry
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Subject: Composition of US delegation to Organizational Meeting May 10-12, 2011

I wanted to pulse folks on NRC's portion of the contingent. (b)(5)

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Please let me know, if I am off base on any of this.

Giorgio

From:	Lent, Susan
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Subject:	Forthcoming Meeting with Southern California Edison Company
Date:	Friday, March 11, 2011 10:11:39 AM
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TO : Michael T. Markley

FROM : James R. Hall

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To: Satorius, Mark; Pederson, Cynthia
Subject: RE: awards

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From: Satorius, Mark
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 11:23 AM
To: Cohen, Miriam; Pederson, Cynthia
Subject: Fw: awards

Miriam. When you get the word to go ahead, pls inform Cindy Pederson as I will be on leave.
Mark Satorius

From: Virgilio, Martin
To: Leeds, Eric; Wiggins, Jim; Johnson, Michael; Dean, Bill; McCree, Victor; Satorius, Mark; Collins, Elmo
Sent: Thu Mar 10 13:11:20 2011
Subject: awards

FYI

From: Cohen, Miriam
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 1:10 PM
To: Virgilio, Martin
Cc: Tracy, Glenn; Shay, Jason; Ash, Darren; Weber, Michael; Picon-Colon, Reinaldo
Subject: RE: awards

Thanks for asking Marty. The Commission recently approved the list. We will work with you and the ODs to get the word out first to the folks and then we can do the Yellow Announcement.

Miriam

From: Virgilio, Martin
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 12:59 PM
To: Cohen, Miriam
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Subject: awards

Miriam

What's the status of the MS and DS awards?

Marty

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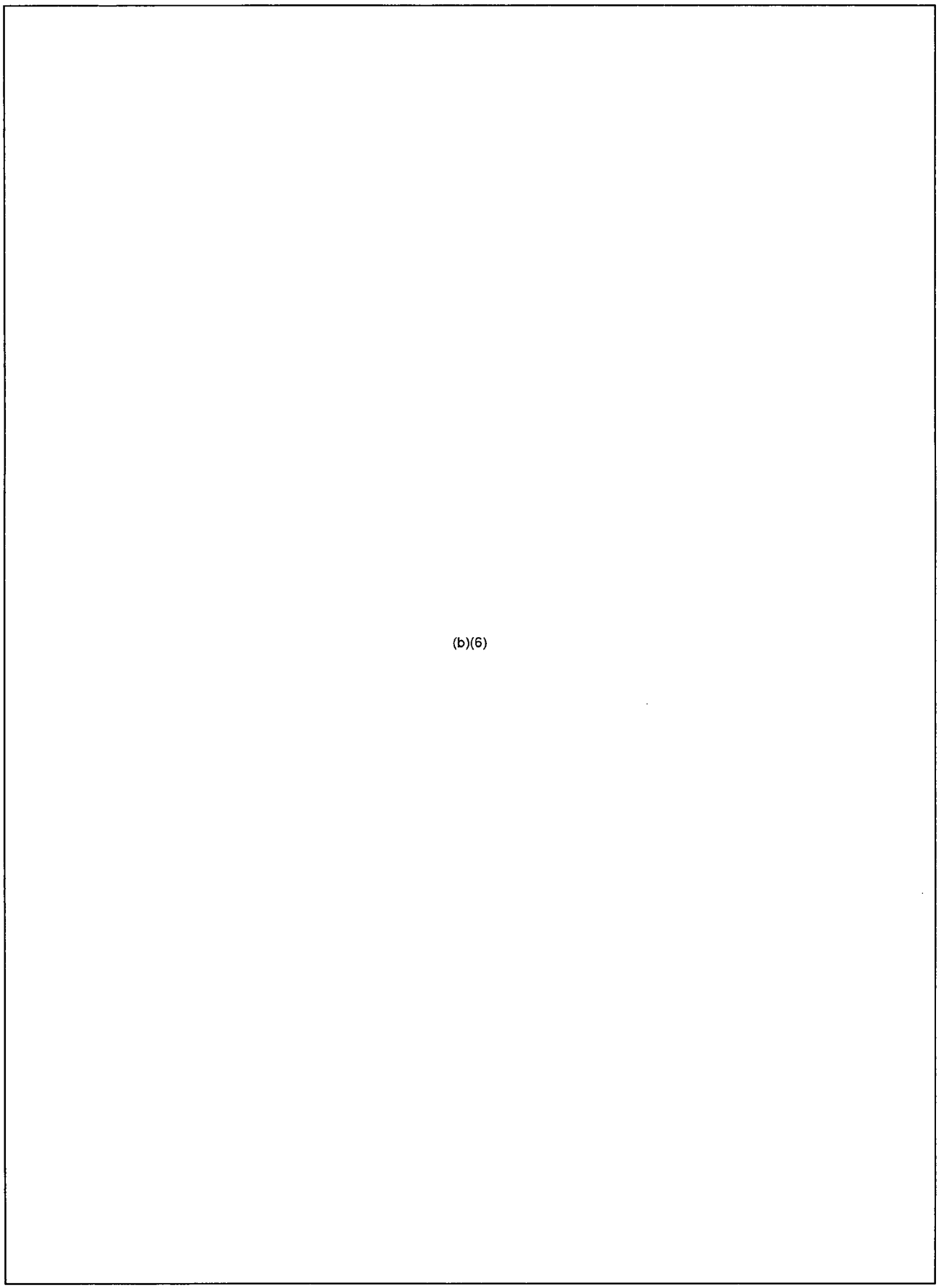
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Subject: Crisis Communication Plans Using Modern Techniques Are Criticaly Important

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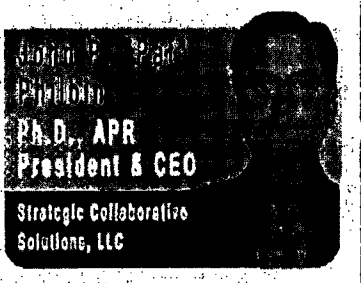

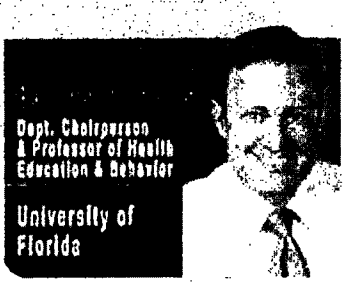

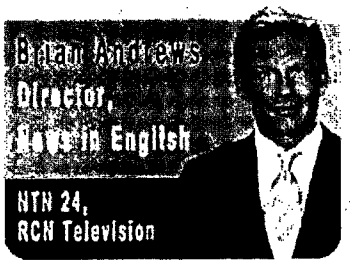

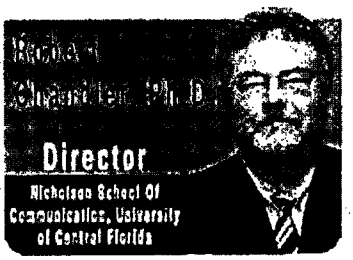

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* Journalists/Reporters
* Continuity of Operations Planners
* Media Relations Professionals
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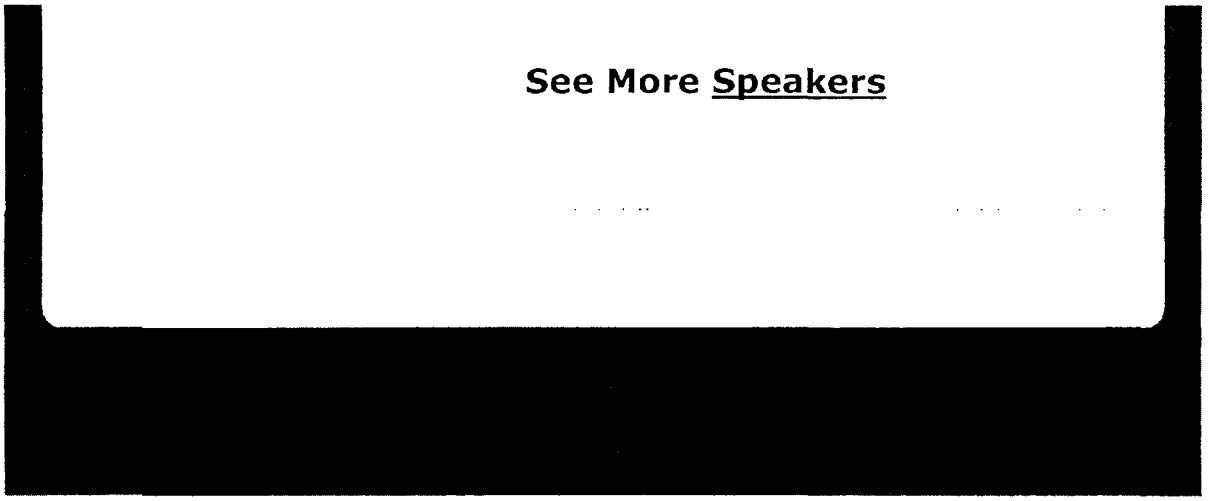
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Subject: FW: Slides for Chairmen Briefing on Robinson ASP
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Here you go.

From: Hunter, Christopher
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:18 AM
To: Bowman, Gregory; Rogers, Walt; Nease, Rebecca; Croteau, Rick
Cc: Demoss, Gary; Coyne, Kevin; Bowman, Gregory
Subject: RE: Slides for Chairmen Briefing on Robinson ASP

Sorry.

From: Hunter, Christopher
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:17 AM
To: Bowman, Gregory; Rogers, Walt; Nease, Rebecca; Croteau, Rick
Cc: Demoss, Gary; Coyne, Kevin; Bowman, Gregory
Subject: Slides for Chairmen Briefing on Robinson ASP

Attached are the updated slides. Based on a meeting with NRR yesterday afternoon, we have move the more technical slides to the back and we'll see where the Chairman wants to take the briefing. I have incorporated all the comments I have received. I will be bringing 30 copies to meeting.

Thanks,

Christopher Hunter

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From: Kennedy, Kriss
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 10:44 AM
To: Collins, Elmo; Howell, Art; Dricks, Victor; Uselding, Lara; Maier, Bill; Gaddy, Vincent
Subject: Fw: River Bend Closeout Letter for Apparent Violations in Decommissioning Funding Report Review Process

FYI

This email is being sent from an NRC Blackberry device.

From: McGinty, Tim
To: Kennedy, Kriss; Pruett, Troy; Nelson, Robert; Hall, Randy; Scott, Catherine; Couret, Ivonne; Ashley, MaryAnn; Hilton, Nick; Wittick, Brian; Trapp, James
Cc: Blount, Tom; Quay, Theodore; Regan, Christopher; Simmons, Anneliese; Fredrichs, Thomas; Safford, Carrie; Jehle, Patricia; Uttal, Susan
Sent: Fri Mar 11 11:39:33 2011
Subject: River Bend Closeout Letter for Apparent Violations in Decommissioning Funding Report Review Process

Colleagues – just an FYI. I don't expect any significant response or interest in my signing out this letter today, but just in case, I wanted you to be aware.

We pursued 3 apparent violations based on River Bends March 2009 report. Ultimately, no additional enforcement action was taken, as communicated in the letter to River Bend. However, the letter rather sternly informs Entergy of the NRC's expectations with respect to the financial assurance requirements for reporting and contracts used for financial assurance. It sends the message that a licensee should practice clarity and full explanation when it prepares its decommissioning funding report.

Thank you to the many folks that helped us throughout this process. An important message has been sent.

If you have any questions, give me or Tom Fredrichs a call. Tim

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From: Fredrichs, Thomas
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 10:47 AM
To: Safford, Carrie; Jehle, Patricia; Uttal, Susan
Cc: McGinty, Tim; Blount, Tom; Quay, Theodore; Regan, Christopher; Simmons, Anneliese
Subject: River Bend Closeout Letter

Carrie, Patty, and Susan,

The River Bend closeout letter will be signed today. It does a good job of informing Entergy of the NRC's expectations with respect to the financial assurance requirements for reporting and contracts used for financial assurance. It sends the message that a licensee should practice clarity and full explanation when it prepares its decommissioning funding report. I'm OK with that.

Sincerely,

Tom F.

From:	Richards, Stuart
To:	Boyce, Tom (RES)
Cc:	Case, Michael
Subject:	FW: ACRS Summary Report
Date:	Friday, March 11, 2011 10:45:37 AM
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Tom

Note RG info in the attached.

Thanks
Stu

From: Flory, Shirley **On Behalf Of** RidsResOd Resource
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 4:20 PM
To: Rini, Brett; Hudson, Daniel; Armstrong, Kenneth; Case, Michael; Coe, Doug; Coyne, Kevin; Gibson, Kathy; Richards, Stuart; Sangimino, Donna-Marie; Scott, Michael; Sheron, Brian; Uhle, Jennifer; Valentin, Andrea
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Subject: ACRS Summary Report

Letter to the Honorable Gregory B. Jaczko, Chairman, from Said Abdel-Khalik, ACRS Chairman, dated March 9, 2011, Subject: Summary Report – 580th Meeting of the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards, February 10-12, 2011.

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Thank you
Sherry

UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON REACTOR SAFEGUARDS
WASHINGTON, DC 20555 – 0001

March 9, 2011

The Honorable Gregory B. Jaczko
Chairman
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555-0001

SUBJECT: SUMMARY REPORT – 580th MEETING OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON REACTOR SAFEGUARDS, FEBRUARY 10-12, 2011

Dear Chairman Jaczko:

During its 580th meeting, February 10-12, 2011, the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS) discussed several matters and completed the following reports, letters, and memorandum:

REPORTS

Reports to Gregory B. Jaczko, Chairman, NRC, from Said Abdel-Khalik, Chairman, ACRS:

- Report on the Safety Aspects of the License Renewal Application for the Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station, dated March 1, 2011

- Report on the Safety Aspects of the South Carolina Electric and Gas Company Combined License Application for V.C. Summer Nuclear Station, Units 2 and 3, dated February 17, 2011

- Comparison of Integrated Safety Analysis (ISA) and Probabilistic Risk Assessment (PRA) for Fuel Cycle Facilities, dated February 17, 2011

- Current State of Licensee Efforts to Transition to National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Standard 805, dated February 17, 2011

- SECY-11-0014, "Use of Containment Accident Pressure in Analyzing Emergency Core Cooling System and Containment Heat Removal System Pump Performance in Postulated Accidents," dated February 17, 2011

LETTERS

Letters to R. W. Borchardt, Executive Director for Operations, NRC, from Said Abdel-Khalik, Chairman, ACRS:

- Draft Final Regulatory Guides 1.34, 1.43, 1.44, and 1.50, dated February 24, 2011
- Response to the January 21, 2011, EDO Letter Regarding the Safety Culture Policy Statement, dated February 28, 2011

MEMORANDUM

Memorandum to R. W. Borchardt, Executive Director for Operations, NRC, from Edwin M. Hackett, Executive Director, ACRS:

- Proposed Regulatory Guide DG-1254, dated February 17, 2011

HIGHLIGHTS OF KEY ISSUES

1. Final Safety Evaluation Report Associated with the License Renewal Application for the Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station Units 1, 2, and 3

The Committee met with representatives of the NRC staff and Arizona Public Service Company (APS or the applicant) to discuss the staff's final Safety Evaluation Report (SER) related to the license renewal application for the Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station (PVNGS). The presentations of the applicant and the staff described efforts to resolve one open item and five confirmatory items identified in the draft SER. The applicant and staff also discussed five additional items identified after the draft SER was issued in August 2010. The open item was related to questions that arose during the staff's review of metal fatigue. The confirmatory items were related to the application of scoping criteria in 10 CFR 54.4(a)(2), the Flow-Accelerated Corrosion Program, one-time inspections of ASME Code Class 1 small-bore piping, wall thinning due to flow-accelerated corrosion, and consistency of aging management reviews with the Generic Aging Lessons Learned Report. The five additional items discussed included the Inaccessible Medium Voltage Cables Not Subject to 10 CFR 50.49 Environmental Qualification Requirements Program, Buried Piping and Tanks Inspection Program, NUREG/CR-6260 limiting locations and pressurizer heater penetrations, the Selective Leaching Aging Management Program, and steam generator tube denting and welds susceptible to primary water stress corrosion cracking. The applicant and the staff concluded that the applicant's programs and commitments are adequate to close the open and confirmatory items. The staff concluded that the requirements of 10 CFR 54.29(a) have been met.

Committee Action

The Committee issued a report to the NRC Chairman on this matter dated March 1, 2011, recommending that the application for renewal of the operating licenses of the Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station units be approved.

2. Final Safety Evaluation Report Associated with the Virgil C. Summer Units 2 and 3 Combined License Application

The Committee met with representatives of the NRC staff and South Carolina Electric and Gas Company (SCE&G) to discuss the Combined License Application (COLA) for the V.C. Summer Nuclear Station (VCSNS), Units 2 and 3. This application conforms to the design-centered review approach (DCRA). The DCRA is Commission policy which allows the staff to perform one technical review and reach a decision for each COLA standard issue outside the scope of the design certification and to use this review and decision to support decisions on multiple COLAs. The first COLA that receives a complete NRC staff review is designated as the reference COLA (RCOLA). Any subsequent application referencing the same design is designated as a subsequent COLA (SCOLA). The VCSNS COLA is an AP1000 SCOLA.

The VCSNS COLA incorporates by reference the Westinghouse Electric Company AP1000 Design Certification Amendment application. The staff and the SCE&G representatives highlighted the COLA, including departures from the AP1000 design control document (DCD); standard and site-specific exemptions; and the site-specific designs. The applicant presented observations from onsite excavation activities and discussed basic geologic and seismic information, surface faulting, site geotechnical characterization and foundations, and vibratory ground motion. The applicant discussed the only additional exemption of note from the DCD and described its affects on the AP1000 systems due to a change in the maximum, safety, non-incident wet bulb temperature. In the discussion of the interfaces between the Liquid Radwaste and Waste Water System, the applicant explained their design considerations in meeting the regulatory requirements. The Waste Water System design incorporated industry operation experience and lessons learned. The applicant also discussed various aspects of emergency planning including emergency plan design, emergency facilities, emergency response, emergency planning zone, and public awareness.

Committee Action

The Committee issued a letter to the NRC Chairman on this matter dated February 17, 2011, concluding that there is reasonable assurance that VCSNS, Units 2 and 3, can be built and operated without undue risk to the health and safety of the public and recommended that the SCOLA for VCSNS be approved following its final revision. The Committee also concluded that recommendations 2 through 5 in the January 24, 2011, letter concerning the Vogtle Electric Generating Plant, Units 3 and 4, RCOLA are also applicable to the VCSNS, Units 2 and 3, SCOLA. Finally, the Committee recommended that the staff limit the use of the current version of the HABIT code to neutral density gas dispersion modeling.

3. Comparison of Integrated Safety Analyses (ISAs) for Fuel Cycle Facilities and Probabilistic Risk Assessments (PRAs) for Reactors

The Committee met with representatives of the NRC staff and the Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI) to discuss the staff's white paper entitled "A Comparison of Integrated Safety Analysis (ISA) and Probabilistic Risk Assessment (PRA)." In a May 12, 2010, Staff Requirements Memorandum (SRM), the Commission directed the staff to prepare this paper and present it to the ACRS for their review. The staff's presentation described the functions of ISAs, the functions of PRAs, safety evaluations performed under 10 CFR Part 70, and risk significance determinations for fuel cycle facilities. The staff concluded that ISAs are adequate for establishing the safety basis for fuel facilities and that case-by-case analyses to determine risk significance is efficient. The staff discussed possible future directions for the fuel cycle oversight process. The NEI representative expressed confidence in the current usage of ISAs.

Committee Action

The Committee issued a letter to the NRC Chairman on this matter dated February 17, 2011, concluding that ISAs, in combination with practices required by current regulations, are adequate for the protection of the health and safety of workers and the public, and for licensing fuel cycle facilities. The Committee also concluded that for more complex facilities, the use of a PRA approach is advantageous because it provides a basis for prioritization of safety systems and maintenance activities. The Committee also recommended that the staff continue to develop and test the use of PRA-like analyses to help assess the risk significance of inspection findings for fuel cycle facilities.

4. Current State of Licensee Efforts to Transition to National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Standard 805

The Committee met with representatives of the Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI), Electric Power Research Institute (EPRI), and NRC staff to discuss the issues which impact the fire protection program transition to NFPA 805. The NEI representative noted that industry is very supportive of achieving closure of fire protection issues. In January 2008, industry identified "lack of realism" in NUREG/CR-6850 (EPRI 1011989) as a concern. The subsequent Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) process clarified portions of the guidance in NUREG/CR-6850, but concluded that further work is needed. In December 2009, NEI notified the Commission of industry's continued concerns and initiated the EPRI fire PRA action matrix. In December 2010, NEI submitted a report documenting industry's basis for the concern that fire PRA results are not consistent with plant operating experience. This report also outlined fire PRA areas requiring improvement in order to achieve enhanced realism in fire PRA methods. NEI and industry representatives presented a comparison of PRA results with operating experience. The EPRI representative identified areas in need of additional realism and described a research plan to achieve these improvements.

The staff's presentation described the history, current status, and path forward for performance-based fire protection guidance. The staff stated that pilot plant activities are complete and infrastructure documents have been prepared. The Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR) plans to begin receiving and reviewing license amendment request (LAR) from non-pilot plants in mid-year 2011. The staff believes that fire PRAs have matured sufficiently to make regulatory decisions in support of implementing 10 CFR 50.48(c). The staff stated that NUREG/CR-6850 is a guidance document, not a regulatory requirement. Therefore, licensees can deviate from these methods, and a process exists to allow these methods to be refined. However, proposed methods must have a sound technical basis. The staff stated that FAQs were established to provide interim staff approval of changes to NEI 04-02 guidance. PRA-related FAQs were incorporated in a supplement to NUREG/CR-6850. Lessons learned during pilot-plant reviews were reflected in revisions to RG 1.205, the LAR template, and the safety evaluation template. The staff plans to develop a paper on additional lessons learned from the pilot process. In conclusion, the staff stated that fire PRA methods will continue to evolve and they will continue to work interactively and collaboratively with industry.

Committee Action

The Committee issued a report to the NRC Chairman on this matter dated February 17, 2011, concluding that the methods and guidance in NUREG/CR-6850, supplemented by the clarifications and enhancements in NUREG/CR-6850 Supplement 1, provide a sound technical basis for the development of fire PRA models and analyses to support the transition to a risk-informed licensing framework in accordance with NFPA 805 and 10 CFR 50.46(c). The Committee also recommended that the staff consider establishment of a mutually-agreed-upon firm schedule for sequential submittals of LARs. The February 17, 2011, report contains several other specific recommendations regarding fire PRA models, methods, and databases.

5. Draft Final Regulatory Guide (RG)1.34, "Control of Electroslag Weld Properties;" RG 1.43, "Control of Stainless Steel Weld Cladding of Low-Alloy Steel Components;" RG 1.44, "Control of the Processing and Use of Stainless Steel;" and RG 1.50, "Control of the Preheat Temperature for Welding of Low-Alloy Steel"

The Committee met with representatives of the NRC staff to discuss the proposed changes to RG 1.34, RG 1.43, RG 1.44, and RG 1.50. The staff's presentation described the proposed changes to these RGs, the resolution of public comments, and the staff's response to comments on RG 1.44 made by members during an earlier ACRS subcommittee meeting. The draft final RGs provide detailed and up-to-date guidance on welding processes and materials for fabrication of reactor components and guidance to help alleviate cracking caused by welding processes. RG 1.34 deals with weld solidification cracking and weld toughness, RG 1.43 deals with underclad cracking, and RG 1.50 deals with delayed hydrogen cracking. RG 1.44 focuses on the prevention of Intergranular Stress Corrosion Cracking (IGSCC) caused by sensitization of stainless steel. The staff addressed comments made by members during an ACRS

subcommittee meeting on RG 1.44 concerning the lack of sufficient data to indicate that standard grade stainless steels experience significant IGSCC in Pressurized Water Reactor (PWR) environments and the dissolved oxygen levels associated with the onset of IGSCC. In response to these comments, the staff discussed several editorial clarifications made to the text in Section B and Section C of RG 1.44.

Committee Action

The Committee issued a letter to the Executive Director for Operations on this matter dated February 24, 2011, recommending that RG 1.34, 1.43, and 1.50 be issued as final. The Committee recommended that RG 1.44 not be issued until the following changes are made: (1) the language proposed by the staff during the February 10-12, 2011 meeting be incorporated into the guide to address the Committee's concerns on the use of standard grade stainless steels and the description of PWR water chemistry; and (2) guidance should be added to address the deleterious effects of cold work caused by post weld grinding on IGSCC and Irradiation Assisted Stress Corrosion Cracking susceptibility of welded AISI Type 300 stainless steel components.

6. SECY-11-0014, "Use of Containment Accident Pressure in Analyzing Emergency Core Cooling System and Containment Heat Removal System Pump Performance in Postulated Accidents"

The Committee met with representatives of the NRC staff to discuss SECY-11-0014. This document responds to an SRM that directed the staff to discuss the areas in which the staff aligns with the ACRS and disagrees with the ACRS regarding crediting of containment accident pressure (CAP) in the calculation of the net positive suction head of the emergency core cooling system and containment heat removal system pumps. The staff summarized their analysis of three specific issues identified in the SRM. On the defense-in-depth issue, the staff position is that regulations do not require independence of barriers. On the issue of the use of risk information, the staff position is that for operating plants there is no basis to require risk information if license applications are not risk-informed and the staff has not identified any "special circumstances" that could rebut the presumption of adequate protection. For new reactors, the staff acknowledges that supplemental risk information can be requested. The third issue relates to the practicality of plant modifications that eliminate the need for CAP credit. The staff asserts that it is not within their regulatory authority to judge the practicality of a design. Moreover, the staff has never asked licensees whether it was impractical to alter the design.

Committee Action

The Committee issued a report to the NRC Chairman on this matter dated February 17, 2011, concluding that they continue to support the recommendations and positions described in their May 19, 2010, letter report. The Committee also noted that the disagreement between their position and that of the staff appears to have increased.

7. Proposed Regulatory Guide DG-1254

The Committee has no objection to the staff's proposal to issue Draft Regulatory Guide DG-1254, "Qualification of Connection Assemblies for Nuclear Power Plants," for public comments but would like an opportunity to review the draft final version of this guide after the reconciliation of public comments.

RECONCILIATION OF ACRS COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS/EDO COMMITMENTS

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- The Committee considered the EDO's response of January 26, 2011, to conclusions and recommendations included in the December 20, 2010, ACRS report on the long-term core cooling for the Westinghouse AP1000 pressurized water reactor. The Committee decided that it was satisfied with the EDO's response

- The Committee considered the EDO's response of January 21, 2011, to conclusions and recommendations included in the December 15, 2010, ACRS report on the safety culture policy statement. The Committee issued a response letter to the Executive Director for Operations on this matter, dated February 28, 2011.

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SUBJECT: SUMMARY REPORT – 580th MEETING OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON REACTOR SAFEGUARDS, February 10-12, 2011

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From: Baxley, Dana
To: Golla, Joe
Subject: RE: BWROG Prop Det Letter ML11066A007
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 10:46:19 AM

OK. Thanks so much.

From: Golla, Joe
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 10:18 AM
To: Baxley, Dana
Subject: RE: BWROG Prop Det Letter ML11066A007

It's checked out to Nathan. ☹ He's out today. I'll wait until Monday or have system administrator check it back in.

From: Baxley, Dana
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:59 AM
To: Golla, Joe
Subject: RE: BWROG Prop Det Letter ML11066A007

Joe,
ADAMS is not giving me the checkin or cancel checkout options. The properties page says check out by "adamsxt_ps_synchronizer" Does your system show me as person who has it checked out?

From: Golla, Joe
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:43 AM
To: Baxley, Dana
Subject: RE: BWROG Prop Det Letter ML11066A007

Oh, -that explains that puzzlement.

From: Baxley, Dana
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:41 AM
To: Golla, Joe
Subject: RE: BWROG Prop Det Letter ML11066A007

Joe,
The IT representative was at my computer yesterday working because my computer is 1 of 200 in the agency who is not receiving the automatic updates. I was trying to make the corrections but the document went crazy in the original ADAMS system so I didn't realize it was checked out. I will cancel my checkout immediately so you can use the document. Thanks.

From: Golla, Joe
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:32 AM
To: Baxley, Dana
Subject: BWROG Prop Det Letter ML11066A007

Dana- you started to review my proprietary determination letter I stored in ADAMS P8 (Accession No. ML11066A007) and tried to make some changes. You gave the paper copy back to be (was in my mail slot this morning) with a note saying that you tried to make the marked up changes (indicated on the paper copy) but that your system has not

been upgraded with the new ADAMS. Two things; are you sure your system has not been upgraded? I think everyone in DPR has it. Maybe you should call the help line. Also, somehow you managed to check the document out so I can't make the changes to it. Joe

Joe Golla, Project Manager
US Nuclear Regulatory Commission
NRR/DPR/PLPB
301-415-1002

Satorius, Mark

From: Snow Federal Seminars, Inc [paytond@snowseminars.com]
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 10:50 AM
To: Satorius, Mark
Subject: CSRS & FERS Training In YOUR Area!!

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From:	Owen, Lucy
To:	R4
Cc:	Trapp, James; McMillan, Joseph; Borden, William
Subject:	Issued: RN0102, OIG Liaison Program Visit to Region IV, April 20, 2011
Date:	Friday, March 11, 2011 10:50:25 AM
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March 11, 2011

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A. Purpose:

As part of the ongoing Office of Inspector General (OIG) Liaison Program, Joseph McMillan, Assistant Inspector General for Investigations, and William Borden, Special Agent, OIG, will be visiting the Region IV Office April 20, 2011. In addition, the OIG will make a presentation at the 2 p.m. April Current Events Meeting.

B. Discussion:

Messrs. McMillan and Borden will be located in office 1206, Ext. 492. You may also contact Mr. Borden by cell phone (301) 832-1800 or by e-mail (wxb1@nrc.gov) to schedule an appointment, or you may drop by the room listed above.

cc by EMail:
RIV OEDO Coordinator (James Trapp)
J. McMillan, OIG
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From: Wittick, Brian
To: Trapp, James
Subject: Fw: CA Briefing on potential ROP changes - NEW LOCATION
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 10:54:45 AM
Importance: High

FYI

Sent from NRC BlackBerry
Brian Wittick
(b)(6)

From: Hart, Ken
To: Ammon, Bernice; Bavol, Rochelle; Bupp, Margaret; Burns, Stephen; Clark, Lisa; Coggins, Angela; Davis, Roger; Hart, Ken; Laufer, Richard; Reddick, Darani; Sexton, Kimberly; Shea, Pamela; Vietti-Cook, Annette; Zorn, Jason; Baggett, Steven; Castleman, Patrick; Franovich, Mike; Hipschman, Thomas; Batkin, Joshua; Marshall, Michael; Orders, William; Sharkey, Jeffry; Snodderly, Michael; Thoma, John; Warnick, Greg
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Sent: Fri Mar 11 10:31:39 2011
Subject: FW: CA Briefing on potential ROP changes - NEW LOCATION

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Thanks, Ken

From: Wittick, Brian
Sent: Tuesday, March 08, 2011 3:30 PM
To: Laufer, Richard; Hart, Ken; Bavol, Rochelle
Cc: Klett, Audrey; Trapp, James; Andersen, James; Muessle, Mary; Brown, Frederick
Subject: FW: CA Briefing on potential ROP changes

COMMISSIONER'S ASSISTANT BRIEFING REQUEST:

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Brian Wittick
Executive Technical Assistant for Reactors
Office of the Executive Director for Operations
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
301-415-2496 (w); (b)(6) (c)

From: Trapp, James
To: Wittick, Brian
Subject: RE: CA Briefing on potential ROP changes - NEW LOCATION - CHANGE AGAIN - BACK TO 18
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 10:59:00 AM

Got it. Thanks

From: Wittick, Brian
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 10:56 AM
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301-415-2496 (w); (b)(6) (c)

From: Rogge, John
To: Matakas, Gina; Doerflein, Lawrence; Conte, Richard; Trapp, James; Hansell, Samuel
Subject: FW: REPLY
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 11:03:55 AM

Thought you guys may be interested in what Sam is doing.

From: Sam Collins [mailto:(b)(6)]
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 11:00 AM
To: Rogge, John
Subject: REPLY

John: In response, I have set up a LLC with me as the single member. I am "on my own" with three current contracts (PSEG; FPL/NextEra and cengllc) for Subcommittee Chair or Full committee Chair on NSRB/CNRB. I am also picking up individual tasking jobs as they come my way, with potential for international work around the corner. Trying to pace myself, but having difficulty with managing my obligations, and keeping up with the administrative/support work. I was at the RIC last week and experienced a different role as a consultant, mostly networking and listening to the Commissioners. Give my best to the Team-trust I'll see you around the hood, and down the road. Sam

Sam Collins
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-----Original Message-----
From: Rogge, John [mailto:John.Rogge@nrc.gov]
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:28 AM
To: (b)(6)
Subject: RE: REPLY re: Two assighments

We have Steve Barr and others trying to find out. Mostly, CNN coming in. San Onofre in UE waiting for it. People keep asking me what you are up to. Any news? Interesting signature. Is this a new independent you or part of a group.

From: Sam Collins [mailto:(b)(6)]
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:52 AM
To: Rogge, John
Subject: REPLY re: Two assighments

Got it, thanks for the update. Any news on the Nucs. In Japan? Sam

Sam Collins
Samuel J. Collins Consulting, LLC
Nuclear Safety + Governance + Outreach Services
Cell: (b)(6)
Home: (b)(6)
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-----Original Message-----
From: Rogge, John [mailto:John.Rogge@nrc.gov]
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:24 AM

To: Rogge, John
Subject: Two assighments

Ms. Mary Jane Ross-Lee has been selected as Director, Division of Facilities and Security, ADM, effective March 14, 2011.

Prior to this appointment, Ms. Ross-Lee served as Chief, Research and Test Reactors Branch, Division of Policy and Rulemaking, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR). Ms. Ross-Lee joined the NRC in 1997 and served in several capacities in the Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards, including Nuclear Engineer, Project Engineer, and Senior Project Manager. During 2005 to 2009, she served as Chief, Operating Experience Branch, Division of Inspection and Regional Support, NRR. Prior to joining the NRC, she worked in a variety of positions, including nuclear submarine Chief Test Engineer for the Department of Defense at Pearl Harbor Naval Shipyard; and at other facilities including the positions of plant design support engineer, engineering manager of special nuclear materials, and nuclear engineer/project manager.

Ms. Ross-Lee received a Bachelor of Science degree in Nuclear Engineering from Penn State University and a Master of Business Administration from the University of Portland, Oregon.

She is a 2009 graduate of the SES Candidate Development Program.

Ms. Ross-Lee is located at T-03/D03 and can be reached at 301-415-3281 or MaryJane.Ross-Lee@nrc.gov

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Ms. Kala Shankar has been selected as Chief, Multimedia Communications Branch, Division of Administrative Services, ADM, effective March 14, 2011.

Ms. Shankar began her NRC career in ADM in 2006 where she worked as a Senior Contract Specialist in the Division of Contracts. Prior to joining the NRC, she served as a Contracting Officer at the National Library of Medicine and at the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, National Institutes of Health.

She has a Bachelor's degree in Accounting, a Master's degree in Mass Communication and Journalism, and a Master's degree in Business Administration from Salisbury University.

Ms. Shankar is a graduate of the NRC 2010 Leadership Potential Program.

Ms. Shankar is located in Room T6-E25 and can be reached at (301) 415-1408 or Kala.Shankar@nrc.gov.

Please join me in congratulating Ms. Ross-Lee and Ms. Shankar on their selections.

From: Wiggins, Jim
To: Johnson, Michael; Leeds, Eric
Cc: Evans, Michele
Subject: Re: WGIP activity? CSFI
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 11:08:11 AM

Mike-

(b)(5)

----- Original Message -----
From: Johnson, Michael
To: Diane.JACKSON@oecd.org <Diane.JACKSON@oecd.org>
Cc: Leeds, Eric; Wiggins, Jim; Evans, Michele; Rasmussen, Richard; Thorp, John; Pasquale, Daniel; Dudes, Laura; Kobetz, Timothy
Sent: Fri Mar 11 09:57:22 2011
Subject: RE: WGIP activity? CSFI

Thanks Diane. I think our interest is in a number of areas like what regulators have in way of requirements regarding CFSI, how they oversee implementation of those requirements, regulator response protocols in the event CFSI(items) are found and how we communicate/share information among regulators and the licensees. (I don't think that currently much is being done.)

We would need to think which WG would be lead, but it clearly impacts WGOE, WGIP and WGRNR.

I'll reach out to Eric/Tim and other internal stakeholders to support a proposal. (b)(4)

(b)(4)

Mike

-----Original Message-----
From: Diane.JACKSON@oecd.org [mailto:Diane.JACKSON@oecd.org]
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:35 AM
To: Johnson, Michael
Subject: FW: WGIP activity? CSFI

From: JACKSON Diane, NEA/SURN
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 2:26 PM
To: mike.johnson@nrc.gov; laura.dudes@nrc.gov; Eric Leeds (Eric.leeds@nrc.gov)
Cc: Thorp, John; tim.kobetz@nrc.gov
Subject: WGIP activity? CSFI

Mike, Eric and Laura -

With regards to CSFI, would the NRC want a WGIP/ inspection activity or report on CSFI? (b)(4)

(b)(4)

To help with the timetable of this year, Tim Kobetz could write a proposal and send it by email to me (and then I forward it to all WGIP) now, so WGIP could present to CNRA in June. If you/we can get

another country to support (Canada, maybe?) in WGIP, then it should go through. If we can do the WGIP approval by email, then it could be presented/approved by CNRA at the June meeting. The following week in June is the WGIP meeting in Helsinki, so they could work on the questionnnaire. How quickly you want the report will help dictate how many and how detailed the questions should be. This could work as a follow-on to the brief discussion of the topic in the workshop.

Diane

From: JACKSON Diane, NEA/SURN
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 2:16 PM
To: Pasquale, Daniel; Thorp, John
Cc: laura.dudes@nrc.gov
Subject: RE: WGOE: CSFI report

Hi Dan and all -

I am looking at my inbox, (all-be-it) webmail, and I don't see something from last week.
Sorry if something you have already sent has not been incorporated.

What I recently send to John is the latest I have. If you have sent more ...first...thank you! and second...let's get in.

Also, above what you have already put in the report, given that Mike Johnson is concerned about CSFI and would like to use CNRA as a vehicle, this is an opportunity to add even more.

I want to make sure this report is everything it can be for the NRC to get out its message and concerns to the international community.

Diane

From: Pasquale, Daniel [Daniel.Pasquale@nrc.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, March 09, 2011 3:55 PM
To: Thorp, John; JACKSON Diane, NEA/SURN
Cc: Rasmussen, Richard
Subject: RE: WGOE: CSFI report

Can either of you help us understand what is meant by the "draft CFSI report". Is this the WGOE survey from Paris. If so I submitted a significant contribution just last week. Are you asking me to update it to include something to address the Mike Johnson's concerns, or was that a different request for a separate document due also by the end of March 2011?

Dan

-----Original Message-----
From: Thorp, John
Sent: Wednesday, March 09, 2011 6:55 AM
To: Diane.JACKSON@oecd.org
Cc: Dudes, Laura; Pasquale, Daniel
Subject: RE: WGOE: CSFI report

Thanks Diane!

We'll jump into this and have our updated/strengthened input to you by end of March, NLT 5 April.

John

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From: Diane.JACKSON@oecd.org [mailto:Diane.JACKSON@oecd.org]
Sent: Wednesday, March 09, 2011 6:39 AM
To: Thorp, John
Cc: Dudes, Laura
Subject: WGOE: CSFI report

Dear John -

As we discussed on Monday with Dan P, here is the draft CSFI report that you and he can add additional information on events, facts, etc for further the NRC interests and concerns out to the international community. Consider if there are recommendations you would like to add. Please forward it to Dan.

I have cc'd Laura Dudes on this email since the topic (not the report) was discussed at the CNRA bureau meeting last night.

Given NRC is on a short timetable, I think we want this report to the CNRA in June. Which means, ideally... getting to CNRA in early May, getting it to WGOE in early April, getting it back from you end of March/early April.

Give me a call if we should discuss further..(b)(6) (a text may be easier if possible, since it will be silenced during the RIC presentations)

Diane

From: (b)(6)
To: Grobe, Jack
Subject: (b)(6)
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 11:30:51 AM

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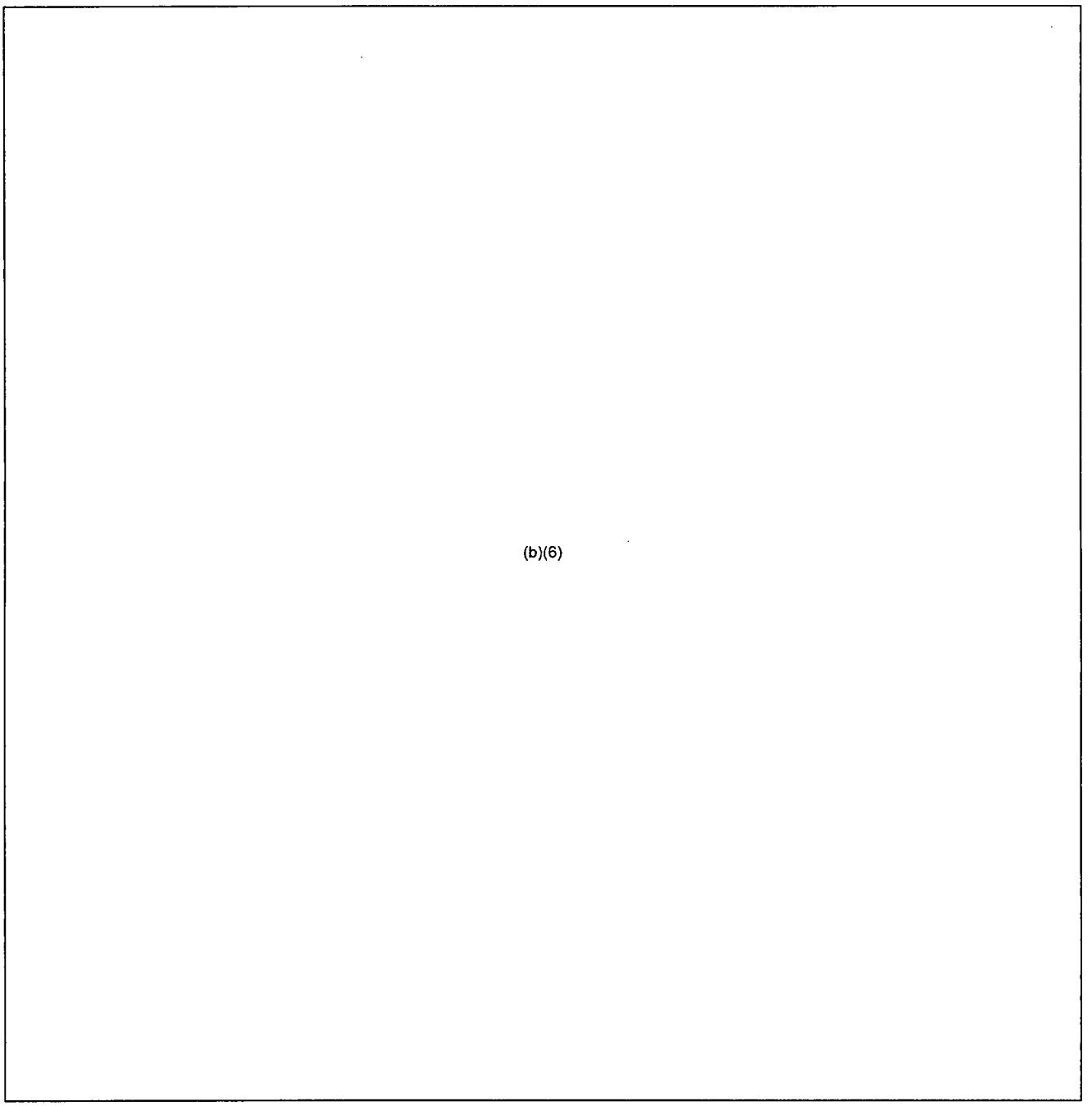
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Cathy,

To follow up on your discussion with our SMMB branch, Doug and I reinforced expectations to the BCs to ensure we are further aligned across the technical and licensing groups when accepting or declining a licensing application under the new acceptance review procedure. We have completed the first round of division training on the new procedure, and have offered staff the opportunity below to request any additional training, where needed. We'll continue to check in with staff on this area.

Thanks for the feedback.

Vonna

From: Ordaz, Vonna
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SFST,

Thanks to all the staff that contributed to the attached OI-14, Rev. 1, "Acceptance Review Process" and RIS 2011-03, "Issuance of SFST-14, Acceptance Review Process." The work that went into this revised process should help us build "quality" into the licensing process, while enabling the applicants to improve on their submittals. The upfront acceptance review process should benefit the overall review of the application in an effort to become more efficient and effective.

Our new challenge will be to consistently implement the new procedure, which is up to both our technical and licensing staff. We're almost complete with the first round of training on the new procedure. Given the importance of this OI, I want to make sure we are consistently following the new process. Please let your supervisor know if additional training on the revised procedure would be helpful.

Thanks,
Vonna

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ACCEPTANCE REVIEW PROCESS

1.0 PURPOSE AND APPLICABILITY

The purpose of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (NRC's) Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards (NMSS), Division of Spent Fuel Storage and Transportation (SFST), Office Instruction No. 14, "Acceptance Review Process," is to provide guidance to SFST staff (staff) who conduct acceptance reviews for new applications and licensing amendments submitted under: Title 10, Part 71, "Packaging and Transportation of Radioactive Material," of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR Part 71); requests from Department of Transportation for recommendations for revalidations under International Atomic Energy Agency TS-R-1; 10 CFR Part 72, "Licensing Requirements for the Independent Storage of Spent Nuclear Fuel, High-Level Radioactive Waste, and Reactor-Related Greater than Class C Waste"; and other licensing actions such as exemption requests or responses to a Request for Additional Information. This Office Instruction provides staff a basic framework for performing an acceptance review upon receipt of a Requested Licensing Action (RLA). The objectives of this Office Instruction include:

- Promote consistency in the performance of acceptance reviews;
- Establish the priority of acceptance reviews and define time frames for completion to facilitate resource management; and
- Reduce unnecessary delays, and increase the efficiency in the review of RLAs.

The acceptance review process is designed to support both safety and timeliness objectives by helping to ensure that applicants provide adequate information to support a detailed staff review of applications falling within the scope of this Office Instruction. The quality of a RLA has a significant impact on the amount of staff resources expended in the review process. RLAs that include information of a sufficient scope and depth allow staff to focus its efforts on reviewing the technical and regulatory adequacy of the information put forth by the applicant. When a RLA lacks critical information necessary for the staff to complete its review (e.g., analyses/calculations or use of new or unconventional methodologies without proper justification), additional staff and applicant time and resources will be required to complete the review. Therefore, the acceptance review process, which provides for early identification of insufficient information, benefits both staff and the applicant.

This Office Instruction will not be applied to RLAs that are clearly acceptable for review as

determined by the Project Manager (PM). Examples of such RLAs include renewal requests or simpler requests, which may include one-time authorization requests.

2.0 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS AND DEFINITIONS

During the acceptance review, the staff conducts an administrative and technical sufficiency review. The staff's technical sufficiency review ensures that the application contains sufficient technical information, in scope and depth, for the staff to not only conduct a detailed technical review, but to complete it within a predictable time frame. Standard Review Plans (SRPs) and Interim Staff Guidance (ISG) documents provide guidance to the staff on performing their reviews of RLAs. These documents may be used, in part, to evaluate and determine completeness. The acceptance review process does not determine the technical correctness of the applied methodologies or the accuracy of the results; rather, the acceptance review process increases the likelihood that SFST will expend resources on applications that will ultimately be successful. This approach supports both efficient and timely review of the application. The acceptance review process is intended to ensure SFST only reviews high quality applications. Incomplete or poor quality applications will normally be rejected.

The acceptance review should be completed as soon as practical, but should not take longer than 60 days. For simple and routine amendment requests, 30 days or less is the goal. Unless otherwise noted, all time frames are defined as calendar days. Staff may, depending on workload, case familiarity, and priority, begin the RLA acceptance review in parallel with docketing the RLA into the Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) (if the applicant sends a copy of the application to the PM at the time it also submits the application to NRC's Document Control Desk).

Requests for Supplemental Information (RSIs): RSIs are information requests needed to support beginning a detailed technical review and are requested during the acceptance review. RSIs are distinguished from Requests for Additional Information (RAIs), as RAIs are needed to determine whether a regulatory requirement is met and are typically requested after the detailed technical review has begun. Appendix C of this Office Instruction (OI), "Examples of Requests for Supplemental Information," contains examples of RSIs that may occur and a discussion of each as to whether it would cause an RLA to not be acceptable for review. The examples are provided as only a guide.

Requests for Additional Information (RAIs): Performance of an adequate acceptance review, using the Division's technical assets, may reduce RAIs by identifying missing information or other elements of an incomplete application. The Division's goal is zero RAIs during the overall review of the application. However, SFST recognizes one round of RAIs may be needed. Minimizing the number of RAIs requires the applicant to provide a complete safety case in its initial submittal, and the staff to do a sufficient acceptance review, as well as a complete detailed technical review before any RAIs are issued. There should rarely be second round of RAIs based on new areas of review.

SFST Operating Plan Metrics: "SFST Operation Plan Casework Performance Measures" (reference SFST Office Instruction No. 10, Section 2.5) start when SFST receives an acceptable application. Therefore, the metric start date depends on whether staff requests supplemental information. If the application is determined to be acceptable for a technical review without the

need for RSIs, the metric start date is the same date as the NRC receipt date of the RLA (i.e., the date the RLA is added to ADAMS and distributed to SFST staff via E-RIDS distribution). If staff generates RSIs, then the metric start date will be when the applicant provides an adequate response to the RSIs (i.e., the date the applicant's RSI letter is received, if the response is adequate). SFST's operating plan metrics are to: (1) complete 80% of transportation cases within 225 days and 100% of the cases within 2 years (excluding RAI response time); and (2) complete 80% of the storage cases within 383 days and 100% of the cases within 2 years (excluding RAI response time).

Readily Available Information: Information that can be provided by the applicant within 15 days, such that the staff's review resources and schedules will not be adversely affected and the detailed technical review can proceed. Considerations that could adversely affect resources and schedules include availability and complexity of the outstanding items, work priorities, PM and technical staff availability, and other casework.

Acceptable for Review: A staff conclusion that the application appears to contain sufficient technical information, both in scope and depth, to complete the detailed technical review in a predictable time frame. This time frame typically includes one round of RAIs.

3.0 PROCESS OVERVIEW

A high level breakdown of acceptance review procedure follows:

- PM distributes RLA to technical branches within 7 days after the NRC receipt date (i.e., the date the RLA is added to ADAMS and distributed to SFST staff via E-RIDS distribution), or earlier if possible.

- PM sends an acknowledgement e-mail to the applicant within 7 days of the NRC receipt date, acknowledging receipt of the application in ADAMS and commencement of the acceptance review.

- PM and Technical Review Directorate (TRD) communicate any RSI(s) to each other within 35 days of NRC receipt of the RLA, or earlier if possible or if an earlier schedule was established.

- PM issues RSI(s) within 60 days of NRC receipt of the RLA, or earlier if possible or if an earlier schedule was established.

- Applicant responds to RSI(s) within 15 days of the applicant receiving the RSI(s), or earlier if possible.

- TRD reviews the applicant's RSI response for adequacy and responds to the PM within 15 days of TRD receiving the RSI responses, or earlier if possible.

- SFST accepts or rejects the RLA, informs the applicant, and documents results. If the RLA is acceptable, the PM emails the applicant within 5 days and sends the acceptance letter within 21 days of SFST accepting the application. If the RLA is unacceptable due

to unresponsive RSIs, the PM informs the applicant within 14 days. After informing the applicant, the PM issues the non-acceptance letter within 3 working days.

The level of effort expended in the acceptance review of RLAs is based on many factors and may vary significantly. Therefore, in performing the acceptance review, the expectation is that an individual staff member, typically, should be able to complete the acceptance review in a relatively short period of time. Experience has shown that most acceptance reviews can be completed within about 24 review hours per staff reviewer. However, due to the complexity and uniqueness of the review, a reviewer may need more time. Should the reviewer determine that the acceptance review will exceed 24 staff review hours, the reviewer should identify the need for additional review time and discuss the reasons with the TRD Branch Chief (BC) and the PM. The TRD BC will determine the appropriateness of the request for additional review time.

4.0 ACCEPTANCE REVIEW GUIDANCE

4.1 Distribution and Involvement

When SFST receives an application, the Licensing Branch (LB) BC will assign a PM for the RLA. Once the RLA has been entered into ADAMS, or earlier if possible, the assigned PM will request a Technical Assignment Control (TAC) number to be opened, create a schedule, and obtain the names of the assigned technical reviewers (to perform the acceptance review) from the TRD BCs. The PM will also send an acknowledgement e-mail to the applicant within 7 days of the NRC receipt date, acknowledging receipt of the application in ADAMS and commencement of the acceptance review (see Appendix B of this OI for an example of an acknowledgement e-mail).

Time spent performing the acceptance review should be charged to the same TAC number associated with the detailed technical review.

4.2 Acceptance Review Criteria

The following acceptance review criteria highlights the key elements that should be contained in an RLA and potential questions that the staff should address during the acceptance review. Application of the following criteria should not replace sound technical and regulatory judgment. In certain circumstances, there may be situations where, although evaluation of an RLA against the criteria would suggest one action, another may be more appropriate, based on engineering judgment and staff recommendations to SFST management. In the instances where such circumstances occur, the basis for decisions that deviate from the criteria should be well understood and clearly documented in the acceptance review related correspondence.

4.2.1 Project Manager Criteria

- **Administrative Criteria:** Determine whether the RLA includes information described in appropriate Regulatory Guides, such as Regulatory Guides 3.48, 3.61, and 7.9, and other administrative criteria, including:
    - Identify actions where applicants have requested an expedited review, and provided a basis for the expedited review;

- Determine whether the applicant appropriately identifies deviations from the SRP or ISG, concerning application sections that the PM is cognizant (e.g. Sections 1, 7 and 8 for transportation PMs);
- Verify the applicant properly identifies proprietary information, justifies, and includes the affidavit (addressed to the Document Control Desk, submitted under Oath and Affirmation) in accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 (technical aspects of the proposed proprietary information may require review by technical groups). To expedite the review, the applicant should consider providing both a proprietary version and a non-proprietary/non-sensitive unclassified non-safeguards information (SUNSI) version. In this way, a public version of the application will be available in ADAMS sooner;
- Verify attachments are included and that significant references are available;
- Ensure contents of the application are legible and coherent (contents may include evaluations, drawings, and data tables);
- Ensure that the format and content of the application sections is consistent with established criteria, and that deviations are explained and applicable references are provided;
- Confirm that the applicant provided instructions on updating NRC's copy of the Safety Analysis Report (SAR). While providing SAR updates is not required to begin a detailed technical review, providing SAR updates up front may significantly reduce review time as often SAR updates are needed in order for staff to determine regulatory compliance;
- Specific to Part 72 amendments, the applicant should provide proposed Final Safety Analysis Report (FSAR) update pages that are based upon the current design and contents that are proposed for use in the amendment request, including any changes that were made beforehand in accordance with 10 CFR 72.48. The applicant should demarcate, or otherwise indicate, portions of the FSAR and design that were changed in accordance with 10 CFR 72.48, separate from changes requested in the amendment. FSAR update pages are required prior to approval.

- **Use of Guidance:** Determine whether the RLA cites guidance not yet adopted by the NRC. Examples include draft American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) Code cases or Code cases approved by external codes and standards organization as an exception to current code or standard practices. Guidance not yet adopted or incorporated by NRC may be used as the basis for a new application or a proposed change. However, the applicant should supply justification and technical basis to support the change or departure from current adopted or internal guidance. Simply citing guidance is not acceptable. Perform a review that is sufficient to determine if any reference guidance or documents have been misapplied and ensure that the SAR for the RLA is clear. Staff should also ensure that internal draft guidance or unadopted external guidance, whether in draft or final form, is not used as a basis for determining whether an application is acceptable for review, unless proper justification is provided.

- **Additional Criteria:** For certain RLAs, ensure that the applicant addresses any specific criteria associated with a particular action. These criteria are typically identified either in the regulations (10 CFR Part 71 or 10 CFR Part 72), or in associated guidance. An example is when the applicant uses an alternative to NRC guidance, where the applicant

should justify the acceptability of the proposed alternative. Reviewing an alternative may require additional review time and resources. Another example would be failure of the applicant to have applied for an NRC approved quality assurance program either prior to the RLA or along with the RLA.

- **Dependent/Linked RLAs:** Determine whether the approval of the RLA is contingent upon the approval of other RLAs currently under review. An RLA might not be accepted for NRC review and approval if the dependency would inhibit the review. SAR change pages submitted with linked RLAs should include changes for both RLAs. It is important to note that if multiple RLAs that affect the same storage cask design or transportation package or Technical Specifications (TSs) are unrelated, it may be possible to issue these RLAs in any order and without regard to the results of the review of the others. Close engagement between the applicant and PM concerning any queries on dependency is encouraged.

4.2.2 Technical Staff Criteria

- **Completeness of Scope:** Determine if there are significant analyses/evaluations or detailed summaries of the analytical calculations[1] missing from the RLA, as provided for in the applicable SRP or ISG. Ensure representative input/output files for any relevant calculation packages are included and/or thoroughly documented.

  Often, the appropriate analysis scope and depth are designated in industry codes and standards such as Regulatory Guides. An RLA lacking a relevant analysis, or a required evaluation, necessary for the staff review, should not be considered acceptable for review. Determine that the applicant fully identifies SRP/ISG deviations or necessary exemptions. The reviewer should cite the basis for the needed analysis (regulation, SRP, ISG, Regulatory Guide, industry standard, etc.).

- **Sufficiency of Information:** Determine if the RLA provides the expected content identified in the related SRP sections including applicable ISGs. Determine if the RLA contains sufficient technical information in scope and depth to begin and complete the detailed technical review within a predicable time frame (no more than one round of RAIs).

  Reviewing for technical sufficiency enables the staff to identify significant deficiencies in the RLA, which would preclude the staff from starting its technical review or that would potentially require significant time and resources to resolve, and could challenge the ability for staff to reach a finding of reasonable assurance in a predictable time frame. Technical staff may use various measures for such criteria, such as the volume and magnitude of questions that could be generated based simply on the initial reading of the application. If significant problems or deficiencies are identified, the RLA should not be considered acceptable for review.

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1 Detailed summaries should include: a) all files and/or calculation packages in list form including final revision number and detailed description of the calculation; and b) the documented calculations are complete and immediately available to staff upon request during the detailed technical review

- **Alternatives or Missing Information:** Determine if the RLA identifies alternatives to or does not address the provisions contained in the applicable SRP or ISG. Determine if a technical justification and a basis for the alternative or omission have been provided. An RLA lacking significant justification and basis should not be considered acceptable for review.

- **Regulatory Basis:** Determine whether the applicable regulations and criteria are properly identified. The applicant should identify the criteria used to determine that the RLA meets regulatory requirements. The staff may use guidance documents such as the SRPs or ISGs for review of RLAs. Meeting guidance criteria is not a regulatory requirement; however, this may facilitate a timely review. Staff should be cognizant that the applicant may have evaluated a proposed change contained in the RLA in a different manner. Regardless, the staff should be able to identify the applicable criteria and licensing bases by which to evaluate the proposed action based on the information contained in the application. When alternatives are provided, the staff should spend extra time verifying the completeness of the scope and bases of the alternate methodology.

- **Use of Issued Guidance:** Determine whether industry codes, ASME code cases, Regulatory Guides, NRC Technical Reports (NUREGs), or ISGs cited in the application are used in accordance with the limitations and conditions imposed by staff on their use or imposed by the document itself.

  Appropriate guidance constitutes any of the documents listed that have been published and in effect for a minimum of 6 months prior to submittal of a RLA for an amendment or 1 year prior to submittal of an RLA for a new application. An exception to this standard would be in those cases where deviation from these recently approved guidance documents would create a safety concern. Using different standards or codes (or the use of codes outside the limitations adopted by the NRC staff) may be acceptable when the applicant has provided a full analysis to justify why the proposed use is appropriate. However, simply referencing standards, codes or code cases is unacceptable. Additionally, deviations from guidance should not be considered acceptable unless fully justified. If reports are cited in the RLA, sufficient information should be submitted along with the reports for the staff to judge the quality and applicability of the information.

  Use of Precedent: The use of precedents may be acceptable if it provides a resource savings by allowing the technical staff to make use of information from previous reviews of sufficiently similar approved RLAs. A previous precedent of approval, of and by itself, is not a justification for a proposed change. Determine whether cited precedents are justified and used appropriately and whether any deviations from the precedent appear to be justified.

  Previous staff approval of a cited precedent does not automatically approve the acceptance of the precedent's method or results for the RLA (staff's determination for the use or applicability of a precedent to the RLA may be influenced by new safety-significant knowledge and information that was not available in the past). Because certain past staff approvals may be based on unique or specific provisions contained in

the previous evaluations, or unique or specific circumstances, its use in another evaluation may not be appropriate unless the applicant addresses all of the provisions which the staff considered when approving the precedent. The technical staff should be aware that, in addition to inappropriate use of a cited precedent, there may also be applicable precedent that was not cited. Evaluation against such criteria is not meant to initiate an exhaustive search, but instead promote awareness of any readily available information or knowledge pertinent to the RLA.

When precedents are cited, or documents identified as having been previously submitted to the NRC are cited, either an ADAMS Accession Number or a copy of appropriate pages of these documents should be provided. If a large document (over 20 pages) is cited, the page or section numbers of the citation should be identified to best facilitate location of the information. In addition, the applicant should provide information that indicates the basis for a precedent used by one Vendor is applicable for another Vendor's design. In all cases, the application should contain sufficient information for staff to make a safety finding consistent with the regulations.

Note: The TRD staff should review the PM Criteria in Section 4.2.1 of this OI, and apply the criteria as necessary during their acceptance review activities.

4.2.3 Quality Issues in the Application

Quality issues in a RLA could include:

- Inconsistencies between values referenced in the application and parameters used in the models;
- Missing information as required by 10 CFR Part 71 or 10 CFR Part 72;
- Use of new or unconventional methodology or deviation from regulatory guidance, without proper technical justification ; or
- More than 5% of references in error.

The above list of quality issues is not necessarily all inclusive. Quality issues may impact the ability to complete the detailed technical review in a timely manner and may result in an unacceptable application or a longer review schedule.

4.3 Acceptance Review Results

Upon completion of the acceptance review, staff will determine that the application is either:

- Acceptable (refer to Section 4.3.1 of this OI);
- Acceptable Once Supplemented (Request for Supplemental Information) (refer to Section 4.3.2 of this OI); or
- Unacceptable (refer to Section 4.3.3 of this OI).

4.3.1 Acceptable

SFST will consider a RLA to be acceptable for a detailed technical review upon the staff's conclusion that the application appears to contain sufficient technical information, both in scope and depth, to complete the detailed technical review in a predictable time frame. The RLA may also be considered acceptable if it is determined that the informational needs identified during the acceptance review are not significant enough to fail the acceptance review and can be addressed in the technical review process (i.e., via RAIs).

Upon determination that an RLA is acceptable for review, the PM should notify the applicant, via e-mail to the PM's licensing contact, within 5 days of accepting the RLA. Following the transmission of this e-mail, the PM should document in a letter to the applicant the schedule for the detailed technical review within 21 days of accepting the RLA. In the case where an RLA is determined to be acceptable for review (without the need for supplemental information), the acceptance letter should be issued within 60 days of NRC receipt of the RLA. An example acceptance letter is provided in Appendix B of this OI.

Note: It is important that the PM ensures that e-mail documentation of the acceptance for review is documented in ADAMS as an Official Agency Record (OAR). This can be accomplished by the electronic addition of the e-mail or manual scanning.

At the conclusion of the acceptance review, the PM and technical staff will begin the detailed technical review in accordance with the appropriate process (e.g., SFST Office Instruction No. 4). The technical staff performing the detailed technical review may not be the same staff that performed the acceptance review.

4.3.2 Acceptable Once Supplemented (Request for Supplemental Information)

After the completion of the acceptance review of the RLA, if either the PM or the technical staff feels that the submittal does not meet the definition of acceptable for review, they should promptly contact the other SFST staff involved in the review to discuss the impact of the information insufficiencies. The PM, technical staff, and the BCs should discuss the information insufficiencies to ensure that all parties understand the information insufficiencies and agree that the insufficiencies are within the scope of the review. If it is determined that the information insufficiencies are too significant for the RAI process, but not significant enough to result in staff discontinuing its review, the staff should initiate the following RSI process.

The PM (with support of the technical staff) should compile a list of the RSIs and observations[2] and inform the associated BCs via e-mail. For complex or problematic issues, and if consistent with the acceptance review schedule, the TRD BCs should consider a peer review to confirm the need for the RSIs prior to contacting the applicant. The performance of a peer review, or a

2 "Observations" include questions (identified by staff during the acceptance review), which do not rise to the level of a RSI that needs to be resolved before the RLA could be accepted for review, but may require staff to issue a RAI during the detailed technical review. The observations may be provided in the RSI to the applicant, and if the applicant wishes, it may respond to the observation in its response to the RSI to avoid the need for an RAI on the question during the staff's detailed technical review.

review of an issue by the discipline technical specialty group, is optional, at the discretion of the appropriate BC. The peer review is not intended to be another full acceptance review, but rather an independent assessment of the issues identified. If the complex or problematic issues are agreed upon, the PM should notify the associated division management (BCs, Deputy Division Directors (DDDs) and Division Director (DD)) via e mail, briefly summarizing the issues.

4.3.2.1 Communication of Request for Supplemental Information to the Applicant

The PM should inform the applicant that the staff determined that supplemental information is needed before the RLA can be accepted for a detailed technical review, and the PM should arrange a conference call with the applicant to discuss the RSIs. The PM may either provide the identified insufficiencies on the phone to the applicant (so that the applicant can arrange for the necessary technical staff to participate in the conference call), or provide the identified insufficiencies to the applicant, via an e-mail, prior to the call. For problematic or complex issues, the PM should consult the BCs prior to identifying the insufficiencies to the applicant via e-mail. Regardless of the method used to transmit the identified RSIs to the applicant, the PM should ensure documents and telephone conversations are properly captured as OARs. The conference call should occur as soon as possible, but no later than one week after providing the applicant the information insufficiencies.

During the call to discuss the RSIs, staff should identify the omitted or insufficient information to the applicant, discuss the appropriate course of action, and establish a time frame for when the information will be submitted. This time frame (typically 15 days from the date of the RSI letter) should be established as one that is supportive of staff's timely review, not simply when the information will be available. It is important that the call result in a clear communication to the applicant, of the information needed, and that staff gain an understanding of whether the applicant plans to submit the information within the time frame established during the call.

Note: During the call, the applicant should be provided the opportunity to justify the apparent omission of sufficient information by identifying to the NRC staff where the responsive information is contained in the RLA. The staff will evaluate this justification to determine whether the staff's insufficient information determination is still valid and whether the information is still needed to perform the detailed technical review. If the staff determines that the insufficiency is still valid, the staff will include the insufficiency in an RSI letter to the applicant.

After discussing the RSIs with the applicant, a letter requesting supplemental information should be sent by the PM (with LB Branch Chief, and if applicable, TRD Branch Chief concurrence) to the applicant that clearly identifies:

- The information needed for the NRC staff to begin its detailed technical review;
- The time frame for the submission of the information; and
- A statement identifying that failure to submit the information within the time frame will result in non-acceptance of the application and cessation of staff review activities.

This letter should be sent to the applicant as soon as practical, however, should not take longer than 60 days from the date of the receipt of the RLA by the NRC.

The PM and the applicant may arrange an open meeting to discuss the insufficient information. Since an open meeting requires 10 days advance public notification, the meeting may impact the applicant's ability to respond to the RSIs within the typical 15-day response time frame, which may be justified.

If a hearing has been granted regarding an RLA, the PM should be aware that additional rules and guidance govern the NRC staff's actions. In this case, SFST staff should interface closely with the Office of the General Counsel (OGC) to determine the proper course of action.

4.3.2.2 Applicant Supplements to Requested Licensing Action

If the requested supplemental information is provided within the agreed-upon time frame, the PM should ensure that the supplement is provided to all technical staff assigned to the RLA acceptance review. Within 15 days of receipt of the supplement from the PM, the technical staff should review the supplementary information to ensure that it is responsive to the staff's concerns. The same criteria used in the initial acceptance review should be applied, although the review should be focused on the areas previously identified as not acceptable for review. The PM is responsible for tracking the submission of the information by the applicant and distribution of the submitted information to the technical staff. The technical staff is responsible for identifying any issues (e.g., staff reassignments or other high priority work) that may impact the acceptance review schedule to the PM and his or her BC.

If the information provided is both timely and responsive, notify the applicant in accordance with Section 4.3.1, "Acceptable," and transition into a detailed technical review. The applicant may provide supplemental information during and after the acceptance review period, provided the information is either requested by the NRC staff or it corrects an error identified by the applicant. Acceptance of the supplemental information will be evaluated on a case by case basis.

If it appears that the applicant is not able to submit the information in the established time frame, the information to be submitted is unlikely to be responsive to the NRC staff's concerns, or the supplemental information submitted continues to be insufficient, the associated Division management (BCs, DDDs, and the DD) should be informed of the NRC staff's intent to not accept the application and cease review activities. The staff should proceed with non-acceptance of the application and follow the guidance in Section 4.3.3, "Unacceptable."

4.3.3 Unacceptable

If, during the acceptance review of the RLA, the NRC staff finds deficiencies so significant that they impede completion of the acceptance review, the RLA should be returned to the applicant as unacceptable for review, pursuant to 10 CFR 71.7 or 10 CFR 72.11.

The staff may determine that a RLA is unacceptable if:

- at the completion of the acceptance review, the staff has identified major deficiencies that would be better addressed by discontinuing the staff's review and returning the RLA to the applicant for resolution;

- the supplement to the RLA (response to RSI) has been determined to be unresponsive or inadequate to address staff concerns; or

- the applicant does not provide the supplementary information within the agreed-upon time frame.

It is noted that once the staff has started the acceptance review process, staff should complete their acceptance review and document their findings, as discussed below. All copies of the application should either be discarded or returned to the applicant, except for the ADAMS version.

4.3.3.1 Communication of Non-Acceptance of the Requested Licensing Action (Unacceptable)

Upon staff's determination to discontinue the review due to unresponsive RSIs, the PM should communicate the staff's decision to discontinue the review to the applicant within 14 days. During this time period, the PM should proceed with preparing the non-acceptance letter and obtain SFST BCs, DDDs, and DD concurrence. While not required, OGC should be afforded the opportunity to determine whether there is no legal objection to the staff's proposed action. Upon the determination that a more significant or controversial RLA is unacceptable for staff review, the NRC staff should communicate this decision to the Director, NMSS, and the Executive Director for Operation's (EDO's) office (via an EDO daily note) prior to contacting the applicant.

Note: When communicating the non-acceptance of an RLA to the applicant, the NRC staff should avoid debating the issue with the applicant. Instead, the NRC staff should ensure that the reasons for the NRC staff's actions are clearly communicated.

Upon notification of the NRC staff's decision to not accept the RLA, the applicant should also be made aware that it may withdraw the application, pursuant to 10 CFR 2.107. The applicant should be informed that the NRC intends to issue the letter of non-acceptance within 3 working days, and if the applicant chooses to withdraw its application, it should do so prior to that date. The applicant should be encouraged to fully document the reasons for withdrawal in its letter and understand that the NRC staff will, likewise, document the information insufficiencies in the letter of non-acceptance of the RLA or the withdrawal acknowledgement letter.

For applications where the applicant fails to supplement the RLA within the agreed-upon time frame, the letter of non-acceptance should be issued within 14 days of the time frame established for supplementing the RLA. For applications with significant deficiencies, the letter of non-acceptance should be issued within 60 days of SFST receiving the RLA.

If the applicant, prior to issuance of the non-acceptance letter, submits a written request to withdraw the RLA, the NRC staff should modify the letter to accept the withdrawal and terminate the review. The documentation of the insufficiencies that led to the withdrawal should be maintained in the letter. This action is both supportive of a clear public record and informative to other applicants that may be preparing similar RLAs. Examples of both non-acceptance of an RLA and withdrawal acknowledgement letters are provided in Appendix B of this OI.

Upon issuance of the letter of non-acceptance of the RLA, or the withdrawal acceptance letter, the PM should close the associated TAC number.

5.0 LEVEL OF EFFORT ESTIMATING

During the acceptance review process, the PM, with input from TRD staff, produces an estimate of the staff review hours needed to complete the detailed technical review and generate a final safety evaluation report, given one round of RAIs. The level of effort will be commensurate with the complexity of the RLA. PMs should refer to the PM Handbook (the most recent version is on the Licensing Branch page in Sharepoint) for guidance on level of effort estimating.

6.0 RESPONSIBILITIES AND AUTHORITIES

The sections that follow describe specific responsibilities and authorities for PMs, TRD staff, and BCs during various portions of the acceptance review process.

6.1 Project Manager Responsibilities

PMs are responsible for the following activities regarding the establishment of schedules and resources for the acceptance review:

- General oversight and coordination of SFST acceptance review activities
- With assistance from TRD, determine the scope and depth of the detailed technical review (including need for contractor support or development of independent models)
- Ensure the application is entered into ADAMS in a timely manner. Although the applicant is required to ensure the application is adequate for entering into ADAMS and should notify SFST that the application has been submitted, the PM should monitor this process. If the document is not entered into ADAMS in a timely manner, the PM should contact the ADAMS administrator and the applicant to facilitate entering the application into ADAMS
- With the coordination of BCs, establish a schedule and identify the appropriate technical branches needed to support the acceptance and detailed technical reviews
- Document a level of effort estimate for the detailed technical review, prior to acceptance of the RLA.
- Promptly distribute copies of the RLA and associated documents or make them electronically available to the appropriate technical branches to begin the acceptance review process (within 7 days after the NRC receipt date, or earlier if possible)
- Send an acknowledgement e-mail to the applicant within 7 days after the NRC receipt date, acknowledging receipt of the application in ADAMS and commencement of the acceptance review (see Appendix B of this OI for an example of an acknowledgement e-mail).

PMs are responsible for the following activities regarding the acceptance review of the RLA for administrative and technical sufficiency:

- Review the RLA for administrative sufficiency in accordance with Section 4.2.1, "Project Manager Criteria," of this OI
- Collect and review the input provided by the technical branches
- Determine the significance of any administrative RSIs, assist in determining the significance of technical RSIs (identified by TRD staff), and make recommendations to management, as appropriate
- Notify management and the associated technical branches of the results of the acceptance review
- Ensure implementation or revision of the schedule in a timely manner
- Communicate any PM-related RSIs to the LB BC and technical staff as soon as possible, with a goal of 35 days from the receipt of the RLA by the NRC
- Notify management, as early as possible, of potential delays in meeting an acceptance review schedule

PMs are responsible for the following activities regarding the resolution of RSIs:

- Ensure the criteria described in Section 4.2, "Acceptance Review Criteria," are being applied consistently in accordance with regulatory requirements, policies, and guidance
- Establish, in conjunction with TRD staff, the date-specific deadline by which the applicant should submit the information (typically 15 days after the applicant receives the RSI letter)
- If required, contact the applicant and communicate the information needed and the deadline for submitting the information, in order to clearly obtain an understanding of the required course of action
- Notify management and technical branches of whether the applicant intends to supplement its RLA within the established time frame (typically 15 days from the date of the RSI letter).
- Draft a letter to the applicant identifying the information needed and the deadline for submitting the information
- Coordinate any necessary interfaces with other offices (e.g., OGC, Office of Federal and State Materials and Environmental Management Programs, Office of Nuclear Security and Incident Response, etc.)

- Notify management and technical branches of any significant change in the schedule

PMs are responsible for the following activities regarding the documentation of the acceptance review results:

- Document the decision regarding the administrative and technical sufficiency of the RLA in a letter to the applicant or in an e-mail as discussed in Section 4.3, "Acceptance Review Results," of this OI
- Notify the applicant of the results of the acceptance review activities
- Assemble level of effort estimates to support BC scheduling

PMs are responsible for the following activities regarding the review of the supplemental information for the acceptance review results:

- Coordinate the dissemination of the RLA supplement to technical branches
- Review the supplemental information within 15 days of distribution
- Communicate the adequacy of the supplemental information to management and the TRD reviewers
- Document the results of the review of the supplemental information
- Notify the applicant of the results of the supplemental information reviews

6.2 Technical Review Directorate Staff Responsibilities

TRD staff is responsible for the following activities regarding the acceptance review of the RLA for technical sufficiency:

- Review the RLA for technical sufficiency in accordance with Section 4.2.2, "Technical Staff Criteria," of this OI
- Communicate any TRD-related RSIs to TRD BCs and the PM as soon as possible, with a goal of 35 days from the date of receipt of the RLA by the NRC. Provide a recommendation to TRD management and the PM regarding the significance of any technical RSIs
- Notify TRD BCs (as soon as conflicts are identified) of workload conflicts associated with performing an acceptance review. BCs are responsible for resolution of workload conflicts
- Document a level of effort estimate for the detailed technical review, via e-mail to the PM and respective BC.

TRD staff is responsible for the following activities regarding the resolution of RSIs:

- Prompt verbal and written notification of the RSI to their BCs and the PM (RSI will be written up in the RAI format, as specified in SFST Office Instruction No. 3)
- Provide written input to the PM documenting the RSIs (an e-mail from the Branch Chief to document concurrence with the RSIs is acceptable)
- Support the PM in discussions with the applicant to explain RSIs
- Inform the PM and BCs of any conflicting responsibilities that may adversely impact the schedule
- Support the PM in briefing management, as appropriate

The TRD staff is responsible for the following activities regarding the implementation and documentation of the acceptance review results:

- Communicate the adequacy (to begin a full detailed technical review – not whether the design meets the regulation) of the RLA to management and the PM
- Support the PM in documenting the results of the acceptance review, including the level of effort estimate

TRD staff is responsible for the following activities regarding the resolution of RSIs:

- Review the supplemental information within 15 days of distribution by the PM
- Communicate the adequacy of the supplemental information to management and the PM
- Support the PM in documenting the results of the review of the supplemental information (if required)

6.3 Branch Chief Responsibilities

TRD Branch Chiefs are responsible for the following activities regarding the establishment of scheduling and resources for the acceptance review:

- Promptly assign technical reviewers
- Ensure technical reviewers promptly perform an acceptance review of the RLA in accordance with the associated acceptance review schedule
- Identify the technical disciplines required to perform the ensuing detailed technical review (w/ PM assistance)

- Notify division-level management (DDDs and DD), in coordination with the PM, of potential delays in meeting an acceptance review schedule

The LB and TRD BCs are responsible for the following activities regarding the resolution of RSIs:

- Support and guide the staff in determining the appropriate course of resolution regarding RSIs
- Maintain an awareness of SFST priorities and how these may affect the RLA acceptance review schedule
- Provide oversight of acceptance review activities and direct the implementation
- Support the PM and technical staff by informing management of any scheduling conflicts or acceptance review activities, as appropriate
- Ensure consistency in the conduct of acceptance reviews
- Facilitate peer reviews, when appropriate, to confirm the RSI prior to contacting the applicant
- Ensure timely communication of the status of these reviews and any adverse impacts on office resources to SFST management
- Advise PM of supplying RSIs to applicant for problematic or complex issues per Section 4.3.2.1, "Communication of Request for Supplemental Information to the Applicant," of this OI.

7.0 ACCEPTANCE REVIEW PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENT

The Acceptance Review Performance Measurement will be developed as part of ongoing process improvements.

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9.0 RESPONSIBLE ORGANIZATION

SFST/LB

SFST/TRD

10.0 EFFECTIVE DATE

February 2011 - SFST staff involved in performing acceptance reviews should submit suggestions for improvement to this guidance to their management or the contacts listed for this Office Instruction (SFST-14).

11.0 REFERENCES

11.1 10 CFR Part 71, 10 CFR Part 72
11.2 Regulatory Guide 3.48, "Standard Format and Content for the Safety Analysis Report for an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation."
11.3 Regulatory Guide 3.61, "Standard Format and Content for a Topical Safety Analysis Report for a Spent Fuel Dry Storage Cask."
11.4 Regulatory Guide 7.9, "Standard Format and content for Part 71 Applications for Approval of Packaging for Radioactive Materials."
11.5 Regulatory Issue Summary 2004-20, "Lessons Learned from Review of 10 CFR Parts 71 and 72 Applications."
11.6 Regulatory Issue Summary 2005-27, Rev. 1, "NRC Timeliness Goals, Prioritization of Incoming License Applications and Voluntary Submittal of Schedule for Future Actions for NRC Review."
11.7 Regulatory Issue Summary 2007-09, "Examples of Recurring Requests for Additional Information (RAIs) for 10 CFR Part 71 and 72 Applications."

12.0 ENCLOSURES

Appendix A: Change History
Appendix B: Example Letters & E-Mails
Appendix C: Examples of Requests for Supplemental Information
Appendix D: Acceptance Review Process Flowchart

Appendix A - Change History

Office Instruction SFST-14
"Acceptance Review Process"

SFST No 14 - Change History - Page 1			
Revision Date	**Description of Changes**	**Method Used to Announce & Distribute**	**Training**
April 30, 2010	Replaced Acknowledgement Reviews with Acceptance Review Process	E-mail to staff	Training Sessions
February 3, 2011	Replaced Acceptance Review Process, Revision 0 with Revision 1	E-mail to staff	Training Sessions

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SFST-14 Appendix B

Example Letters & E-Mails

Division of Spent Fuel Storage and Transportation

ACCEPTANCE

[DATE]

[ADDRESSEE]

SUBJECT: APPLICATION FOR [DESCRIPTION] – ACCEPTED FOR REVIEW

Dear [ADDRESSEE]:

By letter dated [DATE], you submitted an application for [AMENDMENT/APPROVAL] of [PACKAGE/CASK/FACILITY]. You requested [BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF REQUEST]. Staff performed an acceptance review of your application to determine if the application contains sufficient technical information in scope and depth to allow the staff to complete the detailed technical review.

This letter acknowledges acceptance of your application. The application appears to contain the information needed for our technical review. We have established a schedule for the review. The schedule allows for staff to issue a Request for Additional Information (RAI) in [MONTH YEAR] and a CoC/SER in [MONTH YEAR], based on the applicant responding to RAIs in [MONTH YEAR]. If no RAI is needed, and based on the staff's evaluation, the approval may be issued at approximately that time. In general, no additional changes to the application should be submitted except for changes resulting from your response to an RAI.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at [PM PHONE NUMBER].

Sincerely,

[PM NAME]
Division of Spent Fuel Storage and Transportation
Office of Nuclear Material
Safety and Safeguards

Docket No. [DOCKET NO.]
TAC No. [TAC NO.]

Distribution: Tech Reviewers and TRD Branch Chiefs
Concurrence: PM, LA, Licensing Branch Chief

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION NEEDED

[DATE]

[ADDRESSEE]

SUBJECT: APPLICATION FOR [DESCRIPTION] – SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION NEEDED

Dear [ADDRESSEE]:

By letter dated [DATE], you submitted an application for [AMENDMENT/APPROVAL] of [PACKAGE/CASK/FACILITY]. You requested [BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF REQUEST]. Staff performed an acceptance review of your application to determine if the application contains sufficient technical information in scope and depth to allow the staff to complete the detailed technical review.

This letter is to advise you that based on our acceptance review, the application does not contain sufficient technical information. The information needed to continue our review is described in the enclosure to this letter. In order to schedule our technical review, this information should be provided by [DATE]. If the information described is not received by this date, the application will not be accepted for review. This letter confirms our [E-MAIL or PHONE CALL] on [DATE] with respect to the supplemental information needed and the date for your submittal.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at [PM PHONE].

Sincerely,

[PM NAME]
Division of Spent Fuel Storage and Transportation
Office of Nuclear Material
Safety and Safeguards

Docket No. [DOCKET NO.]
TAC No. [TAC NO.]

Enclosure: As stated

Distribution: Tech Reviewers and TRD Branch Chiefs
Concurrence: PM, LA, Licensing Branch Chief

NON-ACCEPTANCE

[DATE]

[ADDRESSEE]

SUBJECT: APPLICATION FOR [DESCRIPTION] – NOT ACCEPTED FOR REVIEW

Dear [ADDRESSEE]:

By letter dated [DATE], you submitted an application for [AMENDMENT/APPROVAL] of [PACKAGE/CASK/FACILITY]. You requested [BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF REQUEST]. Staff performed an acceptance review of your application to determine if the application contains sufficient technical information in scope and depth to allow the staff to complete the detailed technical review.

This letter is to advise you that the application does not contain sufficient technical information to allow the staff to complete its detailed technical review and to determine that the [PACKAGE/CASK/FACILITY] meets the requirements of 10 CFR Part [71/72]. In a previous NRC letter, staff identified the following information was needed to begin its technical review:

LIST INFORMATION NEEDED

[IF THE APPLICANT IS NOT BEING ALLOWED TO SUPPLEMENT THEIR REQUEST, USE THIS PARAGRAPH
Because of the extensive nature of the information needed, the NRC staff finds the request for approval of the proposed action to be unacceptable for NRC review pursuant to [10 CFR 71.31/33, 72.11]. NRC staff activities on the review have ceased and the associated Technical Assignment Control number has been closed.]

[IF THE APPLICANT WAS REQUESTED TO SUPPLEMENT THEIR REQUEST AND DID NOT PROVIDE A SUPPLEMENT, USE THIS PARAGRAPH
The NRC staff has not received communications from you regarding the supplementary informational need. Therefore, the NRC staff does not accept the application for review. NRC staff activities on the review have ceased and the associated Technical Assignment Control number has been closed.]

[IF THE APPLICANT PROVIDED AN INADEQUATE SUPPLEMENT, USE THIS PARAGRAPH
By letter dated [DATE], you provided a supplement to this submittal. The NRC staff has found the supplement unresponsive to the cited informational needs. Therefore, the NRC staff finds the request for approval of the proposed action to be unacceptable for NRC review. NRC staff activities on the review have ceased and the associated Technical Assignment Control number has been closed.]

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at [PM PHONE].

Sincerely,

[PM NAME]
Division of Spent Fuel Storage and Transportation
Office of Nuclear Material
Safety and Safeguards

Docket No. [DOCKET NO.]
TAC No. [TAC NO.]

Enclosure: As stated

Distribution: Tech Reviewers
Concurrence: PM, LA, BCs, DDDs, DD

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF WITHDRAWAL

[DATE]

[ADDRESSEE]

SUBJECT: APPLICATION FOR [DESCRIPTION] – ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF WITHDRAWAL

Dear [Addressee]:

By letter dated [DATE], you submitted an application for [AMENDMENT/APPROVAL] of [PACKAGE/CASK/FACILITY]. You requested [BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF REQUEST]. Staff performed an acceptance review of your application to determine if the application contains sufficient technical information in scope and depth to allow the staff to complete the detailed technical review.

By letter dated [DATE], you requested to withdraw the application from NRC review. The NRC acknowledges your request to withdraw the application. NRC staff activities on the review have ceased and the associated Technical Assignment Control number has been closed.

The NRC staff notes that its review to date has identified that your application did not provide the following technical information in sufficient detail to enable the staff to complete its detailed review. Therefore, if you decide to re-submit the request, it must include the following information:

LIST INFORMATION NEEDED

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at [PM PHONE NUMBER].

Sincerely,

[PM NAME]
Division of Spent Fuel Storage and Transportation
Office of Nuclear Material
Safety and Safeguards

Docket No. [DOCKET NO.]
TAC No. [TAC NO.]

Distribution: Tech Reviewers and TRD Branch Chiefs, TA, Deputy Directors
Concurrence: PM, LA, Licensing Branch Chief

EXAMPLE OF E-MAIL NOTIFYING THAT REQUEST HAS BEEN ENTERED INTO ADAMS AND STAFF HAS STARTED ACCEPTANCE REVIEW

SUBJECT: RECEIPT OF APPLICATION - ACKNOWLEDGMENT LETTER

Dear [APPLICANT]:

By letter dated [ENTER DATE], [APPLICANT] submitted an application for [REQUESTED LICENSING ACTION]. The application proposes [DESCRIBE ACTION]. This e-mail acknowledges receipt of your application in ADAMS [ENTER DATE WHEN ENTERED INTO ADAMS] and informs you that our Acceptance Review has started. Within 60 days, we will notify you of the results of our acceptance review.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at [PM PHONE NUMBER].

Sincerely,

[PM NAME]
Division of Spent Fuel Storage and Transportation
Office of Nuclear Material
Safety and Safeguards

Docket No. [DOCKET NO.]
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SFST-14 Appendix C

Examples of Requests for Supplemental Information

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Examples of Requests for Supplemental Information (RSIs)

The purpose of the examples included in this Appendix is to better delineate where an informational insufficiency or Request for Supplemental Information (RSI) would result in a requested licensing action (RLA) being unacceptable for review versus where it would be more appropriately dealt with via the request for additional information (RAI) process. In each example, criteria are provided that can be used to determine whether an identified insufficiency would cause the RLA to be found unacceptable for detailed technical review and whether any changes to the situation exist that may change this finding.

ADMINISTRATIVE RSI Example

Criteria: Affidavit required for proprietary information (Section 4.2.1, Administrative Criteria)

Situation: An application for a transportation package is submitted with some information marked as proprietary, but without an affidavit.

Acceptable for Review? – No. The basis for proprietary withholding must be identified and documented in a properly executed affidavit in accordance with 10 CFR 2.390.

May be Acceptable for Review If: The information requested to be withheld is clearly identified, is consistent with standard withholding practice, is limited in scope (e.g., packaging drawings), and the applicant agrees by telephone to submit an affidavit within 15 days. Note: Staff will still prepare a letter requesting supplemental information.

MATERIALS RSI Example

Criteria: Section 4.2.2, Alternatives or Missing Information

Situation: The applicant requests that both stainless steel and zircaloy clad fuel rods be acceptable contents for storage. The application uses the temperature limits recommended in ISG-11, Revision 3, to support that none of the rods will develop gross breaches.

Acceptable for review? – No. ISG-11, Revision 3, states that it is only applicable to zirconium based cladding. The temperature limits set in ISG were based on the degradation mechanisms applicable to Zircaloy. The staff should not accept the RLA until the potential mechanisms for degradation of the stainless steel cladding, as a function of storage temperature, are evaluated.

May be Acceptable for Review If: The potential mechanisms for degradation of stainless steel cladding, as a function of storage temperature, are evaluated by the applicant, and adequate justification is provided, including supplemental technical data and analyses.

CRITICALITY RSI Example

Criteria: Section 4.2.2, Sufficiency of Information

Situation: An applicant submits a new application for a Part 71 transportation package. The staff notices fundamental errors in the calculations that encompass all contents that would be allowed to be transported as well as sensitivity studies performed on the package.

Acceptable for Review? – No, because the applicant's supporting analyses are erroneous and the staff cannot rely on any of the conclusions made by the applicant using the erroneous analyses.

May be Acceptable for Review if: The error is small enough that the staff can be relatively certain that correcting the error would not invalidate the applicant's conclusions for the package. The applicant corrects the error and supplements the application with corrected analyses within the typical 15-day time frame.

SHIELDING RSI Example

Criteria: Section 4.2.2, Completeness of Scope

Situation: The applicant's shielding evaluation relies upon computer modeling to demonstrate shielding performance, with a non-standard code, without providing a detailed description of the model (including a sample input file(s)), or the code used for the analyses.

Acceptable for Review? – No. The applicant needs to provide a description of the model and the non-standard code that enables a reviewer to independently confirm that the model and the code are appropriate for evaluating the proposed shielding design and contents.

May be Acceptable for Review: The application may be acceptable if detailed descriptions of the shielding model and the non-standard code are provided. The application should include a description of the underlying analytical method and its limitations, cross-section libraries if used with the code, and a justification of the code's applicability to the shielding design evaluation. The application should have a description of the model that includes the configuration of the shielding (material specifications and dimensions), the source term specification and configuration, other key inputs, the modeling assumptions, and the basis for modeling assumptions and differences between the model and the actual design (as described in the application). Sample input files should be provided to allow for verification that the shielding model is properly input into the code.

CONTAINMENT RSI Example

Criteria: Section 4.2.2, Use of Precedent

Situation: The applicant requested an amendment to the Certificate of Compliance of a previously approved transportation package. In the safety analysis report, the applicant used

data and claimed credit which were approved by staff in earlier revisions, but staff determined that this information was no longer valid [i.e., the earlier revision of the package was approved with no hydrogen generation in the package and an activity inventory assumption (e.g., 3000 A2), but the applicant requests new contents in the waste package with no analysis of hydrogen generation and revised source terms]. The staff is not able to continue the review because of the lack of a technical basis.

Acceptable for Review? – No, because applicant needs to justify its revised basis and assumptions in an amendment request when they are altered by the design change.

May be Acceptable for Review if: The applicant can provide a solid basis and provide adequate justification for its revised basis and assumptions in the amendment request, within the typical 15-day time frame for responding to RSIs.

STRUCTURAL RSI Example

Criteria: Section 4.2.2, Completeness of Scope

Situation: An applicant has resubmitted a transportation application including a new structural impact limiter analyses. The applicant stated that a revised structural analysis using LS-DYNA was performed for the 30 ft side drop considering a maximum gap between the fuel assembly and support surface as well as the fuel basket and the containment boundary. The applicant also stated that those files do exist; however, those files were not present in the information submitted for review. The applicant did not provide the LS-DYNA output files which would allow the staff to perform an evaluation of the drop.

Previously, staff had suspended review of the application because of significant issues identified with the justification and benchmarking the LS-DYNA model.

Acceptable for Review? - No, because the applicant stated that a revised structural analysis using LS-DYNA was performed for the 30 ft side drop considering a maximum gap between the fuel assembly and support surface as well as the fuel basket and the containment boundary. The applicant did not provide the LS-DYNA output files which would allow the staff to perform an evaluation of the drop. The applicant also stated that those files do exist; however, those files were not present in the information submitted for review.

May be Acceptable for Review if: The applicant provides these LS-DYNA output files, within the typical 15-day time frame for responding to RSIs.

THERMAL RSI Example

Criteria: Section 4.2.2, Sufficiency of Information

Situation: The applicant submits a thermal-hydraulic analysis of a transfer cask design that includes a liquid neutron shield. The transfer cask is transported horizontally which may limit convection heat transfer in the liquid neutron shield region. In order to take credit for

convection, the applicant uses a "general" correlation claiming to be applicable for this case without providing any justification or explanation.

Acceptable for Review? - No, because in order to use a correlation for an internal cavity, the correlation should have been obtained for similar geometry and boundary conditions. Also, in order to use the correlation, the applicant should perform an adequate validation applying Computational Fluid Dynamics (CFD) best-practice guidelines.

May be Acceptable for Review if: The applicant can demonstrate the correlation is applicable for the considered geometry and the analysis results are either realistic or conservative. Also, proper validation will be necessary so the applicant can use the correlation for similar situations.

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Acceptance Review Process Flowchart

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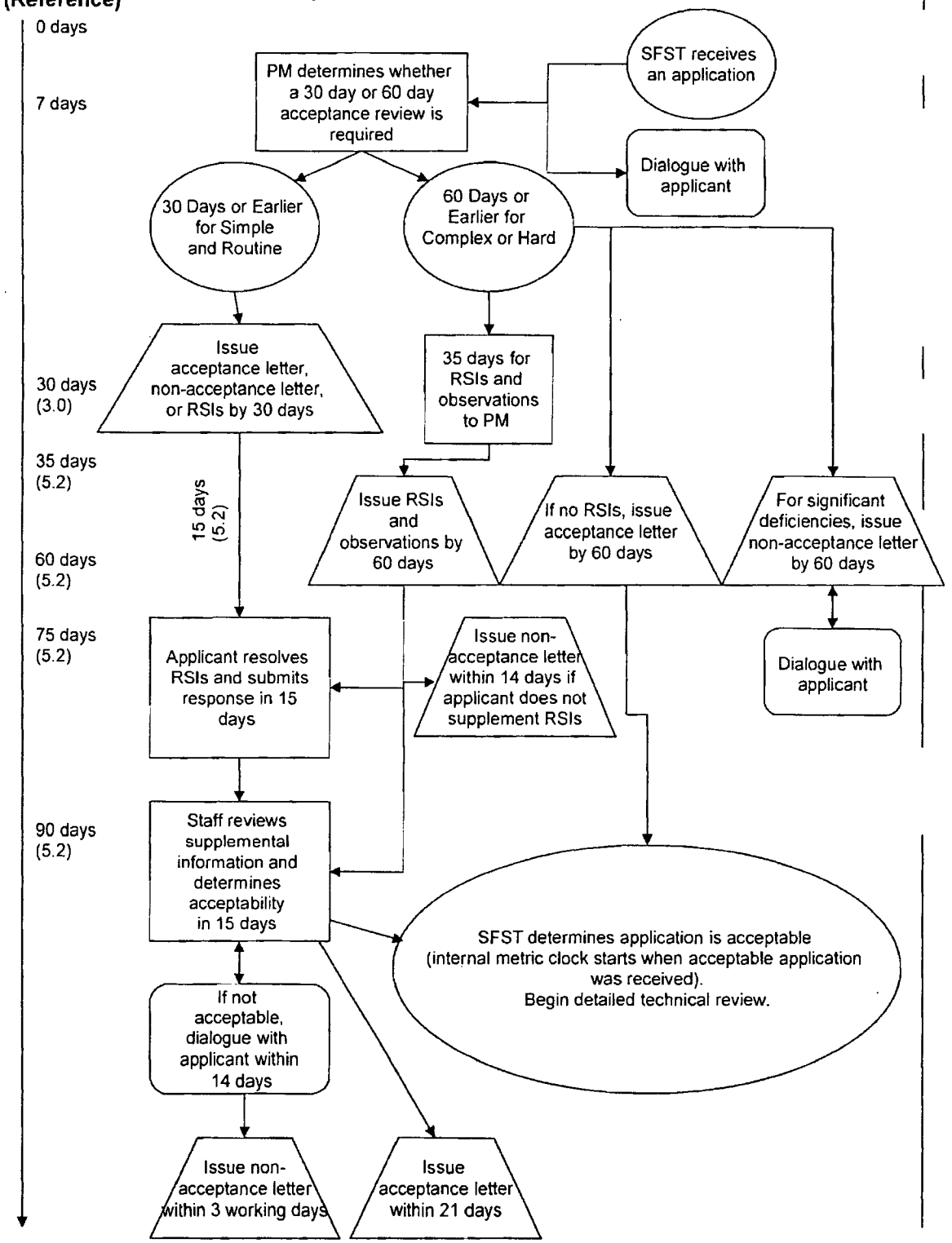
Acceptance Review Process Flowchart



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ADDRESSEES

All holders of, and applicants for, a transportation package Certificate of Compliance under Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR) Part 71, "Packaging and Transportation of Radioactive Material."

All holders of, and applicants for, an independent spent fuel storage installation license or Certificate of Compliance under 10 CFR Part 72, "Licensing Requirements for the Independent Storage of Spent Nuclear Fuel, High-Level Radioactive Waste, and Reactor-Related Greater Than Class C Waste."

INTENT

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is issuing the regulatory issue summary (RIS) to inform addressees of the issuance of a new NRC internal procedure on acceptance reviews (Spent Fuel Storage and Transportation (SFST)-14, "Acceptance Review Process") within the Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards (NMSS). The RIS requires no action or written response on the part of addressees.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The quality of an application has a significant impact on the amount of NRC staff resources expended and the timeliness for the review. The NRC expects applicants to routinely submit applications that reflect a quality level that allows the agency to complete its reviews in an effective and efficient manner. Applications that include information of a sufficient scope and depth allow the NRC staff to focus its efforts on reviewing the technical and regulatory merits of the applicant's proposal. When an application lacks significant information (e.g., analyses/calculations or safety analysis report chapters) necessary for the NRC staff to commence its review, the NRC staff spends additional time to obtain this information. Incomplete applications translate into more requests for additional information (RAIs) and a greater than expected number of rounds of RAIs. The increase in the amount of time that NRC staff spends on incomplete submittals takes time away from review of other submittals. The result is an inefficient process for the NRC staff and applicants.

On April 23, 2009, the NRC held a public workshop to discuss a draft acceptance review procedure that it made available before the meeting. This meeting discussed various aspects of the procedure, including timeframes and the review criteria. Interested stakeholders were

provided the opportunity to submit written comments during a 60-day period. Forty four public comments were received and resolved. Comments and resolutions were provided in Appendices E and F of SFST-14, Revision 0.

SUMMARY OF ISSUE

The NRC seeks to promote an effective and efficient review process to benefit all of our stakeholders. To that end, SFST-14 prescribes timelines for the NRC staff's performance of the acceptance review and promotes consistency in the criteria against which the NRC staff will evaluate an application to determine its acceptability for review. This office instruction became effective April 30, 2010, and was made available at the SFST Public Licensing Conference on June 23, 2010.

The NRC staff is now performing acceptance reviews on new applications, amendment requests, and RAI responses in accordance with SFST-14. Simple, routine amendment requests and RAI responses may undergo a brief acceptance review. The shorter acceptance review will not exceed 30 calendar days from the receipt date. Longer acceptance reviews for new applications or complex amendment requests will not exceed 60 calendar days as defined in SFST-14.

SFST-14, Revision 0, is available in the Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) under ADAMS Accession No. ML101130519. Public access to ADAMS is available via the NRC Web site at http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html.

Since issuance of Revision 0, the NRC staff has identified improvements to the acceptance review procedure. SFST-14, Revision 1 was issued with an effective date of February 3, 2011, and includes the following changes: moved guidance from the previous Appendix B (Guide for Performing Acceptance Reviews) into the main procedure and eliminated overlap in discussion, deleted the previous Appendices E and F, which summarized public comments and NRC responses on the original issuance of the procedure (SFST-14, Revision 0), added guidance on level of effort estimation during the acceptance review, and restructured and clarified discussion throughout the procedure. SFST-14, Revision 1 is publicly available under ADAMS Accession No. ML110450435.

BACKFIT DISCUSSION

The RIS is being issued to inform applicants and interested stakeholders of the implementation of new internal NRC procedural guidance for SFST staff in performing acceptance reviews. The backfit rule applies to procedures necessary to operate a nuclear power plant. The NRC's regulatory review process is not a licensee procedure required for operating the plant. The RIS provides applicants and interested stakeholders the information necessary to access the new procedure. Therefore, under 10 CFR 50.109(a)(1), the backfit rule does not apply, and a backfit analysis is not required.

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OFFICIAL RECORD COPY

From: Burnell, Scott
To: Oberson, Greg
Subject: RE: press release
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 11:43:00 AM

Hi Greg;

We wouldn't issue a press release for a meeting summary, so e-mailing the participants sounds like the best way to go. Sorry for the delay, it's a little busy here this morning. Thanks.

Scott

From: Oberson, Greg
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 11:08 AM
To: Burnell, Scott
Subject: press release

Scott,
I wanted to inquire with you about the issuance of a press release for the recent Workshop on Extended Operation of Nuclear Power Plants on February 22-24. A press release (10-224) was issued to announce the workshop. Chairman Jaczko and former Commissioner Lyons (now DOE) gave the plenary talks. The power point presentations for the workshop are now available on ADAMS. It is appropriate to make a press release announcing this? The workshop summary report is under development and we would also like to communicate that it will be available shortly. Our other option is to email just those who attended the workshop.

Thanks,
Greg

From: Powell, Amy
To: Dorman, Dan; Haney, Catherine
Cc: Davis, Jack
Subject: RE: Checking in from OCA
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:01:59 PM

Yes, the letter came into me. Thanks for keeping me posted and for the timeframe – that helps.

From: Dorman, Dan
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:01 PM
To: Powell, Amy; Haney, Catherine
Cc: Davis, Jack
Subject: RE: Checking in from OCA

Amy,

Jack Davis and I have reviewed the redacted versions and staff are scanning them in now. They should be available for distribution early this afternoon. (I assume you have seen the 3/10/11 letter from Rep Hall et al that requests the 2/4/11 Haney memo referred to in Comm Ostendorff's letter.)

Dan

From: Powell, Amy
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 11:56 AM
To: Haney, Catherine; Dorman, Dan
Subject: Checking in from OCA

Hi Cathy and Dan –

I am heading to the Hill for two meetings this afternoon. I will be monitoring Bberry if there are any updates on the memos. If you need to chat "live," my cell is (b)(6) I am meetings at 1:30pm, then at 2:30pm so I will not be available then.

Do you have any sense of timing at this point or is it too soon to know yet?

Thanks,
Amy

Amy Powell
Associate Director
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Office of Congressional Affairs
Phone: 301-415-1673

From: Boger, Bruce
To: Leeds, Eric
Subject: Fw: affirmation on VY
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:06:03 PM

From: Spencer, Mary
To: Williamson, Edward; Holian, Brian
Cc: Boger, Bruce; McGinty, Tim
Sent: Thu Mar 10 16:42:37 2011
Subject: RE: affirmation on VY

FYI—the Chairman has apparently told reporters after the affirmation session that the license would be issued in the next few days.

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Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 4:19 PM
To: Holian, Brian
Cc: Spencer, Mary; Boger, Bruce; McGinty, Tim
Subject: RE: affirmation on VY

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To: Boger, Bruce; McGinty, Tim
Cc: Spencer, Mary; Williamson, Edward
Subject: affirmation on VY

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- Brian

From: Riner, Kelly
To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: Travel Authorization 11T619245 Atlanta, GA
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:07:03 PM

You had a travel authorization for your trip referenced above on 2/23/11 through 2/24/11. According to the latest travel report, the expenses haven't been paid out. Have you been paid for this travel? Let me know.

Kelly Riner
Time & Labor and Fees Coordinator, and Funds Certifier
Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards (NMSS)
Program Planning, Budgeting and Program Analysis Staff (PBPA)
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Satorius, Mark

From: (b)(6)
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:09 PM
To: Satorius, Mark
Subject: (b)(6)

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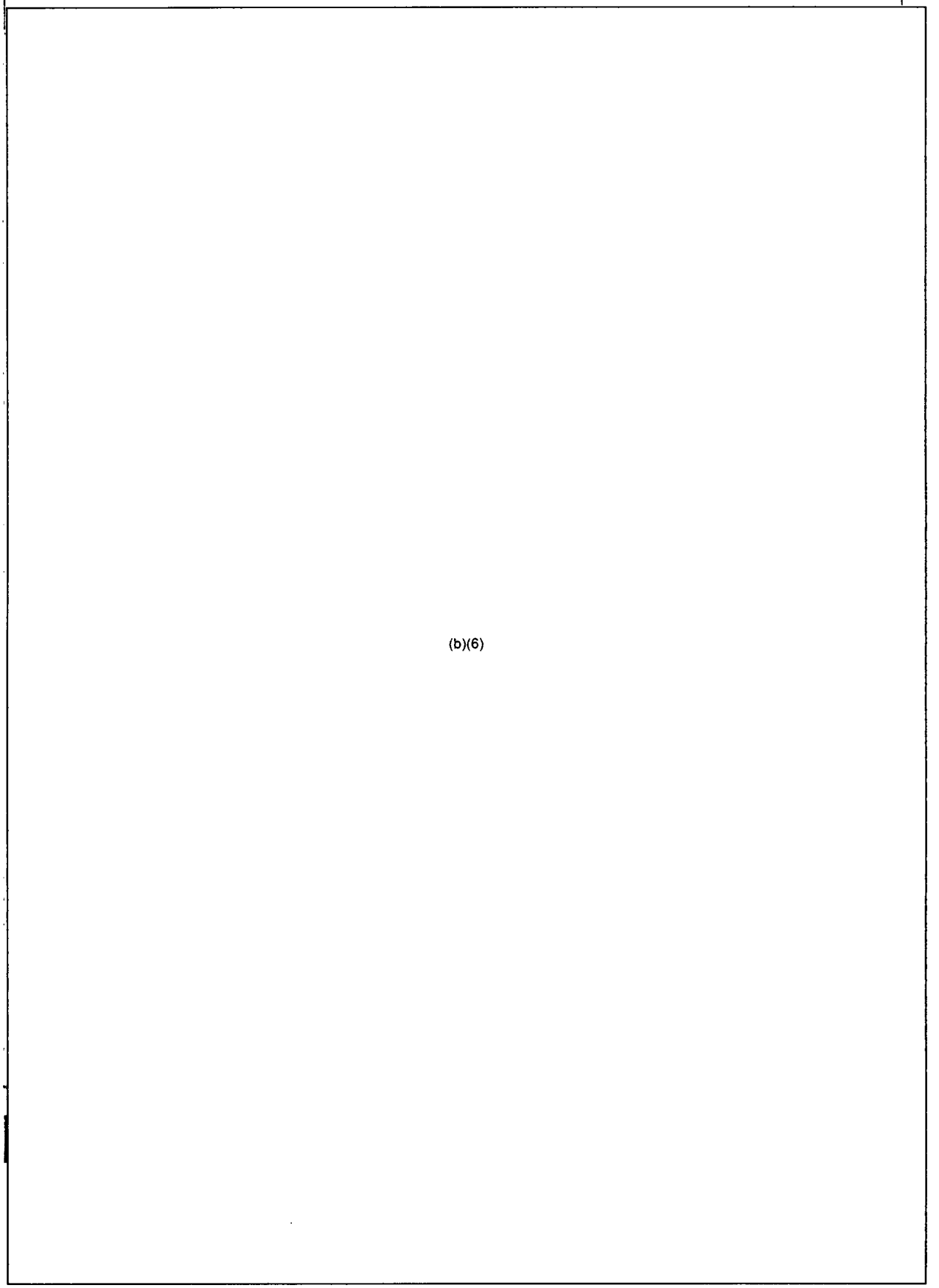
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Laur, Steven

From: Hudson, Daniel
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:10 PM
To: Dube, Donald; Stutzke, Martin
Cc: Laur, Steven
Subject: RE: level-3 PRA
Attachments: Integrated Site Level 3 PRA Scoping Study Project Schedule & Milestones 03112011.xlsx

Don,

I'm glad you asked. I was going to try to set something up with you and Steve Laur this week, but I saw that both of your schedules were packed, likely due to the RIC.

In the attached schedule and milestones document, you will see that our ACRS schedule has just changed again. We met with John Stetkar and Bill Shack yesterday, and decided that to optimize our interactions with them, would should push the meeting dates out a bit. So, we are now meeting with ACRS on:

> 5/9/2011 – Joint meeting of Subcommittees on Reliability & PRA and Regulatory Policies & Practices
> 6/8-10/2011 – Full Committee meeting

With these new dates, we are aiming to provide our program office contacts (you, Steve, Keith Compton – NMSS, and Randy Sullivan – NSIR) with a draft paper by 4/4/2011 for an initial review.

If interested, I would be happy to arrange for a meeting with you, Steve, Keith, and Randy in the interim to review our outline of the paper and to provide you with an update on our current thinking with regard to options for proceeding and perspectives on future uses.

Are you interested?

Thanks for asking the question!

Best regards,
Dan

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301-251-7919

From: Dube, Donald
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:02 PM
To: Hudson, Daniel; Stutzke, Martin
Subject: level-3 PRA

Ready with that level-3 multi-unit seismic risk paper yet?

Don

Integrated Site Level 3 PRA Scoping Study
Schedule and Milestones as of 3/11/2011

Milestone	Task Status	Start Date	Due Date
OEDO Review and Signature	Not Started	6/30/2011	7/7/2011
RES Office Director Review and Signature	Not Started	6/23/2011	6/30/2011
OGC/ADM Review and Concurrence	Not Started	6/16/2011	6/23/2011
Technical Editor Review	Not Started	6/9/2011	6/16/2011
Briefing of ACRS Full Committee	Not Started	6/8/2011	6/10/2011
Parallel Concurrence Reviews by NMSS, NRO, NRR, NSIR, OCFO	Not Started	5/19/2011	6/9/2011
Internal RES Review and Concurrence	Not Started	5/5/2011	5/19/2011
Submit Draft SECY Paper to ACRS Full Committee	Not Started	5/9/2011	5/10/2011
Follow-up Briefing of ACRS Subcommittee on Reliability & PRA	Not Started	5/9/2011	5/9/2011
Category 3 Public Meeting	Not Started	4/11/2011	4/11/2011
Submit Draft SECY Paper to ACRS Subcommittee on Reliability & PRA	Not Started	4/9/2011	4/11/2011
Submit Draft SECY Paper to Program Offices for Review	Not Started	4/4/2011	4/4/2011
Respond to Questions from RIC Technical Session	Not Started	3/9/2011	4/1/2011
Publish Public Meeting Notice on NRC Public Meeting Schedule	Not Started	3/10/2011	3/28/2011
Draft Agenda and Supporting Materials for Public Meeting	Not Started	3/10/2011	3/28/2011
Submit Draft SECY Paper to RES Management for Review	Not Started	3/28/2011	3/28/2011
Meet with DRA/DSA Management to Discuss SECY Paper Issues	Not Started	3/23/2011	3/24/2011
Submit Draft SECY Paper to DRA/DSA Management for Review	In Progress	3/21/2011	3/21/2011
RIC 2011 Technical Session and Tabletop Presentation	Completed	3/8/2011	3/10/2011
Approve Graphics & QTE Edits to Tabletop Presentation and Return to NRR	Completed	2/7/2011	2/9/2011
Internal Level 3 PRA-SOARCA Coordination Meetings	Completed	11/23/2010	2/4/2011
Develop and Submit RIC2011 Technical Session Presentation Materials	Completed	2/16/2010	2/4/2011
Develop SECY Paper Outline	Completed	1/3/2011	1/27/2011
Develop and Submit RIC2011 Tabletop Presentation Materials to Graphics	Completed	10/28/2010	1/10/2011
Complete and Submit RIC2011 Tabletop Setup Form	Completed	12/2/2010	12/15/2010
Briefing of ACRS Subcommittee on Reliability and PRA	Completed	11/4/2010	11/4/2010
Submit Briefing Materials to ACRS Subcommittee on Reliability and PRA	Completed	10/22/2010	11/5/2010
Submit Extension Request to OEDO	Completed	10/6/2010	10/29/2010
Submit Combined Level 3 PRA-SOARCA CA Note to OEDO	Completed	9/16/2010	10/5/2010
Develop Scoping Options	Completed	5/4/2010	8/30/2010
Alignment Workshop	Completed	7/27/2010	7/27/2010
Identify Scoping Study Working Group Members	Completed	4/28/2010	5/4/2010
Brainstorming Workshop	Completed	4/28/2010	4/28/2010
SRM M100218 Issued to Direct Staff to Provide Options to Commission	Completed	3/19/2010	3/19/2010
Annual Commission Briefing on RES Programs, Performance, and Future Plans	Completed	2/18/2010	2/18/2010

From: Ruland, William
To: Perkins, Richard
Subject: RE: Your proposed Generic Issue Analysis Report - Upstream Dam Failure
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:13:00 PM

Thanks!

From: Perkins, Richard
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 11:24 AM
To: Ruland, William; Pohida, Marie; Compton, Keith
Cc: Beasley, Benjamin
Subject: Your proposed Generic Issue Analysis Report - Upstream Dam Failure

For your information-

I anticipate sending you the analysis report for the proposed generic issue on upstream dam failure this afternoon or Monday. I will be in touch with you in the near future about setting up our first presentation meeting after you have had a chance to read the report.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Thank you,

Richard H. Perkins, P.E.
Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Office of Nuclear Regulatory Research
Division of Risk Analysis
Operating Experience and Generic Issues Branch
Phone - 301/251-7479

Satorius, Mark

From: (b)(6)
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:16 PM
To: Satorius, Mark
Subject: (b)(6)

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Satorius, Mark

From: West, Steven
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:16 PM
To: Satorius, Mark; Pederson, Cynthia
Cc: Boland, Anne
Subject: FW: Daily Morning Meeting News March 10 2011.docx
Attachments: Daily Morning Meeting News March 11 2011.docx

Mark and Cindy,

I should have mentioned this morning: We'll do a reactive inspection in response to the medical event. We'll start next Tuesday.

Steve

From: Dickson, Billy
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 11:56 AM
To: All R3 Users
Subject: Daily Morning Meeting News March 10 2011.docx

The Daily Morning Meeting News for March 10, 2011

Note: This newsletter may contain pre-decisional info.

Do not distribute outside the NRC.

Support Issues:

RA	None
DRP	None
DRS	None
DNMS	None
DRMA	None
STATES	None
EICS	None
PAO	None

http://www.bulletinnews.com/nrc/

TSS RPS will be down for maintenance today at 2:30 pm.

Materials Events/Issues

Event Notice #46665- Medical Event Involving Administration of Greater Than Ordered Dose (University of Michigan Hospital).

Reactor Events

Event Notification #46666- Inadvertent Opening of Substation Breaker Causing Loss Of Station Power.

http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/eventstatus/event/en.html#en46666

See Branch 5

Plant status

BRANCH 1 Vibration monitors and torus water level indications at both Dresden and Quad Cities showed deflections due to earthquake in Japan. No impact on site.

Dresden U2:

U3:

Quad Cities U1:

U2

Clinton The Regulatory Assurance Manager (Dan Kemper) will be swapping positions with Site Engineering Manager (Brian Davis).

BRANCH 2

Monticello Plant in Mode 5, S/D risk = green, RCS Temp = 93; time to boil = 3.5 hours.

Issues with Steam Dryer lifting rig fixed.

LaSalle U1:

U2:

Duane Arnold Torus water level indication responded to earthquake in Japan. No impact on site.

BRANCH 3 **Plant are quiet.**

Byron U1:

U2:

Braidwood U1: Received notification from site that weekly tritium sample results (taken on 3/9) indicated that the tritium concentration in the North Oil Seperator was approximately 3147 pCi/l (1150 pCi/l site administrative limits).

As part of contingency actions, the licensee sampled the H-ditch (site drainage outfall adjacent to city of Godley). The initial results showed tritium concentration of 647 pCi/l (State of Illinois offsite limit is 200 pCi/l). Confirmatory samples taken on 3/11 indicate that North Oil separator pit tritium concentrations are at 1730 pCi/l (normally 600-1000 pCi/l) and H-ditch less than 165 pCi/l (lower limit of detection). Licensee suspects cross contamination occurred in lab during

initial analysis, due to lab ventilation system being out of service. Additionally, the licensee suspect recapture (heavy percipitation in area) is the cause of elevated North oil seperator results. The licensee will continue to sample both locations twice a day for the next week.

U2:

BRANCH 4

Fermi — Michigan State Senator Tom Casperson (District 38) and 5 aids from different districts will be onsite for plant tour. No planned involvement/interaction with resident inspectors at this time.

Palisades — Yellow risk for EDG 1/2 outage and maintenance window, currently, in day 5 of 7 for LCO. Surveillance testing is scheduled for today. The licensee decided has decided to replace governor as originally planned. An op eval is already in place due to governor aging issues (Part 21). The LCO expires Monday 0058.

Prairie Island U1:

U2:

BRANCH 5

Point Beach U1:

U2: Mode 6. Core off load scheduled to be complete tonight.

Kewaunee — RFO, defueled, time to boil = 11.1 hours.

Event notification #46666- On 3/10, power was lost to Safeguards 4160 Volt Bus 6. Diesel Generator B started and re-energized Bus 6. At the time of the event, Bus 6 was energized from the Main Auxiliary Transformer on backfeed. The event was caused by opening of substation breaker TA2066 as the result of an error by technicians working in the substation.

The licensee suspects human performance issue was the cause of occurring (selected incorrect switch during maintenance in switchyard). Power was loss to resident inspector office and the Site's TSC. Phone service in the TSC and resident inspectors' office was loss. Inspectors made initial contact through cell phone. DRP will follow-up with DRS Engineering Branch.

BRANCH 6

Davis-Besse

DC Cook — U1: The licensee will be shutting down reactor this weekend to address main generator leakage. Currently this will be a seven-day planned maintenance outage.

U2:

Perry

NRR

None

Additional Support Issues

Other Issues

Personnel News

Daily

One Week Look Ahead

None

Weekly EDO Call Bullets

None

Post 8:15 Meeting Topics

Mike Jones will discuss Diesel Governor operations on 3/16.

TSS/Julio to provide sage wisdom on threshold for daily notes

Please note that all Daily Morning Meeting Notes are available on the Shared drive:

S:\Daily Morning Meeting Notes

The above link will open Windows Explorer, and simple searches for past "Post-8:15 Meeting Topics" can be performed using the "Search" function. The presenter may be able to provide additional information or answer questions of interest regarding the particular topic.

From: NMSSBOX Resource
To: NMSS Distribution
Subject: Briefing - Project Manger Financial Roles and Responsibilities
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:24:51 PM

To: All NMSS STAFF

From: NMSS/PBPA/Financial Management Branch

Subject: Briefing – Project Manger Financial Roles and Responsibilities

NMSS/PBPA invites you to attend a briefing on the financial roles and responsibilities of a project manager. The briefing will focus on the importance of accurate spending plans, how spending plans inform the timing for commitments and obligations, and the importance of timely approval or disapproval of invoices and IPACs.

- March 16, 2011 from 9:00 to 10:00, in Room E3-B18
- March 24, 2011 from 10:00 to 11:00, in Room E1-B13
- March 29. 2011 from 2:00 to 3:00, in Room E1-B15

All project managers and branch chiefs should plan on attending one of the three sessions offered. All staff are welcome. For more information, please contact Karen Fitch.

From: Leeds, Eric
To: Boger, Bruce
Subject: RE: affirmation on VY
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:30:00 PM

Thanks, Bruce!

Eric J. Leeds, Director
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
301-415-1270

From: Boger, Bruce
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:08 PM
To: Leeds, Eric
Subject: Fw: affirmation on VY

From: McGinty, Tim
To: Williamson, Edward; Holian, Brian
Cc: Spencer, Mary; Boger, Bruce; Lee, Samson; Schwarz, Sherry; Jones(NRR), Latoya; Kuntz, Robert; Quay, Theodore; Craver, Patti
Sent: Fri Mar 11 11:22:58 2011
Subject: RE: affirmation on VY

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- Brian

Satorius, Mark

From: Satorius, Mark
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:31 PM
To: Home
Subject: (b)(6)
Attachments:

From: MIDN Spencer A. Jurkiewicz [mailto (b)(6)
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:46 AM
To: Satorius, Mark
Subject: (b)(6)

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From: Leeds, Eric
To: McGinty, Tim; Schwarz, Sherry
Cc: Holian, Brian; Boger, Bruce; Grobe, Jack
Subject: RE: affirmation on VY
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:33:00 PM

Great work, Tim – thank you. Brian – thanks for keeping this ball rolling!

Eric J. Leeds, Director
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
301-415-1270

From: McGinty, Tim
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:04 PM
To: Schwarz, Sherry; Leeds, Eric
Cc: Holian, Brian
Subject: Fw: affirmation on VY

Sherry - pls confirm OK with Eric that I signed for him.

Sent from my NRC blackberry
Tim McGinty
(b)(6)

From: Holian, Brian
To: McGinty, Tim
Cc: Pham, Bo
Sent: Fri Mar 11 11:38:46 2011
Subject: RE: affirmation on VY

Fine...I told Eric yesterday to look for it...
I was getting them to hunt you down to initial for Bruce....just let Eric know you signed it for him so he knows it is on the way to OCM.

Entergy will send a rep for the signing Wed at 3 pm.

I plan to give Bruce the license on Monday morning. ...If Eric wants a draft early we can give him one today.
- B

From: McGinty, Tim
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 11:23 AM
To: Williamson, Edward; Holian, Brian
Cc: Spencer, Mary; Boger, Bruce; Lee, Samson; Schwarz, Sherry; Jones(NRR), Latoya; Kuntz, Robert; Quay, Theodore; Craver, Patti
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Satorius, Mark

From: Lerch, Robert
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:34 PM
To: Dickson, Billy; All R3 Users
Subject: RE: Daily Morning Meeting News March 10 2011.docx

Palisades decided not to replace the governor on the 1-2 EDG. This shortens the EDG outage. The resident inspectors are reviewing the licensees justification for extended use of the governor beyond the vendor recommended period.

Robert Lerch
630/829-9759
Project Engineer, Branch 4
Div. of Reactor Projects, RIII
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission

From: Dickson, Billy
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 11:56 AM
To: All R3 Users
Subject: Daily Morning Meeting News March 10 2011.docx

The Daily Morning Meeting News for March 10, 2011

Note: This newsletter may contain pre-decisional info.

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Support Issues:

RA	None
DRP	None
DRS	None
DNMS	None
DRMA	None
STATES	None
EICS	None
PAO	None

http://www.bulletinnews.com/nrc/

TSS RPS will be down for maintenance today at 2:30 pm.

Materials Events/Issues

Event Notice #46665- Medical Event Involving Administration of Greater Than Ordered Dose (University of Michigan Hospital).

Reactor Events

Event Notification #46666- Inadvertent Opening of Substation Breaker Causing Loss Of Station Power.

http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/eventstatus/event/en.html#en46666

See Branch 5

Plant status

BRANCH 1 Vibration monitors and torus water level indications at both Dresden and Quad Cities showed deflections due to earthquake in Japan. No impact on site.

Dresden U2:

U3:

Quad Cities U1:

U2

Clinton The Regulatory Assurance Manager (Dan Kemper) will be swapping positions with Site Engineering Manager (Brian Davis).

BRANCH 2

Monticello Plant in Mode 5, S/D risk = green, RCS Temp = 93; time to boil = 3.5 hours.

Issues with Steam Dryer lifting rig fixed.

LaSalle U1:

U2:

Duane Arnold Torus water level indication responded to earthquake in Japan. No impact on site.

BRANCH 3 **Plant are quiet.**

Byron U1:

U2:

Braidwood U1: Received notification from site that weekly tritium sample results (taken on 3/9) indicated that the tritium concentration in the North Oil Seperator was approximately 3147 pCi/l (1150 pCi/l site administrative limits).

As part of contingency actions, the licensee sampled the H-ditch (site drainage outfall adjacent to city of Godley). The initial results showed tritium concentration of 647 pCi/l (State of Illinois offsite limit is 200 pCi/l). Confirmatory samples taken on 3/11 indicate that North Oil separator pit tritium concentrations are at 1730 pCi/l (normally 600-1000 pCi/l) and H-ditch less than 165 pCi/l (lower limit of detection). Licensee suspects cross contamination occurred in lab during

initial analysis, due to lab ventilation system being out of service. Additionally, the licensee suspect recapture (heavy percipitation in area) is the cause of elevated North oil seperator results. The licensee will continue to sample both locations twice a day for the next week.

U2:

BRANCH 4

Fermi — Michigan State Senator Tom Casperson (District 38) and 5 aids from different districts will be onsite for plant tour. No planned involvement/interaction with resident inspectors at this time.

Palisades — Yellow risk for EDG 1/2 outage and maintenance window, currently, in day 5 of 7 for LCO. Surveillance testing is scheduled for today. The licensee decided has decided to replace governor as originally planned. An op eval is already in place due to governor aging issues (Part 21). The LCO expires Monday 0058.

Prairie Island U1:

U2:

BRANCH 5

Point Beach U1:

U2: Mode 6. Core off load scheduled to be complete tonight.

Kewaunee — RFO, defueled, time to boil = 11.1 hours.

Event notification #46666- On 3/10, power was lost to Safeguards 4160 Volt Bus 6. Diesel Generator B started and re-energized Bus 6. At the time of the event, Bus 6 was energized from the Main Auxiliary Transformer on backfeed. The event was caused by opening of substation breaker TA2066 as the result of an error by technicians working in the substation.

The licensee suspects human performance issue was the cause of occurring (selected incorrect switch during maintenance in switchyard). Power was loss to resident inspector office and the Site's TSC. Phone service in the TSC and resident inspectors' office was loss. Inspectors made initial contact through cell phone. DRP will follow-up with DRS Engineering Branch.

BRANCH 6

Davis-Besse

DC Cook — U1: The licensee will be shutting down reactor this weekend to address main generator leakage. Currently this will be a seven-day planned maintenance outage.

U2:

Perry

NRR

None

Additional Support Issues

Other Issues

Personnel News

Daily

One Week Look Ahead

None

Weekly EDO Call Bullets

None

Post 8:15 Meeting Topics

Mike Jones will discuss Diesel Governor operations on 3/16.

TSS/Julio to provide sage wisdom on threshold for daily notes

Please note that all Daily Morning Meeting Notes are available on the Shared drive:

S:\Daily Morning Meeting Notes

The above link will open Windows Explorer, and simple searches for past "Post-8:15 Meeting Topics" can be performed using the "Search" function. The presenter may be able to provide additional information or answer questions of interest regarding the particular topic.

From: Smith, George
To: Trapp, James
Subject: FW: Request for Facilitation Services
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:36:25 PM

Jim, another one I'd like to volunteer for.

George E. Smith
Inspector, Division of Reactor Safety
Region I
WP: 610-337-6916
CP (b)(6)
George.smith@nrc.gov

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From: Barkley, Richard
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:32 PM
To: Adelstein, Patricia; Anderson, Brian; Bafundo Crimm, Nina; Bailey, Kenneth; Barkley, Richard; BowdenBerry, Elva; Burton, William; Carpenter, Gene; Daniel, Richard; Fehst, Geraldine; Fuller, Michael; Glenn, Nichole; Heck, Jared; Kotra, Janet; Krsek, Robert; Leslie, Bret; Maier, Bill; Meeting_Facilitation Resource; Mroz (Sahm), Sara; Rakovan, Lance; Rivera, Alison; Rodriguez, Michael; Salter, Susan; Smith, George; Stuyvenberg, Andrew; Wright, Lisa (Gibney)
Subject: FW: Request for Facilitation Services

New request – This should be a lively meeting. Below is what I learned regarding the length of the meeting, and the extent of the need for facilitation.

We're planning on two days to allow for some flexibility in length of the sessions. I'm not sure how it works, but it would be one workshop (not separate break-out sessions), so it seems that we would only need one person -- but maybe we need to discuss this more.

We'll be having a working meeting to start discussing this in earnest next week, so I can fill you in after that meeting.

From: Communications Site [mailto:webwork.resource@nrc.gov]
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 10:00 AM
To: Pineda, Christine
Subject: Request for Facilitation Services

Christine Pineda (for now) of NMSS is requesting facilitation assisstance for a single meeting involving extended SNF storage regulatory and technical issues .

Details include:

- Meeting Purpose: soliciting early input from stakeholders on the issues that concern them
- Type of Meeting: Not Sure
- Date(s) of Meeting: 7/26-7/27/2011
- Location(s): auditorium
- Style of Meeting: workshop
- Expected Level of Controversy/Contention: High
- Expected Number of Attendees: 100+
- Sensitivity of Topics to be Discussed:Publicly available

Additional Details: very early planning process

Christine Pineda (for now) can be reach at 301-492-3154.

From: Jones, Sam
To: Weaver, Doug; Bailey, Marissa; Benner, Eric; Stablein, King; Jones, Kimberly; Negrin, Darlene; Easson, Pamela
Cc: Mohseni, Aby; Davis, Jack; Pulliam, Timothy; Haney, Catherine; Dorman, Dan; Jones, Sam
Subject: RE: Action: Comments on the draft 03/09/11 DLT ROD are due by Monday March 14, 2011 COB. (EOM)
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:36:36 PM

Doug:

My pleasure.
I have SharePoint set up for ET, LT and DLT access.
Also, Steve Liu and Lisa Culp have access too, as system administrators.

Sam

From: Weaver, Doug
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 8:58 PM
To: Jones, Sam; Bailey, Marissa; Benner, Eric; Stablein, King; Jones, Kimberly; Negrin, Darlene; Easson, Pamela
Cc: Mohseni, Aby; Davis, Jack; Pulliam, Timothy
Subject: RE: Action: Comments on the draft 03/09/11 DLT ROD are due by Monday March 14, 2011 COB. (EOM)

Sam,

No comments. Thank you for posting on SharePoint. Who has access to the RODs?

Doug

From: Jones, Sam
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 4:10 PM
To: Weaver, Doug; Bailey, Marissa; Benner, Eric; Stablein, King; Jones, Kimberly; Negrin, Darlene; Easson, Pamela
Cc: Mohseni, Aby; Davis, Jack; Pulliam, Timothy; Ordaz, Vonna; Kinneman, John; Kokajko, Lawrence; Dorman, Dan; Haney, Catherine; Fitch, Karen; Jones, Sam
Subject: Action: Comments on the draft 03/09/11 DLT ROD are due by Monday March 14, 2011 COB. (EOM)

The draft DLT ROD for the 03/09/11 meeting is on: http://portal.nrc.gov/edo/nmss/Other%20NMSS%20Documents/Forms/AllItems.aspx?RootFolder=%2fedo%2fnmss%2fOther%20NMSS%20Documents%2fDLT&FolderCTID=&View=%7b957BFF58%2d7A0A%2d47D0%2d9FB2%2d7D327F8E1781%7d

From: Liu, Steve
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 3:49 PM
To: Jones, Sam
Cc: Easson, Pamela; Pulliam, Timothy; Culp, Lisa
Subject: DLT Sharepoint Folder

Sam,

As requested, I created a "DLT Sharepoint Folder" at NMSS sharepoint site. I added DLT members from all divisions with contribute permission. In addition, Pam, Karen, Sam, and Kim are also included.

To access DLT folder, please follow either one of options listed below:

1. Direct link to "DLT Link", Please save it into your "Favorites"
http://portal.nrc.gov/edo/nmss/Other%20NMSS%20Documents/Forms/AllItems.aspx?RootFolder=%2fedo%2fnmss%2fOther%20NMSS%20Documents%2fDLT&FolderCTID=&View=%7b957BFF58%2d7A0A%2d47D0%2d9FB2%2d7D327F8E1781%7d

2. Access from NMSS Sharepoint site
   a. Step 1: http://portal.nrc.gov/edo/nmss/default.aspx
   b. Click on "Other NMSS Documents" at left Panel
   c. Click on "DLT" Folder

Please let me know if any comments. Thanks

Steve

From: Schwartzman, Jennifer
To: Fragoyannis, Nancy; Brach, Bill; Layton, Michael; "ShafferMr@state.gov"; Mamish, Nader; Williams, Shawn; Virgilio, Martin
Subject: RE: Clean Version and Track Change Version
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:40:53 PM

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From: Fragoyannis, Nancy
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:31 PM
To: Schwartzman, Jennifer; Brach, Bill; Layton, Michael; 'ShafferMr@state.gov'; Mamish, Nader; Williams, Shawn; Virgilio, Martin
Subject: RE: Clean Version and Track Change Version

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From: Schwartzman, Jennifer
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:28 PM
To: Fragoyannis, Nancy; Brach, Bill; Layton, Michael; 'ShafferMr@state.gov'; Mamish, Nader; Williams, Shawn; Virgilio, Martin
Subject: RE: Clean Version and Track Change Version

(b)(5) Jill Zubarev informed her colleagues in Washington.

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To: Brach, Bill; Layton, Michael; 'ShafferMr@state.gov'; Mamish, Nader; Williams, Shawn; Virgilio, Martin; Schwartzman, Jennifer
Subject: FW: Clean Version and Track Change Version

Please review the attached as soon as possible. One is a clean copy and the other has track changes. Please review carefully to ensure our edits are accurate. (b)(5)

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Thank you very much.

Nancy

From: Williams, Shawn
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:19 PM
To: Fragoyannis, Nancy
Subject: Clean Version and Track Change Version

Shawn Williams
Executive Technical Assistant

Office of the Executive Director for Operations
301-415-1009

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From: Powell, Amy
To: Davis, Jack; Dorman, Dan; Haney, Catherine
Subject: Re: Checking in from OCA
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:43:02 PM

I did but my reply to all just failed on the Bberry.

Amy Powell
Associate Director
Office of Congressional Affairs
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Phone: 301-415-1673

Sent from my Blackberry

From: Davis, Jack
To: Powell, Amy; Dorman, Dan; Haney, Catherine
Sent: Fri Mar 11 12:41:56 2011
Subject: RE: Checking in from OCA

Hi Amy,

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Cc: Davis, Jack
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To: Haney, Catherine; Dorman, Dan
Subject: Checking in from OCA

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Do you have any sense of timing at this point or is it too soon to know yet?

Thanks,
Amy

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From:	Lorette, Phillip
To:	Csontos, Aladar; Norris, Wallace
Cc:	Lubinski, John; Karwoski, Kenneth; Lupold, Timothy; Manoly, Kamal; Bergman, Thomas; Norato, Michael; Terao, David; McIntyre, Richard; Reichelt, Eric; Moyer, Carol; Stevens, Gary; Focht, Eric; Hardies, Robert; Evans, Michele
Subject:	This is the ML# for the package to access the enclosures.
Date:	Friday, March 11, 2011 12:47:06 PM
Attachments:	ML110691057.APK

Sent the memo ML instead of the Package ML .

My apologies

Phil

Attachment ML110691057.APK (107 Bytes) cannot be converted to PDF format.

From: Culp, Lisa
To: Haney, Catherine; Dorman, Dan; Doolittle, Elizabeth
Cc: Easson, Pamela; Culp, Lisa
Subject: Draft of OEDO Presentation
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:47:25 PM
Attachments: Powerpoint for Dan"s OEDO talk .ppt

Hello,

Attached is the draft of the PowerPoint presentation for the OEDO. (b)(5)

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Thanks,
Lisa-Anne

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Satorius, Mark

From: ODaniell, Cynthia
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:52 PM
To: Barkley, Richard
Cc: Satorius, Mark
Subject: RE: Please Put These Into ADAMS Tomorrow as Publicly Available - They are from the RIC

ISFSI Notes - ADAMS Document Accession No.: ML110700225
Virgilio Slides – ADAMS Document Accession No.: ML1100700457

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From: Barkley, Richard
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 5:42 PM
To: ODaniell, Cynthia
Cc: Satorius, Mark
Subject: Please Put These Into ADAMS Tomorrow as Publicly Available - They are from the RIC

Thanks! They should be made available for immediate release.

Richard S. Barkley, PE
Nuclear & Environmental Engineer
(610) 337-5065 Work
(b)(6) Cell

From: Haney, Catherine
To: Dyer, Jim
Subject: Re: Haney Affidavit.docx
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 1:28:01 PM

Yes. I will get you a copy

From: Dyer, Jim
To: Haney, Catherine
Sent: Fri Mar 11 12:06:47 2011
Subject: RE: Haney Affidavit.docx

Did you ever execute the affidavit?

From: Haney, Catherine
Sent: Wednesday, March 02, 2011 12:54 PM
To: Dyer, Jim
Subject: FW: Haney Affidavit.docx

Jim
This memo is the subject of the 1:30 call.

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From: Young, Mitzi
Sent: Wednesday, March 02, 2011 12:11 PM
To: Haney, Catherine
Cc: Hair, Christopher; Albert, Michelle; Lenehan, Daniel
Subject: FW: Haney Affidavit.docx

Marv's suggested revisions are attached and may be of assistance to you

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From: Itzkowitz, Marvin
Sent: Wednesday, March 02, 2011 11:16 AM
To: Young, Mitzi
Cc: Bielecki, Jessica
Subject: Haney Affidavit.docx

Some thoughts for your consideration. Please see attached.

From: Chin, Allison
To: Leeds, Eric
Subject: RE: LPP Extension
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 1:31:20 PM

You're welcome Eric!

ALLISON CHIN, HR SPECIALIST
OPERATIONS BRANCH A, OHR
[PHONE] **301-415-2944**
[FAX] **301-415-3818**
[MAIL STOP] **O3-E17A**

U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555

From: Leeds, Eric
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:40 PM
To: Chin, Allison
Subject: RE: LPP Extension

Thanks, Allison!

Eric J. Leeds, Director
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
301-415-1270

From: Chin, Allison
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 10:11 AM
To: Burns, Stephen; Dyer, Jim; Doane, Margaret; Virgilio, Martin; Weber, Michael; Ash, Darren; Greene, Kathryn; Boyce, Thomas (OIS); Wiggins, Jim; Johnson, Michael; Leeds, Eric; Haney, Catherine; Miller, Charles; Sheron, Brian; Dean, Bill; McCree, Victor; Satorius, Mark; Collins, Elmo
Cc: Cohen, Miriam; Gallagher, Johanna; Johns, Nancy; Tallarico, Alison
Subject: LPP Extension

Hello All:

The deadline for reviewing your LPP packages and turning in your quartile rankings and vote sheets has been extended to April 8, 2011.

The expanded ERB meeting will take place on April 22, 2011.

Thanks,

ALLISON CHIN, HR SPECIALIST
REACTOR PROGRAM SUPPORT BRANCH, OHR
[PHONE] **301-415-2944**

[FAX] **301-415-3818**
[MAIL STOP] **O3-E17A**
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission

From: Burnell, Scott
To: Mendiola, Anthony
Cc: Wu, Shih-Liang
Subject: RE: Response to OPA Region 1 questions
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 1:37:00 PM

Many thanks.

From: Mendiola, Anthony
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 1:28 PM
To: Burnell, Scott
Cc: Wu, Shih-Liang
Subject: Response to OPA Region 1 questions

Scott,

I know you are terribly busy with other items, but I promised to get this to you today.

These are our responses to the Cathy Garger questions that were forwarded to us by Region I OPA. Please feel free to edit as necessary.

Thanks,

Anthony Mendiola
Chief, Nuclear Performance and Code Review Branch
SNPB/DSS/NRR/NRC
(301) 415-1054

Attachment Responding to Region 1 OPA.doc (29696 Bytes) cannot be converted to PDF format.

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Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 1:39:17 PM

Comments from Mark.

From: Shaffer, Mark R [mailto:ShafferMr@state.gov]
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 1:21 PM
To: Fragoyannis, Nancy
Subject: RE: Clean Version and Track Change Version

Two comments:

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This email is UNCLASSIFIED.

From: Kokajko, Lawrence
To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: Out of Office: Extended Management Meeting
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 1:40:44 PM

I will be away from the office until Monday morning, March 14, 2011.

Please contact Mr. Jack Davis (301-492-3159), acting Director for HLWRS.

Alternatively, you may contact Gabriele Chidichimo (301-492-3158) for general assistance.

From: Gallardy, Vivian
To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: Out of Office: Extended Management Meeting
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 1:40:45 PM

I will be out of the office Thursday afternoon (3:00 p.m.) and all day Friday, March 11, 2011. Should you need assistance please call the front office at: 301-492-3300

From: Haney, Catherine
To: Powell, Amy
Subject: Re: Checking in from OCA
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 1:41:57 PM

Thanks

From: Powell, Amy
To: Davis, Jack; Dorman, Dan; Haney, Catherine; McIntyre, David
Sent: Fri Mar 11 13:18:03 2011
Subject: Re: Checking in from OCA

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Satorius, Mark

From: Buckley, Patricia
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 1:45 PM
To: ALL_R3
Subject: Regional Notice RN11-006 - Clean Up Day Activities
Attachments: RN11-006 Clean Up Day Activities.doc; image001.png; image002.jpg; ADAMS Document.ADC

Importance: High

Subject Regional Notice RN11-006 – Clean Up Day Activities has been added in ADAMS.

Accession No.: ML110700551

The Word document is attached for your convenience.

Thanks!

Administrative Assistant to Regional Administrator
ORA/Region III

Pat Buckley

Patricia.Buckley@nrc.gov
630/829-9657

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United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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REGIONAL NOTICE – RN11-006
CLEAN-UP DAY ACTIVITIES
APRIL 14, 2011

Effective Date: April 14, 2011 **Point of Contact**: DRMA Program Manager

Expiration Date: April 15, 2011 **Approval:** */ RA / Mark A. Satorius*
Title: Regional Administrator

A. Purpose

To inform the staff of plans for Region III's Clean-Up Day activities.

B. References

None.

C. Discussion

April 14, 2011, is designated as Region III Clean-Up Day. This is an opportunity for staff to clean up regional space, including offices, closets, file cabinets, conference rooms, special-use areas, and other common areas. Region III staff and management should dispose of unnecessary paper and electronic records to the maximum extent possible.

Clean-Up Day is a voluntary activity which must be balanced with workload demands. Participation in Clean-Up Day will not be an acceptable excuse for missing a deadline. Casual attire is acceptable, including jeans. No external meetings should be scheduled for the day.

At least one dumpster will be located on each floor for collection purposes. Regular trash should be placed in black bags. Unwanted documents can be disposed of by either recycling or shredding. **We will have a professional document destruction company onsite to shred documents. We will provide information regarding the process at a later date. It is the responsibility of each employee to maintain required protection of documents until they are shredded.** Recyclable items should be put in clear plastic bags.

Surplus supply items, in good condition, should be placed in the provided boxes located as follows:

2nd Floor -ORA/EICS – Administrative Areas
3rd Floor - DRMA/DNMS – Administrative Areas
4th Floor - DRP/DRS – Administrative Areas

Surplus Information Technology (IT) equipment (tagged) needs to be turned in directly to Mike Pope or Joan Mallon. IT supplies (diskettes, CDs, etc.) can be put in the same boxes as the surplus supplies. **Each employee is responsible for maintaining required protection of sensitive information stored on their IT equipment.**

If you have any questions regarding Clean-Up Day, please contact
Gail Christoffer-Baruch, ext 9550, (Gail.Christoffer-Baruch@nrc.gov)

From:	Hasan, Nasreen
To:	Ash, Darren; Blake, Kathleen; Borchardt, Bill; Bozin, Sunny; Bubar, Patrice; Chairman Temp; Cianci, Sandra; Crawford, Carrie; Garland, Stephanie; Gibbs, Catina; Harves, Carolyn; Hasan, Nasreen; Herr, Linda; Jimenez, Patricia; Lepre, Janet; Mamish, Nader; Muessle, Mary; Nieh, Ho; Pace, Patti; RidsEdoMailCenter Resource; RidsOcaMailCenter Resource; RidsOcfoMailCenter Resource; RidsOgcMailCenter Resource; RidsOipMailCenter Resource; RidsOIS Resource; RidsOpaMail Resource; RidsSecyMailCenter Resource; Sanfilippo, Nathan; Savoy, Carmel; Sharkey, Jeffry; Shea, Pamela; Sosa, Belkys; Speiser, Herald; Sprogeris, Patricia; Svinicki, Kristine; Taylor, Renee; Temp, GEA; Virgilio, Martin; Warnick, Greg; Wyatt, Melissa; Merzke, Daniel; Wiggins, Jim; RidsNsirMailCenter Resource; Zorn, Jason; Pearson, Laura; Marshall, Michael; Kock, Andrea; Thoma, John; Castleman, Patrick; Reddick, Darani
Subject:	CA Note - 03/11/11 - Potential Staff Non-Concurrence on Environmental Protection agency Revised Protective Action Guide (To: Commissioners" Assistants; From: Mary Muessle)
Date:	Friday, March 11, 2011 1:53:34 PM
Attachments:	CA Note DMerzke - EPA PAG Non-Concurrence.docx

Subject: CA Note - 03/11/11 - Potential Staff Non-Concurrence on Environmental Protection agency Revised Protective Action Guide (To: Commissioners' Assistants; From: Mary Muessle)

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BEFORE THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

In the Matter of	)	
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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY	)	Docket No. 63-001-HLW
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(High-Level Waste Repository)	)	ASLBP No. 09-892-HLW-CAB04
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NRC STAFF RESPONSE TO FEBRUARY 25, 2011, BOARD ORDER

INTRODUCTION

On February 25, 2011, the Construction Authorization Board 04 (Board) issued an order directing the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff (Staff) to show cause why it should not be ordered to place Volume 3 of the Safety Evaluation Report (SER) in unredacted form, except for classified and safeguards information, in its Licensing Support Network (LSN) collection as a circulated draft. Order (Directing NRC Staff's Show Cause), dated February 25, 2011 (unpublished) (Order). For the reasons set forth below, the Staff should not be ordered to place an unredacted version of SER Volume 3 on the LSN because it is a preliminary draft, not a circulated draft.

BACKGROUND

On September 30, 2009, the Board issued a case management order pacing Phase I discovery in the above-captioned proceeding with the planned SER schedule. *See* CAB Case Management Order #2, dated September 30, 2009 (unpublished), at 3. Phase 1 discovery, which includes all safety, environmental, and legal contentions related to the subject matters in SER Volume 1 or 3, began in the fall of 2009, and was scheduled to end on November 30, 2010 (or two months after issuance of Volume 3, whichever is later). *Id.* at 3.

A number of events have affected (or have the potential to affect) the SER issuance schedule. In June 2010, the Board denied a March 3, 2010, U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) motion to withdraw its License Application (LA).[1] Petitions "as to whether the Commission should review, and reverse or uphold, the Board's decision" are pending before the Commission.[2] Also in June 2010, the State of Nevada filed a motion requesting, among other things, that the Commission direct the Staff to suspend all efforts to complete and issue SER Volume 3 pending a final Commission decision on the DOE motion to withdraw.[3] In October 2010, Aiken County filed a motion requesting, in part, that the Commission direct the Staff to resume its review of the DOE LA.[4] In addition, in a proceeding challenging DOE's authority to withdraw the LA, the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit held the proceeding in abeyance pending further NRC proceedings, but later lifted the stay on the proceeding, set an expedited briefing schedule, and announced that oral arguments would begin on March 22, 2011. *See In re Aiken County* (No. 10-1050) (D.C. Cir. July 28, 2010); *In re Aiken County* (No. 10-1050) (D.C. Cir. Dec. 10, 2010); *In re Aiken County* (No. 10-1050) (D.C. Cir. Jan. 10, 2011).

Due to the lack of an NRC budget for Fiscal Year (FY) 2011, the Staff has noted in pleadings to the Commission and Board that the NRC has been operating under a Continuing

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[1] *U.S. Dep't of Energy* (High-Level Waste Repository), LBP-10-11, 71 NRC __ (June 29, 2010) (slip op.).

[2] *See* Order, dated June 30, 2010 (unpublished). On December 6, 2010, in response to Congressional inquiries, the Secretary of the Commission stated that the Commission did not have a completion date for its decision on the DOE motion to withdraw. *See* Letters from Annette L. Vietti-Cook to Congressmen Hastings, Issa, & Sensenbrenner, dated December 6, 2010 (ML103410010).

[3] *See* State of Nevada Petition for Relief with Respect to Possible Issuance of a Partial Safety Evaluation Report for Yucca Mountain, dated June 14, 2010, at 3 (Nevada Petition).

[4] *See* Motion for a Commission Order Restoring the Technical Review of the Yucca Mountain License Application, dated October 7, 2010, at 2, 7 (Aiken County Motion).

Resolution (CR) since October 1, 2010, and that the Staff commenced orderly closure of Yucca Mountain activities in accordance with Commission decisions on the FY 2011 budget. *See* NRC Staff Response to December 8, 2010 Board Order and Notification Regarding SER Volume 4 Issuance, dated December 22, 2010, at 3, 5 (December Response); NRC Staff Answer to Motion for an Order Restoring Technical Review of the Yucca Mountain License Application, dated October 18, 2010, at 3-4. The Staff stated that orderly closure would not preclude future completion of an SER if warranted. *See* December Response at 5.[5]

On November 29, 2010, the Staff informed the Board that it would not be issuing SER Volume 3 in November 2010, and that a revised schedule is "indeterminate." NRC Staff Notification Regarding SER schedule, dated November 29, 2010 (November Notification). In response to the Board's order that the Staff fully explain the timing of its November Notification and why the Staff cannot establish an SER issuance date, the Staff explained the timing of its notification, noting uncertainty regarding the proceeding and future budget decisions. *See* Order (Addressing Nevada's Motion and Discovery Status), dated December 8, 2010 (unpublished); December Response at 5.

On February 17, 2011, the Staff informed the Board that, on that same date, redacted copies of preliminary drafts of Volumes 2 and 3 of the SER had been made available in response to a Freedom of Information Act request. NRC Staff Notification of Disclosure Pursuant to Freedom of Information Act, dated February 17, 2011. In its February 25, 2011, Order, the Board stated that the Staff's December 22, 2010, explanation did not comport with

[5] The Staff noted that the Chairman has stated that the transition to close out the high-level waste program will allow the agency to respond to direction from the Congress or the courts. *See, e.g.*, December Response at 5 (citing Letter from Chairman Jaczko to Congressman Sensenbrenner, dated October 27, 2010, encl. at 1 (ML102980673)). The Chairman recently repeated this statement on February 15, 2011. *See* Letter from Chairman Jaczko to Issac Winograd, dated February 15, 2011 (ML103270666).

the Staff's February 17 notification, which categorized SER Volume 3 as a "preliminary draft." Order at 1. The Board directed the staff to show cause why it should not be ordered to place an unredacted version of SER Volume 3 on the LSN in accordance with 10 C.F.R. § 2.1001 and its continuing obligation to make a good faith effort to include after-created documents in its LSN collection. *Id.* at 1-2.

DISCUSSION

A. Applicable Legal Standards

Subpart J of 10 C.F.R. Part 2 requires that participants in this proceeding make documentary material available via the LSN. 10 C.F.R. § 2.1003(a). Each participant must make a good faith effort to identify documentary material using a rule of reason. *U.S. Dep't of Energy* (High-Level Waste Repository), LBP-04-20, 60 NRC 300, 314 (2004) (citing Submission and Management of Records and Documents Related to the Licensing of a Geologic Repository for the Disposal of High-Level Radioactive Waste, 54 Fed. Reg. 14,925, 14,934 (Apr. 14, 1989)), *appeal on other grounds held in abeyance*, CLI-04-32, 60 NRC 469 (2004). This includes an obligation to "make a diligent good faith effort" to identify all after-created and after-discovered documents in each monthly supplementation of the LSN. *See* Revised Second Case Management Order (Pre-License Application Phase Document Discovery and Dispute Resolution), dated July 6, 2007 (unpublished), at 21.

Documentary material includes (1) any information that a participant in the proceeding intends to rely upon or cite in support of its position; (2) any information that is relevant to, but does not support, the participant's position; and (3) all reports and studies, including circulated drafts, prepared by or on behalf of a participant and related to both the LA and the issues in the Topical Guidelines in Regulatory Guide 3.69, regardless of whether the participant intends to rely upon or cite the document. 10 C.F.R. § 2.1001. The requirement to submit documentary material generally applies only to final documents, *e.g.*, a document bearing the signature of an

employee or the contractor of an LSN participant. 54 Fed. Reg. at 14,934. "The only drafts of any document that must be placed on the LSN are circulated drafts of reports and studies." *U.S. Dep't of Energy* (High-Level Waste Repository), CLI-06-05, 63 NRC 143, 154 (2006).[6] Preliminary drafts, which are defined as "any nonfinal document that is not a circulated draft," are not required to be placed on the LSN. *See* 10 C.F.R. § 2.1001 (defining preliminary draft); 10 C.F.R. § 2.1003(a)(1) (requiring that an electronic file including bibliographic header for "all documentary material (*including circulated drafts but excluding preliminary drafts*)" be made available on the LSN (emphasis added)).

Subpart J defines a "circulated draft" as

> a nonfinal document circulated for supervisory concurrence or signature in which the original author or others in the concurrence process have non-concurred. A 'circulated draft' meeting the above criterion includes a draft of a document that eventually becomes a final document, and a draft of a document that does not become a final document due to either a decision not to finalize the document or the passage of a substantial period of time in which no action has been taken on the document.

10 C.F.R. § 2.1001. A draft document that "has received a nonconcurrence" satisfying the regulatory definition of circulated draft must be placed on the LSN. *High-Level Waste Repository,* CLI-06-05, 63 NRC at 158. As the Commission stated, "[t]he heart of the definition of circulated draft is the meaning of non-concurrence." *Id.* According to the Commission, there are three elements of a "non-concurrence":

1. A non-concurrence must be part of a formalized process;

2. A non-concurrence must be unresolved, with the original

[6] The circulated draft exception to the general rule that only final documents are required to be placed on the LSN is intended to capture documents where there is an unresolved objection by the author or other person in the internal concurrence process. *High-Level Waste Repository,* CLI-06-05, 63 NRC at 158 (citing Rule on the Submission and Management of Records and Documents Related to the Licensing of a Geologic Repository for the Disposal of High-Level Radioactive Waste, Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, 53 Fed. Reg. 44,411, 44,415 (Nov. 3, 1988)).

author or others in the concurrence process in disagreement with the final product; and

3. The decision-making on the document must be completed.

Id. at 159. In identifying these elements, the Commission explained that in order to qualify as a circulated draft, a "document must undergo a degree of formal review." *Id.* Further, circulated drafts need only be placed on the LSN "'after the decision-making process on the document has been completed, *i.e.*, the requirements of § 2.1003 do not require a[n] [LSN] participant to submit a circulated draft on the [LSN] while the internal decision-making process is ongoing.'" *Id.* at 158-59 (alteration in original) (quoting 54 Fed. Reg. at 14,934). The decision-making process is considered complete when there is a determination not to issue a final document or a substantial period of time is allowed to elapse with no action being taken to issue a final document. 54 Fed. Reg. at 14,934. "In sum, in order for documentary material to be considered a 'circulated draft,' it must have received a nonconcurrence in a formalized process, *and* the decisionmaking on the document must be completed." *High-Level Waste Repository*, CLI-06-05, 63 NRC at 159 (emphasis added). These "aspects of formality and finality" distinguish a circulated draft from a preliminary draft. *Id.* The Commission expects all participants to make a good faith effort to apply the intent of the circulated draft rule to their document approval process. 54 Fed. Reg. at 14,934.

B. SER Volume 3 Is a Preliminary Draft, Not a Circulated Draft

The Board should not order the Staff to place SER Volume 3 on the LSN because SER Volume 3 is a preliminary draft that is not required to be placed on the LSN. *See* 10 C.F.R. § 2.1003(a)(1) (providing that "all documentary material (including circulated drafts but excluding preliminary drafts)" is to be placed on the LSN); *see also High-Level Waste Repository*, CLI-06-05, 63 NRC at 154 ("The only drafts of any document that must be placed on the LSN are circulated drafts of reports and studies."). Subpart J defines a "preliminary draft" as "any

nonfinal document that is not a circulated draft." 10 C.F.R. § 2.1001. Draft SER Volume 3 is a nonfinal document because the reviews of the document have been ongoing since October 2010 for the purpose of developing a technical evaluation report (TER). *See* Haney Affidavit at ¶ 5. Thus, the Staff's analyses, recommendations, opinions, and evaluations in draft SER Volume 3 are preliminary, not final. *Id.* Accordingly, the draft document is not suitable for inclusion in the LSN unless it is a circulated draft.

Draft SER Volume 3 is not a circulated draft. *See* 10 C.F.R. § 2.1001. For a nonfinal document to be considered a circulated draft, three elements of non-concurrence must be satisfied: (1) the document must have received a non-concurrence in a formalized process, (2) the non-concurrence must be unresolved, and (3) the decision-making on the document must be completed. *High-Level Waste Repository,* CLI-06-05, 63 NRC at 158-59; *see also* 10 C.F.R. § 2.1001. According to the Commission, a "determination not to issue a final document, or allowing a substantial period of time to elapse with no action being taken to issue a final document, shall be deemed to be the completion of the decision-making process." 54 Fed. Reg. at 14,934. The Staff has used a formalized concurrence process for SER Volume 3. *See* Haney Affidavit at ¶ 2. To date, there have not been any non-concurrences on SER Volume 3. *Id.* Therefore, the first two elements have not been satisfied, which is sufficient alone to render the document a preliminary, not circulated, draft.

In addition, decision-making on draft SER Volume 3 is not yet complete because a decision on whether to issue that volume will depend on the culmination of decision-making that is still in progress and beyond the Staff's control. Haney Affidavit at ¶ 6; *see* December Response at 5. A decision whether to issue the SER simply cannot be made at this juncture and is indeterminate. *See* Haney Affidavit at ¶ 6. Decision-making on SER Volume 3 has been and could be impacted by matters currently pending before the Commission—*e.g.,* the Nevada Petition seeking suspension of the Staff's work on SER Volume 3 and the Aiken County Motion

seeking resumption of the Staff's review of the LA—and the uncertainty regarding future Congressional appropriations. *See id.*; December Response at 5. Because matters that inform a decision on SER issuance are pending before the Commission, Congress, and Federal court, decision-making on draft SER Volume 3 is not complete. *See* Haney Affidavit at ¶ 6.

Further, in light of the uncertainty associated with the budget and pending legal actions, there has not been a substantial period of time that has elapsed with no action taken on the SER Volume 3. *See* 10 C.F.R. § 2.1001. In addition, the Staff is using SER Volume 3 to develop the TER. Haney Affidavit at ¶ 4. TER activities include ongoing reviews of draft SER Volume 3, and were in progress at the time of the November Notification. *See id.* at ¶ 5. Thus, action is being taken that would assist, in part, in finalizing an SER if warranted in the future. *See id.* Because the third element is not satisfied, SER Volume 3 cannot be considered a circulated draft. *See High-Level Waste Repository,* CLI-06-05, 63 NRC at 159 ("[I]n order for documentary material to be considered to be a 'circulated draft,' . . . the decision-making on the document must be completed.").

Therefore, SER Volume 3 is a nonfinal document that satisfies the "preliminary draft" definition set forth in 10 C.F.R. § 2.1001 and is not required to be placed on the LSN. Because the Staff's determination that SER Volume 3 is a preliminary draft is both well-supported and reasonable, the Staff has fulfilled its good faith obligation as an LSN participant. *See High-Level Waste Repository*, LBP-04-20, 60 NRC at 314 (LSN participants must expend, "in good faith, every reasonable effort to make all of its documentary material available"); Revised Second Case Management Order (Pre-License Application Phase Document Discovery and Dispute Resolution), dated July 6, 2007 (unpublished), at 21.

A Board ruling that SER Volume 3 is a circulated draft would be contrary to the Commission's statement that all three elements of non-concurrence must be satisfied for a document to be a circulated draft. *See High-Level Waste Repository,* CLI-06-05, 63 NRC

at 159. In addition, an order requiring the Staff to place an unredacted version of Volume 3 in the LSN would cause harm because the Staff's deliberative process privilege would, in effect, be waived. *See High-Level Waste Repository,* CLI-06-05, 63 NRC at 158 ("'In effect, the Commission and the other government agencies who are [LSN] participants are waiving their deliberative process privilege for these circulated drafts.'" (alteration in original) (quoting 53 Fed. Reg. at 44,415)). The purpose of the deliberative process privilege is "'to prevent injury to the quality of agency decisions.'" *David Geisen* (Davis-Besse employee), LBP-06-25, 64 NRC 367, 380 (2006) (quoting *National Labor Relations Board v. Sears, Roebuck & Co.,* 421 U.S. 132, 151 (1975)). The release of predecisional information regarding the Staff's preliminary evaluations, conclusions, and findings could adversely affect future Staff deliberations, cause confusion, and mislead the public with regard to the agency's final decision on whether the DOE LA meets post-closure requirements. *See* Haney Affidavit at ¶ 7. Accordingly, the Board should not order the Staff to place an unredacted version of SER Volume 3 on the LSN.[7]

[7] As shown, neither Subpart J nor any other authority requires that draft SER Volume 3 be placed on the LSN. Accordingly, the Board should not order the Staff to release the document. Since the Board does not direct the Staff's license application review activities, including the Staff's decision whether to publicly release license review documents, the Board should not order release of an unredacted version of SER Volume 3 before the Commission has the opportunity to consider the issue. *See Duke Energy Corp.* (Catawba Nuclear Station, Units 1 and 2), CLI-04-6, 59 NRC 62, 74 (2004) ("We long have held that licensing boards do not sit to correct NRC Staff misdeeds or to supervise or direct NRC Staff regulatory reviews.").

CONCLUSION

For the reasons set forth above, the Board should not order the Staff to place an unredacted version of SER Volume 3 on the LSN because it is a preliminary draft.

Respectfully submitted,

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AFFIDAVIT OF CATHERINE HANEY
IN RESPONSE TO FEBRUARY 25, 2011, BOARD ORDER

I, Catherine Haney, do hereby state as follows:

1. I am employed by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) as the Director of the Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards (NMSS). The Division of High-Level Waste Repository Safety, which reports to me, is responsible for reviewing the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) License Application (LA) for a geologic repository at Yucca Mountain, Nevada.

2. The Staff's concurrence process for the Safety Evaluation Report (SER) related to the LA is governed by formal procedures, including the Division of High-Level Waste Repository Safety Director's Policy and Procedures Letter 002, Documenting Non-concurrence, dated October 25, 2005 (ML052760346), and Management Directive 3.57, Correspondence Management, dated October 18, 2005 (ML053070034). To date, there have not been any non-concurrences on SER Volume 3.

3. In my capacity as NMSS Director, I was provided a draft of SER Volume 3 in July 2010 for concurrence and authorization to request publication. It is my responsibility as NMSS Director to provide revisions and comments as I deem necessary on documents submitted for my review.

4. In October 2010, the Staff began transitioning its DOE LA review activities to orderly closure. As part of this process, the Staff transitioned from completing SER Volume 3 to

completing a technical evaluation report (TER) on post-closure information in the DOE LA. The Staff is using the draft SER Volume 3 to develop the TER. Yucca Mountain orderly closure activities will not preclude future completion of an SER.

5. After a draft copy of SER Volume 3 was provided to me in July 2010, the Staff continued to review and revise portions of that draft through September 2010. Since October 2010, reviews of individual chapters of SER Volume 3 have been ongoing for the purpose of developing the TER. This work would also assist, in part, the future finalization of an SER, if directed. I have neither concurred nor non-concurred on the July 2010 draft nor any subsequent drafts of SER Volume 3. In my view, the Staff's analyses, recommendations, opinions, and evaluations in SER Volume 3 are, therefore, preliminary.

6. Issuance of an SER is indeterminate due to circumstances beyond the Staff's control. The decision-making is, therefore, not complete.

7. In my opinion, release of an unredacted version of draft SER Volume 3 during an ongoing adjudicatory proceeding could result in harm to the agency. It could prematurely disclose the preliminary views of the Staff prior to the Staff's final decision on whether the DOE LA meets post-closure requirements and could inhibit the open and frank exchange of ideas essential to the deliberative process. In addition, release could create confusion regarding the agency's final decisions.

8. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the forgoing statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/RA/

Catherine Haney
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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission

Executed in Rockville, Maryland
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Date:	Friday, March 11, 2011 2:06:42 PM
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DUE TO NMSS: 03/21/2011

DUE TO FSME: 03/24/2011

Mary L. Rodgers
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From: Doolittle, Elizabeth
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:47 AM
To: Rodgers, Mary; Walker, Dwight
Subject: FW: Action: Materials and Waste Annual Performance Report Concurrence by 3/24/2011
Importance: High

Mary and Dwight,

Let's ticket this.

Beth

From: White, Duane
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:55 AM
To: Camper, Larry; Haney, Catherine; Dean, Bill; McCree, Victor; Satorius, Mark; Collins, Elmo; Wiggins, Jim; McCrary, Cheryl; Zimmerman, Roy; Scott, Catherine
Cc: Campbell, Andy; Dapas, Marc; Dorman, Dan; Howell, Art; Krupnick, David; Lew, David; Moore, Scott; Pederson, Cynthia; Boland, Anne; Campbell, Andy; Caniano, Roy; Correia, Richard; Gody, Tony; Kinneman, John; Krupnick, David; Lewis, Robert; Lorson, Raymond; Safford, Carrie; Tschiltz, Michael; Louden, Patrick; Luehman, James; Cai, June; McIntosh, Angela; Layton, Michael; Evans, Michele;

Doolittle, Elizabeth; Diec, David; Hilton, Nick; Matakas, Gina; Miles, Patricia; Buckley, Patricia; Owen, Lucy; Walker, Dwight; Salus, Amy; Riddick, Nicole
Subject: Action: Materials and Waste Annual Performance Report Concurrence by 3/24/2011
Importance: High

Hello All,

Attached is the draft Annual Report (SECY Paper) to the Commission On Licensee Performance in the Materials and Waste Programs for FY 2010. I ask that you review this report and provide your comments and/or concurrence to me by **COB 3/24/2011**. Please note that Enclosure 3 of the report is the Nuclear Material Events Database Annual Report for FY 2010. The NMED report is a contract deliverable and therefore does not require concurrence. However, if you like to comment on this report please feel free to do so.

For the individuals located at NRC Headquarters that are on concurrence, I will bring you a concurrence package. For the Regions, I ask that the administrative assistants print out the attached documents and prepare a concurrence package for the Regional Administrators. The Regions may send their comments and concurrence electronically to me by email.

If you should have any questions please let me know. My contact information may be found below.

Thank you,

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From: Frazier, Alan
To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: Out of Office: YM memo
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 2:19:40 PM

I am out of the office today and will return on Monday, March 14, 2011.

For assistance during my absence please contact:

Kathryn Brock at kathryn.brock@nrc.gov or 301-415-2015

Regards,

Alan

From: SNL Energy
To: Cheok, Michael
Subject: 2nd Renewable Energy Finance Forum - Canada
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 2:19:57 PM

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Dear colleague,

SNL Energy would like to invite you to attend the **2nd Renewable Energy Finance Forum - Canada**.

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¢ ***Michael Switt***, Managing Director, Project Finance, **Manulife**

¢ ***Tony Anderson***, CFO, **Northland Power**

¢ ***Alejandro Salvador***, CFO, **Acciona Energy North America**

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Yours sincerely,

Henry Hely Hutchinson
Managing Director
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From:	Parker, Nicole
To:	Powell, Amy; Kokajko, Lawrence; Davis, Jack; Schmidt, Rebecca; Stablein, King; Kotra, Janet; Haney, Catherine; Dorman, Dan; Brenner, Eliot
Cc:	Valencia, Jennifer; Chidichimo, Gabriele; Benney, Brian
Subject:	RE: Updated Final Version of Redacted Memos
Date:	Friday, March 11, 2011 2:20:52 PM

The documents you just received will now go public.

Thanks

Nicole Parker

From: Parker, Nicole
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 2:14 PM
To: Powell, Amy; Kokajko, Lawrence; Davis, Jack; Schmidt, Rebecca; Stablein, King; Kotra, Janet; Haney, Catherine; Dorman, Dan; Brenner, Eliot
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Subject: Upadated Final Version of Redacted Memos

Good Afternoon

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Thanks

From: Dorman, Dan
To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: RE: Upadated Final Version of Redacted Memos
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 2:26:28 PM

Jack confirmed that they are all aware of the impending release. Only King is in the office today and I let him know that it has happened. He indicated he would send a message to Janet's home e-mail to let her know.

From: Haney, Catherine
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 2:21 PM
To: Dorman, Dan
Subject: Re: Upadated Final Version of Redacted Memos

Pls check to be sure Any, Janet and King know memos were released.

From: Dorman, Dan
To: Vietti-Cook, Annette
Cc: Haney, Catherine
Sent: Fri Mar 11 14:19:34 2011
Subject: FW: Upadated Final Version of Redacted Memos

Annette,

These are the redacted documents. OCA (Amy Powell) has distributed them on the Hill.

Dan

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Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 2:26:55 PM

Yes, I was on. Thanks.

From: Haney, Catherine
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 2:23 PM
To: Dorman, Dan
Subject: Re: Upadated Final Version of Redacted Memos

Were you on the CA brief on Japan that took place at 1? If not and want any info, give me a call.

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To: Jones, Sam; Weaver, Doug; Benner, Eric; Stablein, King; Jones, Kimberly; Negrin, Darlene; Easson, Pamela
Cc: Mohseni, Aby; Davis, Jack; Pulliam, Timothy; Ordaz, Vonna; Kinneman, John; Kokajko, Lawrence; Dorman, Dan; Haney, Catherine; Fitch, Karen
Subject: RE: Action: Comments on the draft 03/09/11 DLT ROD are due by Monday March 14, 2011 COB. (EOM)
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 2:28:18 PM

Sam – Thanks for creating the DLT SharePoint folder. I made some clarification changes to the ROD and saved the changes directly to the file in SharePoint.

Marissa

From: Jones, Sam
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 4:10 PM
To: Weaver, Doug; Bailey, Marissa; Benner, Eric; Stablein, King; Jones, Kimberly; Negrin, Darlene; Easson, Pamela
Cc: Mohseni, Aby; Davis, Jack; Pulliam, Timothy; Ordaz, Vonna; Kinneman, John; Kokajko, Lawrence; Dorman, Dan; Haney, Catherine; Fitch, Karen; Jones, Sam
Subject: Action: Comments on the draft 03/09/11 DLT ROD are due by Monday March 14, 2011 COB. (EOM)

The draft DLT ROD for the 03/09/11 meeting is on: http://portal.nrc.gov/edo/nmss/Other%20NMSS%20Documents/Forms/AllItems.aspx?RootFolder=%2fedo%2fnmss%2fOther%20NMSS%20Documents%2fDLT&FolderCTID=&View=%7b957BFF58%2d7A0A%2d47D0%2d9FB2%2d7D327F8E1781%7d

From: Liu, Steve
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 3:49 PM
To: Jones, Sam
Cc: Easson, Pamela; Pulliam, Timothy; Culp, Lisa
Subject: DLT Sharepoint Folder

Sam,

As requested, I created a "DLT Sharepoint Folder" at NMSS sharepoint site. I added DLT members from all divisions with contribute permission. In addition, Pam, Karen, Sam, and Kim are also included.

To access DLT folder, please follow either one of options listed below:

1. Direct link to "DLT Link", Please save it into your "Favorites"
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2. Access from NMSS Sharepoint site
   a. Step 1: http://portal.nrc.gov/edo/nmss/default.aspx
   b. Click on "Other NMSS Documents" at left Panel
   c. Click on "DLT" Folder

Please let me know if any comments. Thanks

Steve

From: Berry, Rollie
To: Haney, Catherine; Kinneman, John; Gallardy, Vivian; Damiano, Debra; Cooper, LaToya; Dorman, Dan
Cc: Smith, James; White, Bernard
Subject: FYI: Protecting Our Nation (NUREG BR-0314) TICKET# NMSS201100092
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 2:35:06 PM

All,
Based on the traffic below, the ticket was closed on time and we will have a chance presumably next week to receive, review, and concur on the additional page/section.

Rollie

From: Rodgers, Mary
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 1:10 PM
To: Berry, Rollie
Subject: RE: Protecting Our Nation (NUREG BR-0314) TICKET# NMSS201100092

Hey Rollie. I closed the ticket with B. White response to NSIR on 3/10/2011; when the new section comes through I'll open another ticket. Ticket NMSS201100092 was closed on time with a non-concurrence response. Mary

From: Berry, Rollie
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 10:51 AM
To: Rodgers, Mary
Subject: FW: Protecting Our Nation (NUREG BR-0314) TICKET# NMSS201100092

Mary,
I know we have asked for a ticket extension in the past and it was declined. I spoke with and then emailed a BC in NSIR/DSO and received his agreement on an extension. Is this enough to extend the ticket or what else needs to be done? The ticket is NMSS201100092. Please let me know so I can act accordingly.

Thank you,
Rollie

Rollie Berry
Program Coordinator
NMSS/SFST
EBB-3D-03
301-492-3332

From: Barry, Terrence
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:53 AM
To: Berry, Rollie
Subject: RE: Protecting Our Nation (NUREG BR-0314)

I agree with this proposal..

Terrence

From: Berry, Rollie
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:19 AM
To: Barry, Terrence
Subject: Protecting Our Nation (NUREG BR-0314)

From our conversation earlier this morning, I'll jot down the background to my understanding and then a path forward that we hopefully can agree on.

Background:
NMSS was asked to concur on the document, Protecting Our Nation (NUREG BR-0314).
After NMSS read the document and had some dialog with NSIR, NSIR was willing to add a portion on Fuel Facilities.
Based on schedules, the RIC, and other priorities this additional portion has not been sent to NMSS for review/concurrence.

Path Forward:
Because NMSS does not have the entire document, we would not feel comfortable concurring at this time.
NMSS can/will send all the other comments we have by noon Friday (3/11/11)
Upon receipt of the additional section, NMSS will review and provide comments/concurrence within a reasonable time (2 business days?)

Let me know if this seems reasonable, if so, I will send the comments we have promptly and wait for the additional section. The expectation will be that the actual concurrence will not happen by Friday at Noon, but within 2 business days from receiving the newest section.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or suggestions.
Thank you,
Rollie

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Owen, Lucy

From: Owen, Lucy
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 2:45 PM
To: R4
Subject: Issued: Press Release
Attachments: s-11-009.docx

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It is a pleasure to be participating with all of you in my first Regulatory Information Conference as a Commissioner of the NRC. First, I'd like to recognize the NRC management and staff efforts in the planning and execution of another outstanding Conference.

During my first year as a Commissioner, I have been in a learning mode. I have had the opportunity to visit some reactor and materials facilities and to speak with diverse stakeholders and interested observers in various settings, including many Commission briefings that involved both NRC staff and external stakeholders. I would also like to acknowledge how wise Congress' decision to establish a five-member Commission was. I always find the perspectives of my fellow Commissioners on policy matters thoughtful and interesting.

I would like to use this first opportunity to provide a sketch of my background so you can understand the views that I bring to this assignment, and to list some of the areas that are of interest to me. With that, I want you to know that my focus is the same as that of the Commission, namely, ensuring the safety and security of all our licensed activities, including operating reactors, fuel facilities, waste disposal, and the use of radioactive materials.

Before joining the NRC, I was a professor of Nuclear Science and Engineering and a professor of Engineering Systems at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. My primary research interests were in the development of models for the assessment of risks from large technological systems with a focus on nuclear power reactors. I was also a member, and former chairman, of the NRC's Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS) for over 15 years. My tenure with the ACRS has been invaluable in allowing me to step right into my role as a Commissioner since I had a decade and a half to become familiar with many of the issues the agency has faced in the past, is facing now, and is sure to face in the future. Of course, the roles of the ACRS and the Commission are very different. I now have to make actual decisions as opposed to providing advice. In addition, I am no longer allowed to interrupt speakers who come before me, thus depriving me of one of the great pleasures of being an ACRS member.

In my opinion, the NRC is the preeminent contributor to protection of public health and safety among organizations external to licensees. We must continue to ensure that the public has confidence in the strong and predictable regulatory safety and security framework of the Commission. In this regard, I note that we were given recently a new point of reference. On January 18, 2011, President Obama issued an executive order on Improving Regulation and Regulatory Review. According to this executive order, the *General Principles of Regulation* include the following:

> Our regulatory system must protect public health, welfare, safety, and our environment while promoting economic growth, innovation, competitiveness, and job creation.... It must allow for public participation and an open exchange of ideas. It must promote predictability and reduce uncertainty. It must identify and use the best, most innovative and least burdensome tools for achieving regulatory ends.
>
> To the extent feasible, specify performance objectives, rather than specifying the behavior or manner of compliance that regulated entities must adopt.

Although the NRC, as an independent agency, is not subject to this executive order, I am very pleased to say that our agency has been moving its regulations in the direction of some key aspects of these principles for quite some time now. For instance, we are striving to establish performance-based regulations to the extent possible and to increase our efficiency by utilizing risk insights, as appropriate. Regarding President Obama's call for "least burdensome tools," I note that the Commission stated, way back in its 1995 Policy Statement on the use of Probabilistic Risk Assessment (PRA), that PRA should be used to reduce unnecessary conservatisms associated with current regulatory requirements.

Two success stories that exemplify the benefits of using risk insights are the Reactor Oversight Process (ROP) and the risk-informed In-Service Inspection (ISI) of piping. The ROP has allowed us to respond to inspection findings in a way that is commensurate to the risk significance of these findings. It has also gone a long way toward promoting predictability in the regulatory system. The risk-informed ISI has allowed both the NRC and the licensees to focus the inspections on piping segments that are susceptible to degradation mechanisms and are risk significant, thus improving safety and reducing licensee regulatory burden.

You probably have noticed that my two examples are from the reactor arena. This is because that's where most progress has been made. I would like to recognize that the agency has also made progress in the use of risk insights in its regulation of the use of radioactive materials.

In my opinion, all areas under NRC jurisdiction would benefit from greater use of risk insights. I do acknowledge, however, that the application of the methods we have developed for reactors and waste repositories to other NRC activities is not straightforward. This is particularly true for security where events do not necessarily happen because of some random phenomena but, instead, because of the deliberate actions of an adversary. In this regard, I suggest that, instead of trying to transfer risk methods that have been developed for reactors to security, we should go back to the fundamental questions that analysts ask when performing risk assessments: What can go wrong? What are its consequences? How likely is it? Starting with fundamentals is always a good idea when dealing with a new situation.

Now, I would like to share my thoughts on a few specific areas of interest.

The Commission has a long-standing policy of encouraging the increased use of risk information in regulatory programs and processes, to the extent supported by state-of-the-art methods and data and in a manner that complements the NRC's traditional approaches that are based on the defense-in-depth principle and large safety margins.

However, even for reactors, the use of risk information has not yet been fully integrated into the reactor licensing process. Although 10 CFR 52 (the part of the regulations that governs the issuance of early site permits, standard design certifications, and combined licenses for new reactors) requires an applicant to submit a PRA summary, current review programs and guidance are still based on 10 CFR 50 (the traditional way of licensing) and do not fully realize the potential benefits of risk informing the licensing reviews. As a consequence, I believe that the agency faces some special challenges and opportunities as it prepares to receive in the near future applications for design certification of small modular reactors (SMRs). An important question which many are asking is whether the licensing review of such reactors should be the same as that for large reactors.

In July 2010, the Chairman and I proposed to our fellow Commissioners, and they agreed, to direct the staff to provide the Commission with a policy paper that addresses the development of a framework, implementation strategy, and plans and schedules to more fully integrate the use of risk insights into pre-application activities and in the review of small modular reactor applications. Staff was also directed to focus its initial effort on how risk insights would be used to identify risk-significant systems, structures, and components (SSCs) and other aspects of the design that contribute most to safety. Near-term efforts would be focused on integral pressurized water reactor designs. In my view, the results of these efforts should allow the NRC staff to be better prepared to conduct more safety focused and efficient reviews of SMR applications and, thus, be better able to respond in a timely manner to licensing requests.

A long-term objective of this initiative is to develop a risk-informed performance-based regulatory framework building on the SMR reviews, as well as on insights gained from the Next Generation Nuclear Plant pre-application review activities and the lessons learned from the earlier Technology Neutral Framework.

The staff provided its paper to the Commission recently for review and decision. A public Commission meeting on this matter has been scheduled for March 29.

Let me now offer some further thoughts on how risk insights may inform our regulations. There have been numerous PRAs completed for the current generation of Light Water Reactors (LWRs) both in the United State and internationally. I believe it is fair to say that this wealth of knowledge combined with several decades of operating experience has given us a very good understanding of what the likely accident sequences are for LWRs.

The analysis of these potential accident sequences in a PRA is as realistic as possible and, of course, includes the possibility that plant operators may intervene and act correctly or incorrectly. However, as I said earlier, this wealth of information has not been integrated in our regulations to a significant extent. The stylized Design Basis Accidents (DBAs) continue to reign supreme. There are

signs, nonetheless, that important issues may not be resolved optimally within the confines of traditional design-basis analyses with their numerous conservative assumptions. An example is Generic Safety Issue (GSI) 191 ("Assessment of Debris Accumulation on PWR Sump Performance").

Following a Loss-of-Coolant Accident (LOCA), the emergency core cooling system (ECCS) is expected to cool the core by recirculating water that has settled at the bottom of the containment. This water, however, may contain debris that could clog the sump strainers that are designed to prevent debris from entering the ECCS system and the reactor core. This clogging could inhibit reactor core cooling.

The industry has argued that using a risk-informed approach would allow for a practical assessment of plant design features and operator actions that could reduce plant dependence on sump recirculation for long-term cooling through better water management, e.g., by refilling the refueling water storage tank and manually operating the containment spray system. A strict design-basis analysis does not allow the consideration of human actions. A question that arises, then, is whether we have sufficient understanding of operator actions to allow a risk-informed approach.

I acknowledge that many people are uncomfortable with the perceived large uncertainties associated with the probabilities of operator errors. However, the NRC has expended considerable resources developing guidance for the evaluation of operator actions. For example, we have published reports on "good practices" (NUREG-1792) and we have evaluated existing human reliability analysis (HRA) methods vs. these good practices (NUREG-1842). The NRC's Office of Nuclear Regulatory Research and the industry are currently working on a consensus HRA method. The use of such a method would improve the validity, consistency, transparency and traceability of human error evaluations. Lessons learned from a series of experiments conducted at the Halden Reactor Project's human performance simulation laboratory in Norway and an international effort on better understanding the strengths and limitations of the existing HRA methods are both inputs to the effort to develop a consensus HRA method. So, the question in my mind is, given that human performance is an integral part of nuclear power operations, why do we continue to ignore the products from these research activities in our regulatory decision making? Furthermore, without feedback from regulatory decision making, how do we know we are spending our HRA research resources in the most intelligent way?

In our efforts to risk-inform the regulations, we have introduced the critical concept of the transition break size (TBS), which divides pipe breaks into two intervals. The Commission has directed the staff to define the TBS as the pipe size that is expected to fail with a frequency of 10^{-5} per year. Breaks below the TBS are subject to the current requirements in 10 CFR 50.46 for the Emergency Core Cooling System (ECCS). Breaks above the TBS are subject to new requirements described in the proposed rule 10 CFR 50.46a. This voluntary proposed rule is of great significance in that it uses risk information and insights to revise the requirements associated with mitigating the stylized design basis double-ended guillotine break. A question, then, is where did the numerical value for the TBS come from?

The answer is that, because the frequency of failure of large pipes is very low, expert judgment was used to estimate LOCA frequencies. These frequencies provided the basis for selecting the TBS. And this leads me to another topic of interest to me: the utilization of expert judgment by the NRC.

The formal utilization of expert judgment in significant engineering issues has been pioneered by the NRC. It is a process that provides either (1) quantitative estimates for the frequency and/or significance of physical phenomena, or (2) qualitative insights into the nature, scope, and/or significance of physical phenomena. Expert judgment is used when the following conditions are present: the available data or operating experience is sparse or not directly applicable, the subject is too complex to model accurately, and the phenomena or issues have significant safety or regulatory implications.

Expert judgment has been a principal component of the technical basis for many important regulatory decisions, and its use is expected to be more prevalent in the future as issues become more complex and as technology evolves. There are many similarities but also significant differences in the approaches used in previous studies that can impact regulatory decision making

For example, a unique feature of the LOCA frequency study was the adjustment of results to account for the well-known overconfidence that is typically present in individual expert judgments. The study also recommended a less-common scheme for aggregating the individual expert results into group estimates. Sensitivity studies indicated that the selection of the aggregation scheme affected the results significantly. When the recommended, but less-common, aggregation scheme is used, the TBS for a pressurized water reactor is approximately 6 inches while aggregating using more-common methods leads to a TBS of approximately 11 inches. I believe that the NRC would benefit from formal guidance to assist the staff in choosing the method for obtaining and utilizing expert judgment to avoid the pitfalls of the past and ensure the appropriate level of effort. Selecting and documenting the appropriateness of the methods of analysis ahead of the regulatory decision should increase transparency, public confidence, and the objectivity of the results.

I would like to end this speech by telling you of an important recent initiative. Several weeks ago, the Chairman asked that I lead a Task Force for the Assessment of Options for a More Holistic Risk-Informed, Performance-Based Regulatory Approach. The Task Force is charged with developing a strategic vision, as well as options for pursuing such a regulatory approach for reactors, materials, waste, fuel cycle, security, and transportation that would continue to ensure the safe and secure use of nuclear material. The Task Force is to propose specific actions that the NRC could pursue to achieve a more comprehensive and holistic risk-informed, performance-based regulatory structure. The Task Force is expected to provide its recommendations within one year.

Realizing there were similar efforts in the past, I would like to offer my vision as to why we are pursuing this effort now and what outcomes we seek. As I said earlier, I believe the fundamental concept of risk analysis – what can go wrong, what are the consequences and how likely is it – is broadly applicable to all aspects of our regulatory functions. This set of risk triplets helps us to frame the information we need to make decisions systematically, transparently and in an integrated fashion.

A risk-informed approach is designed to focus the licensing and inspection efforts on the most risk-significant areas, thus increasing effectiveness and efficiency. With current projections for continuous flat budgets for the foreseeable future and the expected increase in the number of new reactor applications and licensing activities, I believe that the agency must adjust the way it does business. The agency must find a way to risk-inform its decision-making processes so that it can effectively prioritize its licensing reviews and inspections and focus its resources on areas of high risk significance.

If we were to predict what the nuclear industry may look like 20 to 30 years in the future, we can probably all agree that it may look very different than the way it does today. Consider the number of new reactor designs with passive safety features and digital instrumentation and controls, the small modular reactors, the aging issues associated with life beyond sixty years for the light water reactor fleet, the new fuel cycle facilities, and advances in the medical uses of nuclear materials, as well as changes in the security threats. With these likely changes in mind, we can easily conclude that the regulatory environment must change and adapt to ensure proper oversight and responsive licensing and inspection activities for adequate protection and regulatory enforcement. Our work on risk-informing the licensing reviews of SMRs is a good step in this direction.

Over the next 11 months, the Task Force will look candidly at where we have effectively and successfully transitioned to a risk-informed performance-based regulatory process and where we can and must do better. Armed with these insights, we will be able to provide options and formulate strategies for the next 10 or 15 years. Although I firmly believe there is always a role for probabilistic risk analysis, I am also prepared to accept the fact that, in some of our activities, there remains work to be done to make it practical. In fact, there may be instances where the explicit use and documentation of a probabilistic approach may just not be realistic for the foreseeable future.

Clearly, this effort could not be successful without meaningful stakeholder input. We plan to start within the agency and, at the appropriate time, solicit input from external stakeholders. Recognizing that the regulators and the regulated industry have different sets of considerations and different roles and responsibilities, external stakeholder input will help us in designing sound and effective long-term strategies. I believe the NRC and the stakeholders will agree that licensing reviews that align the review focus and resources to risk-significant areas and other aspects of the design that contribute most to safety will enhance the effectiveness and efficiency of the review process. The questions to which the Task Force will seek answers include the following:

1. Are the current practices adequate for accomplishing the goal of a holistic risk-informed and performance-based regulatory structure?
2. How effective have past and on-going risk-informed initiatives been? What are the relevant lessons learned from these initiatives?
3. Should the use of risk information continue to be voluntary?
4. How effective have recent major deterministic licensing actions (i.e., license renewals, power uprates, B5b mitigation strategies) been? What are the relevant lessons learned from these actions?
5. What are the visions for a holistic risk-informed, performance-based regulatory structure for reactors, materials, waste, fuel cycle, and security?
6. How can the transition from the current system to a more holistic risk-informed, performance based regulatory structure be optimized?
7. What is the schedule for achieving this regulatory structure?
8. How should this structure be implemented?
9. How should stakeholder input be considered?
10. In each area, what are the capabilities and limitations of current probabilistic risk assessment methodologies?

I have talked a lot about bringing more risk information into the agency's decision-making processes. I don't want to give you the impression that I do not appreciate the value of traditional approaches. The pioneers who developed nuclear power used the traditional engineering approach of requiring large safety margins and they established the philosophy of defense in depth to help manage uncertainty. I am fully aware of the value of defense in depth and safety margins in protecting us against unknown unknowns. I am also fully aware of the limitations of risk assessment. The challenge before us is how to develop a system that would increase the benefits of both approaches for managing uncertainty.

I appreciate your attention and I look forward to working with you during my time as a Commissioner. Thank you.

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From: Jolicoeur, John
To: Hon, Andrew
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Subject: RE: QUAL JEOPARDY - Andrew Hon - Jeopardy Champions!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
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Way to go Andy!!!!!!!!!.... Keep holding the DPR/PLPB banner high.

John

From: Brown, Eva
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Subject: QUAL JEOPARDY - Andrew Hon - Jeopardy Champions!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Folks,

Congratulations to Andrew Hon for winning this week's Qual Jeopardy. DPR/PLPB is making its move! We intend to meet next Friday at 10:00 am in O8B6. Our Qual Jeopardy focuses on both general and PM specific knowledge!

As we discussed there is a training page as part of the DORL Handbook which addresses the general and operating reactor qualification cards [http://portal.nrc.gov/edo/nrr/dorl/dorlhandbook/Wiki%20Pages/Training.aspx]. A big thanks to Jim Polickoski on his briefing regarding Diablo Canyon, the Japanese seismic event and the NRC's response! We appreciate Araceli's continuing support in working with our qual'ing PMs, and to Bruce Boger, Nelson and Robert Carlson for their continuing support of this effort.

Good job to all!

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Fourth Session	Lauren Gibson	DORL\LPL4
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Sixth Session	Blake Purnell	DPR\PGCB

Seventh Session	Chuck Norton	DORL\LPL3-2
Eighth Session	Scott Sloan	DPR\PRPB
Ninth Session	Blake Purnell	DPR\PGCB
Tenth Session	Bruce Boger\ Scott Sloan	NRR\RSS DPR\PRPB
Eleventh Session	Paulette Torres	DPR\PRPB
Twelfth Session	Andrew Hon	DPR\PLPB

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I am fine with it as is.

From: Fragoyannis, Nancy
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Bill thanks. (b)(6)

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Subject: RE: cable

Nancy,

I believe Mark's comments are now addressed and the cable is ready to go.

Good luck! Bill

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Subject:	FW: FYI - RIC HUMOR
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Everyone's a comedian.....

From: Weber, Michael
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 1:13 PM
To: Sheron, Brian
Subject: FYI - RIC HUMOR

Thought you might enjoy the attached. Thanks for supporting the RIC, Brian.

Mike

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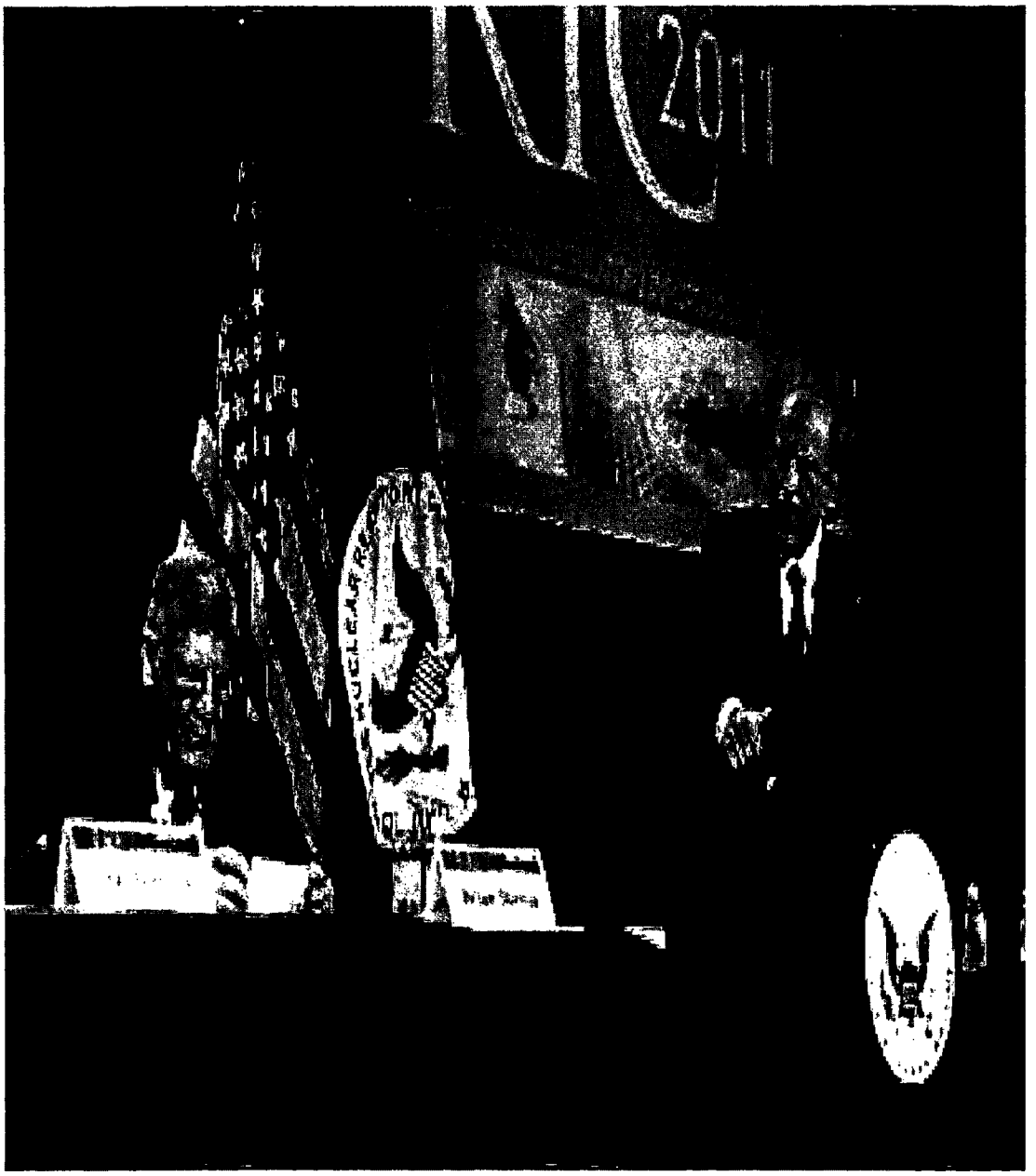

"Brian, enough with the questions already!"

From:	Gilmore Crosby
To:	Gilmore Crosby
Subject:	Six weeks until next RP Crosby training in Emotional Intelligence Related to the Workplace (also called "Tough Stuff") - the week of April 25th 2011 in Seattle
Date:	Friday, March 11, 2011 3:00:33 PM
Attachments:	Seattle RPC Tough Stuff April 2011.pdf

Dear Friends and Colleagues,
The next Crosby & Associates Tough Stuff is approaching fast!

Once again our founder Robert P Crosby (82 and still going strong!), will lead this workshop. Robert created this training working inside organizations utilizing his time tested knowledge of applied behavioral science. As one participant aptly put it decades ago, "This isn't soft stuff...this is Tough Stuff" (and the name stuck).

Tough Stuff is a unique and powerful approach to self development. The methodology intertwines short interactive lectures, opportunities for introspection, and learning from unscripted interaction with the other participants and the faculty. The result for the vast majority of participants is immediate and lasting, building a foundation for learning from one's interactions throughout life. To achieve this Tough Stuff focuses on the three core capacities of EQ:

-Self Reflection or awareness

-How I manage interactions with others

-The ability to tune into others

The exciting thing about EQ is that unlike IQ, EQ is learned and can be increased throughout your lifetime. EQ gets established through the early interactions you had with your primary caregivers. These interactions create your unique patterns of managing relationships and get solidified in the initial wiring of your brain as neural pathways. Although these patterns are learned they are deeply ingrained. However, there is a wealth of new research about the brain that suggests that once your brain finishes with its initial development, around 25 years of age, it remains partially fluid (scientists like to use the word "neuroplasticity"). With guidance and clear intention you can essentially rewire yourself, discarding or diminishing unwanted habits while establishing new and more effective patterns of interaction. This is especially possible in a social (group) learning environment, which is one reason why the Tough Stuff workshop gets such reliable results.

Study after study has shown Emotional Intelligence (EQ) to be more of a predictor of success than IQ. Tough Stuff is one of a few trainings that can help you clarify and increase those capacities within yourself. Don't miss this opportunity to up your EQ and learn from one of the most practical and creative minds in the field of organizational and leadership development.

Here are a few participant statements about Tough Stuff -

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When: April 25th – April 29th 2011.

Where:

Inn at the Market

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Seattle, WA 98101

Time: 9am to 5pm Daily starting at 9am on Monday. Friday we will end at Noon.

Cost: 1250.00 per Participant.

To sign up for Tough Stuff, call or email Chris Crosby at:

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For further info see the attached flier. We look forward to seeing you there!

Best regards,

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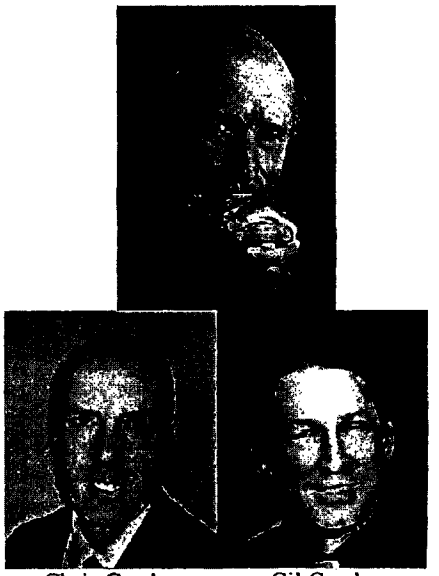

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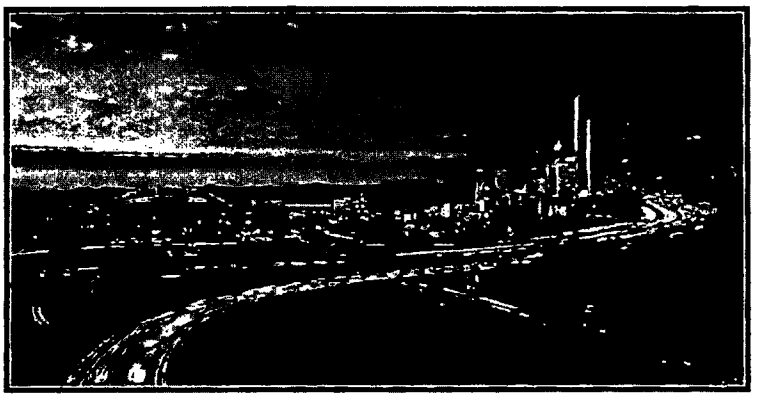
- Conflict resolution
- Coaching and developing others
- Change management and Systems Thinking



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Satorius, Mark

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Cc:	Gattone, Robert; Funk, Don; Maynen, Joseph; Jandovitz, John
Subject:	Region III - ARB Agenda for Monday, March 14, 2011

The Region III ARB Agenda for Monday, March 14, 2011, is attached.

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March 14, 2011

The Allegation Review Board (ARB) is scheduled to meet at **9:00 a.m. for Materials cases in the IRC Bubble on Monday, March 14, 2011.** The following plan will be discussed:

9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. (CDT) - NO BRIDGE NUMBER

MATERIALS CASE

RIII-2011-A-0009 American Radiolabeled Chemicals, MCID Branch, DNMS

RC and OI are present for all cases

The Allegation Review Board (ARB) is scheduled to meet at **10:00 a.m. for Reactor cases in the IRC Bubble on Monday, March 14, 2011.** The following plans will be discussed:

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. (CDT) - NO BRIDGE NUMBER

REACTOR CASES

RIII-2011-A-0008 Davis-Besse, Plant Support Branch, DRS
RIII-2010-A-0034 Point Beach, RPB5, DRP

RC, OI and Appropriate DRP Branch Chief are present for all cases

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO CHANGE THE ORDER IN WHICH THE CASES ARE REVIEWED, PLEASE COORDINATE THE CHANGE WITH THE ARB BOARD CHAIRMAN PRIOR TO THE ARB, AND THEN NOTIFY THE OACs.

Satorius, Mark

From: Satorius, Mark
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 3:14 PM
To: Boland, Anne; Louden, Patrick
Cc: Pederson, Cynthia
Subject: FW: EDO Alignment/Prebriefs for Commission Meetings
Attachments: EDO Alignment. Prebriefs for CM Meetings.doc

See the alignment meeting for the aarm on 3/28. My first day back – you are invited, I do not anticipate needing anything from the div in preps for this mtg.

From: Taylor, Renee
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:15 AM
To: Akstulewicz, Brenda; Andersen, James; Ash, Darren; Blount, Tom; Boger, Bruce; Borchardt, Bill; Bowman, Adriane; Boyce, Thomas (OIS); Boyd, Lena; Buckley, Patricia; Cannady, Ashley; Carpenter, Cynthia; Casby, Marcia; Casto, Chuck; Cianci, Sandra; Cohen, Miriam; Collins, Elmo; Collins, Jay; Cooper, LaToya; Corley, Cherrie; Damiano, Debra; Dapas, Marc; Dean, Bill; Dubose, Sheila; EDO_ETAs; Evans, Michele; Flory, Shirley; Garland, Stephanie; Givvines, Mary; Greene, LaTosha; Grobe, Jack; Haney, Catherine; Hasan, Nasreen; Higginbotham, Tina; Holahan, Gary; Howard, Patrick; Johnson, Michael; Kelley, Corenthis; Landau, Mindy; Lee, Pamela; Leeds, Eric; Lockhart, Denise; Lubinski, John; Mamish, Nader; Matakas, Gina; Mayberry, Theresa; McClain, Nicole; McCrary, Cheryl; McCree, Victor; McGinty, Tim; Miles, Patricia; Miller, Charles; Mitchell, Matthew; Muessle, Mary; ODaniell, Cynthia; Owen, Lucy; Pederson, Cynthia; Penny, Melissa; Plisco, Loren; Quesenberry, Jeannette; Riddick, Nicole; Ronewicz, Lynn; Ross, Brenda; Salus, Amy; Satorius, Mark; Scarbrough, Thomas; Schaeffer, James; Schumann, Stacy; Schwarz, Sherry; Sheron, Brian; Sprogeris, Patricia; Tannenbaum, Anita; Taylor, Renee; Terry, Leslie; Thomas, Loretta; Tomczak, Tammy; Uhle, Jennifer; Veltri, Debra; Virgilio, Martin; Walker, Dwight; Weber, Michael; Wiggins, Jim; Williams, Barbara; Zimmerman, Roy; Doane, Margaret; Kreuter, Jane
Subject: EDO Alignment/Prebriefs for Commission Meetings

An updated list of the EDO Alignment/Pre-briefs for Commission meetings is attached. Please ensure that your calendar reflects the changes as needed.

Thank you,
Renee

From:	Hasan, Nasreen
To:	Ash, Darren; Blake, Kathleen; Borchardt, Bill; Bozin, Sunny; Bubar, Patrice; Chairman Temp; Cianci, Sandra; Crawford, Carrie; Garland, Stephanie; Gibbs, Catina; Harves, Carolyn; Hasan, Nasreen; Herr, Linda; Jimenez, Patricia; Lepre, Janet; Mamish, Nader; Muessle, Mary; Nieh, Ho; Pace, Patti; RidsEdoMailCenter Resource; RidsOcaMailCenter Resource; RidsOcfoMailCenter Resource; RidsOgcMailCenter Resource; RidsOipMailCenter Resource; RidsOIS Resource; RidsOpaMail Resource; RidsSecyMailCenter Resource; Sanfilippo, Nathan; Savoy, Carmel; Sharkey, Jeffry; Shea, Pamela; Sosa, Belkys; Speiser, Herald; Sprogeris, Patricia; Svinicki, Kristine; Taylor, Renee; Temp, GEA; Virgilio, Martin; Warnick, Greg; Wyatt, Melissa; Reddick, Darani; Merzke, Daniel; Wiggins, Jim; RidsNsirMailCenter Resource; Zorn, Jason; Pearson, Laura; Marshall, Michael; Kock, Andrea; Thoma, John; Castleman, Patrick
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"The best preparation for good work tomorrow is to do good work today"

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From:	Jones, Sam
To:	Smith, James
Cc:	Kinneman, John; Liu, Tilda; Smith, Brian; Tschiltz, Michael; Bailey, Marissa; Hiltz, Thomas; Jones, Sam; Pulliam, Timothy; Ordaz, Vonna; Kokajko, Lawrence; Dorman, Dan; Haney, Catherine
Subject:	FW: A New Daily Note Has Been Submitted by NMSS
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FYI

From: webwork@nrc.gov [mailto:webwork@nrc.gov]
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 3:17 PM
To: EDO GroupAccount
Cc: Pena, Alex; Jones, Sam
Subject: A New Daily Note Has Been Submitted by NMSS

Sam Jones of NMSS has submitted the following daily note(s):

~~(OUO-SII)~~

On March 10, Division of Fuel Cycle Safety and Safeguards staff held a conference call with Department of Energy (DOE), at DOE's request, to discuss its plan of complete de-lease and de-certification of Portsmouth Gaseous Diffusion Plant (PORTS) to allow DOE to assume sole regulatory oversight of PORTS as early as March 28, 2011. United States Enrichment Corporation (USEC) de-leased three primary process buildings at PORTS last year, and returned them to DOE on September 30, 2010. DOE and USEC are currently in negotiation of de-leasing the remaining PORTS support facilities, and NRC staff is considering the impacts of the de-leasing on the USEC Inc. Lead Cascade and the American Centrifuge Plant (ACP) facilities.
Points of Contact:
1)Tilda Liu

Special Considerations:
1)N/A

Satorius, Mark

From: ManageBetter.biz Insider [RaganNewsstand.7@reply.ms00.net]
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 3:26 PM
To: Satorius, Mark
Subject: 5 managerial blunders; Confusing sound-alikes; How to build staff loyalty; and more ...

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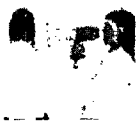

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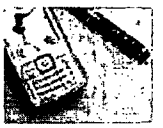

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K.J. McCorry is the CEO of Officiency Enterprises ® Inc., a professional productivity, efficiency and sustainability consulting company based out of Boulder, Colorado. K.J.'s work in office process simplification has been recognized locally and nationally in the New York Times , International Herald Tribune, Chicago Tribune, Real Simple, Better Homes & Gardens with TV and radio appearances on the Do It Yourself Network, The Peter Boyles Show, and World Talk Radio. She is also the author of Organize Your Work Day In No Time, released in April 2005 by Que Publishing. She is currently working on her second book on becoming a 'paperless' office.

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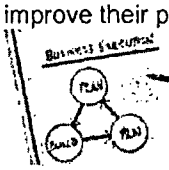

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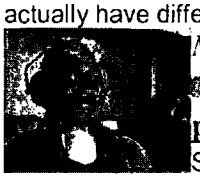

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From: Roguecruz, Caula
To: Hiland, Patrick; Skeen, David
Subject: FY 2010 DE budget vs actual.xls
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 3:28:59 PM
Attachments: FY 2010 DE budget vs actual.xls

Pat. Dave.
Here is the document electronically....

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Dean, Bill

From: Dean, Bill
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 3:29 PM
To: Matakas, Gina; ODaniell, Cynthia
Cc: Lew, David
Subject: Fw: EDO Alignment/Prebriefs for Commission Meetings
Attachments: EDO Alignment. Prebriefs for CM Meetings.doc

The EP rule meeting in June is one where we ought to have DRS and SLO coverage for the prebrief and comm mtg.
Bill Dean
Regional Administrator
Region I, USNRC
Sent from NRC BlackBerry

From: Taylor, Renee
To: Akstulewicz, Brenda; Andersen, James; Ash, Darren; Blount, Tom; Boger, Bruce; Borchardt, Bill; Bowman, Adriane; Boyce, Thomas (OIS); Boyd, Lena; Buckley, Patricia; Cannady, Ashley; Carpenter, Cynthia; Casby, Marcia; Casto, Chuck; Cianci, Sandra; Cohen, Miriam; Collins, Elmo; Collins, Jay; Cooper, LaToya; Corley, Cherrie; Damiano, Debra; Dapas, Marc; Dean, Bill; Dubose, Sheila; EDO_ETAs; Evans, Michele; Flory, Shirley; Garland, Stephanie; Givvines, Mary; Greene, LaTosha; Grobe, Jack; Haney, Catherine; Hasan, Nasreen; Higginbotham, Tina; Holahan, Gary; Howard, Patrick; Johnson, Michael; Kelley, Corenthis; Landau, Mindy; Lee, Pamela; Leeds, Eric; Lockhart, Denise; Lubinski, John; Mamish, Nader; Matakas, Gina; Mayberry, Theresa; McClain, Nicole; McCrary, Cheryl; McCree, Victor; McGinty, Tim; Miles, Patricia; Miller, Charles; Mitchell, Matthew; Muessle, Mary; ODaniell, Cynthia; Owen, Lucy; Pederson, Cynthia; Penny, Melissa; Plisco, Loren; Quesenberry, Jeannette; Riddick, Nicole; Ronewicz, Lynn; Ross, Brenda; Salus, Amy; Satorius, Mark; Scarbrough, Thomas; Schaeffer, James; Schumann, Stacy; Schwarz, Sherry; Sheron, Brian; Sprogeris, Patricia; Tannenbaum, Anita; Taylor, Renee; Terry, Leslie; Thomas, Loretta; Tomczak, Tammy; Uhle, Jennifer; Veltri, Debra; Virgilio, Martin; Walker, Dwight; Weber, Michael; Wiggins, Jim; Williams, Barbara; Zimmerman, Roy; Doane, Margaret; Kreuter, Jane
Sent: Fri Mar 11 10:15:25 2011
Subject: EDO Alignment/Prebriefs for Commission Meetings

An updated list of the EDO Alignment/Pre-briefs for Commission meetings is attached. Please ensure that your calendar reflects the changes as needed.

Thank you,
Renee

Satorius, Mark

From: Satorius, Mark
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 3:32 PM
To: Dean, Bill
Subject: RE: Acting for Marty

Fore!

-----Original Message-----
From: Dean, Bill
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 3:32 PM
To: Satorius, Mark
Subject: Re: Acting for Marty

So makes even more sense! Plus, I could golf now :).

Habla espanol?
Bill Dean
Regional Administrator
Region I, USNRC
Sent from NRC BlackBerry

----- Original Message -----
From: Satorius, Mark
To: Dean, Bill; Cianci, Sandra
Cc: Matakas, Gina; Buckley, Patricia
Sent: Fri Mar 11 16:19:43 2011
Subject: RE: Acting for Marty

Agree - thanks Bill (I'll be in town anyhow for the AARM briefing of the Comm may 27).

-----Original Message-----
From: Dean, Bill
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 3:19 PM
To: Cianci, Sandra
Cc: Satorius, Mark; Matakas, Gina; Buckley, Patricia
Subject: Acting for Marty

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Bill Dean
Regional Administrator
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From:	Brenner, Eliot
To:	Hayden, Elizabeth; Burnell, Scott; Harrington, Holly; McIntyre, David; Couret, Ivonne
Subject:	FW: OGC MESSAGE
Date:	Friday, March 11, 2011 3:38:06 PM
Attachments:	ITISSOPAOCALANGUAGE.docx

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From: Baum, Robin
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 3:36 PM
To: Brenner, Eliot; Schmidt, Rebecca; Powell, Amy; Decker, David
Cc: Boyce, Thomas (OIS); Maxin, Mark; Stewart, Sharon
Subject: OGC MESSAGE

All:

Electronic version of OGC approved language, should you receive outside inquiries about the GAO bid protest lodged against NRC's February 18, 2011, ITISS contract award.

Thank you –

Robin Baum
Deputy AsstGC/Special Counsel for Acquisition
Office of the General Counsel
(301) 415-1550
Robin.baum@nrc.gov

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Satorius, Mark

From: Cianci, Sandra
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 3:39 PM
To: Satorius, Mark; Dean, Bill
Cc: Matakas, Gina; Buckley, Patricia
Subject: RE: Acting for Marty

Bill/Mark,

Thank you for the clarification. I will let you know Marty's decision as soon as possible.

Have a great weekend!

Sandy

-----Original Message-----
From: Satorius, Mark
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:20 PM
To: Dean, Bill; Cianci, Sandra
Cc: Matakas, Gina; Buckley, Patricia
Subject: RE: Acting for Marty

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Regional Administrator
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To:	Ash, Darren; Barkley, Richard; Batkin, Joshua; Bell, Hubert; Belmore, Nancy; Bergman, Thomas; Bollwerk, Paul; Bonaccorso, Amy; Borchardt, Bill; Bozin, Sunny; Brenner, Eliot; Brock, Terry; Brown, Boris; Bubar, Patrice; Burnell, Scott; Burns, Stephen; Carpenter, Cynthia; Chandrathil, Prema; Clark, Theresa; Collins, Elmo; Couret, Ivonne; Crawford, Carrie; Cutler, Iris; Dacus, Eugene; Dapas, Marc; Davis, Roger; Dean, Bill; Decker, David; Dricks, Victor; Droggitis, Spiros; Flory, Shirley; Franovich, Mike; Gibbs, Catina; Haney, Catherine; Hannah, Roger; Harbuck, Craig; Harrington, Holly; Hasan, Nasreen; Hayden, Elizabeth; Holahan, Gary; Holahan, Patricia; Holian, Brian; Jacobssen, Patricia; Jaczko, Gregory; Jasinski, Robert; Jenkins, Verlyn; Johnson, Michael; Jones, Andrea; Kock, Andrea; Kotzalas, Margie; Ledford, Joey; Lee, Samson; Leeds, Eric; Lepre, Janet; Lew, David; Lewis, Antoinette; Loyd, Susan; Magwood, William; McCrary, Cheryl; McGrady-Finneran, Patricia; McIntyre, David; Mensah, Tanya; Mitlyng, Viktoria; Monninger, John; Montes, David; Nieh, Ho; Ordaz, Vonna; Ostendorff, William; Owen, Lucy; Powell, Amy; Quesenberry, Jeannette; Reddick, Darani; Regan, Christopher; Reyes, Luis; Riddick, Nicole; RidsSecyMailCenter Resource; Riley (OCA), Timothy; Rohrer, Shirley; Samuel, Olive; Satorius, Mark; Schaaf, Robert; Schmidt, Rebecca; Scott, Catherine; Screnci, Diane; Shaffer, Vered; Shane, Raeann; Sharkey, Jeffry; Sheehan, Neil; Sheron, Brian; Siurano-Perez, Osiris; Steger (Tucci), Christine; Svinicki, Kristine; Tabatabai, Omid; Tannenbaum, Anita; Taylor, Renee; Temp, WDM; Thomas, Ann; Uhle, Jennifer; Uselding, Lara; Vietti-Cook, Annette; Virgilio, Martin; Virgilio, Rosetta; Walker-Smith, Antoinette; Weaver, Doug; Weber, Michael; Weil, Jenny; Werner, Greg; Wiggins, Jim; Williams, Evelyn; Zimmerman, Roy; Zorn, Jason
Subject:	Speech: "The First Year...." NRC Commissioner George Apostolakis, 23rd Annual Regulatory Information Conference, March 9, 2011
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From:	Taylor, Renee
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Subject:	Recall: Scheduling Call Monday, February 14, 2011 @ 1:30 pm
Date:	Friday, March 11, 2011 3:41:51 PM

Taylor, Renee would like to recall the message, "Scheduling Call Monday, February 14, 2011 @ 1:30 pm".

Dean, Bill

From: Dean, Bill
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 3:42 PM
To: Matakas, Gina
Subject: Fw: preparation for March 23 succession planning ~~**Your Eyes Only**~~
Attachments: Draft Agenda 03 23 11 Succession Planning Meeting.docx; Succession Planning Process revised 03 03 2011.doc; 2010 Succession Planning List Updated and Marked 03 04 2011.XLS

Importance: High

More to print out. Keep this one in a folder for my eyes only. Thanks.
Bill Dean
Regional Administrator
Region I, USNRC
Sent from NRC BlackBerry

From: Johns, Nancy
To: Ash, Darren; Borchardt, Bill; Boyce, Thomas (OIS); Buchholz, Jeri; Burns, Stephen; Casto, Chuck; Cohen, Miriam; Collins, Elmo; Dean, Bill; Doane, Margaret; Dyer, Jim; Gallagher, Johanna; Greene, Kathryn; Haney, Catherine; Johnson, Michael; Kelley, Corenthis; Leeds, Eric; McCree, Victor; Miller, Charles; Satorius, Mark; Sheron, Brian; Virgilio, Martin; Weber, Michael; Wiggins, Jim
Sent: Thu Mar 10 09:17:09 2011
Subject: preparation for March 23 succession planning ~~**Your Eyes Only**~~

ERB Principals,

In preparation for the succession planning meeting on March 23rd, please find attached the proposed agenda and updated process description. To the extent you have the opportunity to do so, please send Johanna (Johanna.Gallagher@nrc.gov) by March 16th updates to last year's succession planning information about the readiness of executives within your own organizations to move up to the next level position and each executive's development needs. Johanna has begun the process of updating the list. I think I have attached the most recent copy. When Johanna feels better, she will correct me if I am mistaken!

The revisions to the succession planning process reflect (1) last year's shift in emphasis to reviewing executives' readiness, especially with respect to consideration of potential successors for top echelon positions, and (2) input from the corporate support office directors regarding guidelines and skill sets sought. Specifically, the proposed changes in the draft agenda and process:

- emphasize reviewing and noting each executive's readiness rather than composing short lists by position.
- indicate that the "The EDO, DEDOs, CFO and GC will periodically review the availability of potential successors for top echelon positions and development activities or assignments for them." This is consistent with the process for the past couple of years. The ERB will continue to discuss readiness and whether there are enough near term successors for executive positions at all levels, consider diversity, and develop strategies to address any gaps.
- add draft language under guidelines and skill sets sought based on corporate management succession planning discussions.
- contemplate offices and regions sending Executive Development Plans (EDPs) to HR by around the end of May for ERB review. The newer OPM regulations require that the ERB review EDPs. We propose a lead reviewer approach.

Thank you for your help!
Nancy
301-492-2235

SES SUCCESSION PLANNING MEETING
Wednesday, March 23, 2010, 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Professional Development Center – Room D

Proposed Agenda

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2011 SUCCESSION PLANNING

Expected Outcomes from Succession Planning Process

- Review succession planning guidelines
- Determine whether there are enough near term successors for executive positions, consider diversity, and develop strategies to address any gaps.
- Identify readiness to progress and further specific development, assessment, collaborative learning, mentoring, and/or coaching for each executive
- Follow up, using succession planning results in preparing and updating Executive Development Plans (EDPs) and to inform Executive Resources Board (ERB) staffing decisions, including the needs for next SES CDP class and relative priority of developmental assignments and rotations based on benefit to the executive and NRC
- Recommend future process improvements

Roles and Responsibilities in SES Succession Planning

The ERB will review and, as appropriate, revise the competencies and skills sets that they anticipate will be needed for position categories at least annually

Each Office Director/Regional Administrator, or their designee, will review the readiness of executives within their organizations to progress to the next level of executive position, identify development needs and interests for each executive within their organizations, conduct the succession planning and executive development processes within their organizations, hold succession planning discussions with executives in their respective organizations, ensure that each executive has an appropriate Executive Development Plan (EDP) and share results and recommendations with the appropriate DEDO and the ERB.

All executives should take an active part in identifying career goals, pursuing their developmental interests (including discussing with the OD/RA their development interests, potential development activities, and other executives with whom they would benefit from learning collaboratively (for example, sharing strategies for improving specific leadership skills), as well as completing the SES Succession Planning Career Interests Form), and completing an EDP with agreed-upon completion dates appropriate to the individual, organizational priorities, and any mentor, coach, or opportunity for collaborative learning.

The ERB will coordinate, monitor, and review results of succession planning activities, and developmental activities, as appropriate. The ERB will also review EDPs to ensure that they are appropriate and meet executive and organizational needs and priorities.

The Executive Director for Operations (EDO), Deputy Executive Directors (DEDOs), Chief Financial Officer (CFO) and General Counsel (GC) will periodically review available potential successors to top echelon positions, identify developmental priorities for potential successors,

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and hold succession planning meetings with the top echelon of executives in their respective organizations:

- Executive Director for Operations, Deputy Executive Directors for Operations, General Counsel, Chief Financial Officer
- Major Program Office Directors and Regional Administrators
- Corporate Management Office Directors

The EDO will discuss future potential successors to the top echelon of executive positions with the Chairman at least annually.

Succession Planning/Executive Development Process

The ERB will propose anticipated skill set needs for agency executive positions, especially for positions where the ERB assesses there is limited depth among the NRC executive pool.

Office Directors/Regional Administrators will assess the readiness to progress, aspirations, and development needs of each executive, as well as program needs, in their organizations. The ERB will provide a forum at which members share and validate results of succession planning at all levels and identify priorities and actions the ERB will take to facilitate further development of executives.

Based on the executive's interests as well as feedback from the executive's supervisory chain and~~/or~~ the ERB, each executive will work with his or her supervisor or OD/RA to create an EDP with training and developmental activities that will benefit and further broaden the executive.

- NRC is committed to continuous learning and improvement. All of us benefit from continued development, and NRC relies on executives to strengthen and update their competencies.
- The EDP should be designed to help each executive become even better at what they do now and help the executive prepare for potential future positions.
- Federal regulations now require executives to have EDPs.
- The EDP should be developed in connection with and partly based on feedback through the mid-year progress review.
- Executives will use the results of 360 degree assessments, performance reviews, and coaching from mentors, peers, supervising executives, and executive coaches to refine or revise EDPs.
- EDPs may include a broad variety of programmatic and leadership experiences (e.g., assignment or rotation to gain broader perspective, formal training, independent reading, work on specific competencies through assignments or projects, work with a mentor, coach, or as part of an executive pairing, etc.)
- Executives are encouraged, with advice from the Office or Region, to identify opportunities for collaborative learning with other executives. Such opportunities could include, for example, informal mentoring, exchanges of approaches to leadership challenges, or collaboration to hone specific leadership skills.

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In accordance with current federal regulations, the ERB will review and approve EDPs for executives. The ERB will assign an independent lead reviewer for each executive's EDP. The lead reviewer will provide comments and constructive feedback on the quality, relevancy, and adequacy of the EDP to the supervising executive for discussion with the executive. Lead reviewer observations will be compiled and assessed annually for the ERB to share as best practices with NRC executives.

The EDO, DEDOs, CFO and GC will periodically review the availability of potential successors for top echelon positions and development activities or assignments for them. The EDO or designee, CFO, and GC will hold succession planning meetings with the top echelon of executives in their respective organizations.

Succession Planning Guidelines and Skill Sets Sought

- Leadership attributes consistent with Executive Core Qualifications
    - Leading Change (Creativity and Innovation, External Awareness, Flexibility, Resilience, Strategic Thinking, Vision)
    - Leading People (Conflict Management, Leveraging Diversity, Developing Others, Team Building
    - Results Driven (Accountability, Customer Service, Decisiveness, Entrepreneurship, Problem Solving, Technical Credibility)
    - Business Acumen (Financial Management, Human Capital Management, Technology Management)
    - Building Coalitions (Partnering, Political Savvy, Influencing/Negotiating)
- Programmatic qualifications and experience appropriate to the position. Qualifications and experience may range in importance from desirable to necessary, depending on the position and skills available among subordinate staff, statutory requirements, and other considerations.
- Broad perspective with regard to NRC's mission and different NRC components; interagency experience; state, local, or tribal government perspective, international experience.
- Preference for non-linear moves
- Preference for multi-organizational experience
- Preference for geographical movement
- Time in an executive position should normally not exceed 4 years
- Time in a single organization should normally not exceed 6 years
- Consider input from executives regarding personal career interests (i.e., different position, organization, geographic location, line of work)
- Diversity
- Consideration of individuals with near-term retirement plans. New opportunities may contribute to retention.
- Consideration of CDP graduates/participants not yet placed

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Succession Planning Schedule

Action Item	Target Completion Date
Preparation	
Executives and SES CDP graduates and participants complete career interest forms, return them to HR (Johanna Gallagher), and provide a copy of the form to the individual's OD/RA.	02/15/2011
ERB reviews: Expected Outcomes Roles and Responsibilities Succession Planning/Executive Development Process Succession Planning Guidelines/Skill Sets	Week of 03/07/2011
Office Directors/Regional Administrators provide advance succession planning input to HR (Johanna Gallagher) and EDO/DEDOs regarding the readiness of executives within their organizations to move up to the next level position and each executive's development needs.	03/16/2011
HR: - consolidates succession planning input and provides to ERB members. - updates spreadsheet with background information on executives and CDP graduates/participants (i.e., time in position/office, retirement and mobility information, summary of 2011 career interest information, etc.) and provides to ERB members. HR provides complete sets of Career Interest Forms to EDO/DEDOs upon request.	03/23/2011
ERB Meeting	
ERB members: - Review succession planning guidelines and skill sets sought - Review: • The readiness of each executive to progress • Each executive's development needs - Identify any positions for which there is little bench strength and begin developing strategies to close gaps. This includes assessing whether a sufficient number of executives are mobile and determining needs for next SES CDP.	03/23/2011

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Action Item	Target Completion Date
- Identify solutions for executives who need a change in assignment and/or other development related to leadership competencies as well as SES CDP graduates who have been unplaced for more than 2 years - Agree on action plan and roles/responsibilities for next steps: • Identify specific developmental activities or assignments and opportunities for collaborative learning for remainder of executives • Discuss with executives • Prepare and update Executive Development Plans • Follow-up to make decisions on potential reassignments - Conduct overview and evaluation of succession planning process	
After ERB Meeting	
The appropriate ERB Member meets and works with each executive to develops an EDP for each executive, usually in conjunction with progress review. The EDO or designee, CFO, and GC will hold succession planning meetings with the top echelon of executives in their respective organizations; the appropriate OD/RAs will meet with most other executives. Office Directors/Regional Administrators, or their designees, hold succession planning discussions with other executives in their organizations, and identify developmental activities and schedules. Offices and Regions send a copy of each executive's EDP to HR (Johanna Gallagher) to coordinate review by the ERB.	05/27/2011
ERB reviews and approves EDPs for executives using a lead reviewer approach	06/30/2011
Continue 360 degree assessments and coaching for executives.	Ongoing
EDO, DEDOs, CFO, GC review and update potential	Periodically

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Action Item	Target Completion Date
successors for echelon positions, strategies to ensure adequate bench strength for these positions, and developmental activities of potential successors. • Executive Director for Operations, Deputy Executive Directors for Operations, General Counsel, Chief Financial Officer • Major Program Office Directors/Regional Administrators • Corporate Management Office Directors	
ERB monitors development and consults results of succession planning to guide SES staffing and assignment decisions; ERB shares EDP best practices based on assessment of observations from lead reviewers.	Ongoing

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2010 SES SUCCESSION PLANNING LIST (UPDATED 03/04/2011)

READINESS FOR NEXT LEVEL

MASTER LIST - INCLUDES ERB MEMBERS AND OTHER OEDO OFFICE DIRECTORS

NOTE: REMOVE FIRST GROUP OF POSITIONS FOR ERB SUCCESSION PLANNING MEETING

[redacted] = Changes to the Succession Planning List Since March 2010

= Executives Who Have Moved Up a Level Since March 2010

CURRENT EDO-LEVEL OFFICE DIRECTORS AND ERB MEMBERS (As of 03/04/2011)
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	Name	Office	Ready Now	Program Area(s)	Development and/or Experience Needed/Comments	Completed Activities and Actions (If Known)

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Honeywell Pleads Guilty in Illinois to Illegal Storage of Hazardous Waste
Corporation Sentenced to Pay $11.8 Million Criminal Fine

WASHINGTON – Honeywell International Inc. pleaded guilty today in federal district court in Benton, Ill., to one felony offense for knowingly storing hazardous waste without a permit in violation of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA). Honeywell was also sentenced today to pay a criminal fine in the amount of $11.8 million.

"Today, Honeywell must account for its knowing violation of a federal law that protects the public from exposure to hazardous waste containing radioactive material," said Ignacia S. Moreno, Assistant Attorney General for the Environment and Natural Resources Division of the Department of Justice. "All companies who generate hazardous waste must have a permit to store the waste and, when granted a permit under RCRA, must fully comply with its requirements or they will be prosecuted."

"The citizens of Southern Illinois should not and will not tolerate improper storage of hazardous wastes so near their homes and businesses," said Stephen R. Wigginton, U.S. Attorney for the Southern District of Illinois. U.S. Attorney Wigginton noted that he will "continue to seek out and

prosecute environmental criminals on behalf of the residents of the Southern District of Illinois in order to insure the environmental safety of our communities."

"The defendant's illegal storage practices put employees at risk of exposure to radioactive and hazardous materials," said Cynthia Giles, assistant administrator for EPA's Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance. "Today's plea agreement and sentencing shows that those who try to circumvent the law and place people's health and the environment at risk will be vigorously prosecuted."

Honeywell, a Delaware corporation with corporate headquarters in Morristown, N.J., owns and operates a uranium hexafluoride (UF6) conversion facility in Massac County, Ill., near the city of Metropolis and the Ohio River. Honeywell is licensed by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission to possess and otherwise manage natural uranium, which it converts into UF6 for nuclear fuel. The Metropolis facility is the only facility in the United States to convert natural uranium into UF6.

At the Metropolis facility, air emissions from the UF6 conversion process are scrubbed with potassium hydroxide (KOH) prior to discharge. As a result of this process, KOH scrubbers and associated equipment accumulate uranium compounds that settle out of the liquid and are pumped as a slurry into 55-gallon drums. The drummed material, called "KOH mud" and consisting of uranium and KOH, has a pH greater than or equal to 12.5.

In November 2002, Honeywell shut down part of the wet reclamation process it used to reclaim the uranium from the KOH mud, knowing that previously accumulated drums of KOH mud and any additional drums of KOH mud generated thereafter would have to be stored onsite until such time as the wet reclamation process was restarted. Honeywell also knew that, because the pH of KOH mud generated at the facility was greater than or equal to 12.5, it is classified as corrosive hazardous waste under regulations issued pursuant to RCRA. Therefore, Honeywell needed, but did not have, a RCRA permit to store any drums of KOH mud at its facility longer than 90 days.

In July 2007, Honeywell requested a modification of its RCRA permit from the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) so that they could store drums of KOH mud. IEPA issued Honeywell a modified permit in July 2008, allowing Honeywell to store drums containing KOH mud only in a KOH container storage area designed to contain any spills, leaks or precipitation that accumulates in the drum storage area. By September 2008, Honeywell had accumulated over 7,000 drums of KOH mud. In April 2009, EPA special agents conducted a search warrant and found nearly 7,500 illegally stored drums containing waste that was both radioactive and hazardous. Honeywell began storing the KOH mud drums in compliance with the terms of its RCRA permit in approximately March 2010.

In accordance with the terms of the criminal plea agreement, Honeywell will serve a five-year term of probation. As a condition of probation, Honeywell must comply with the terms of the interim consent order entered into with the Illinois Attorney General's Office and the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, filed on April 21, 2010, and any subsequent revisions, which imposes a schedule for the processing of KOH mud. As a further condition of probation, Honeywell must implement a community service project in the community surrounding the

Metropolis facility, whereby Honeywell will develop, fund and implement a household hazardous waste collection program and arrange for proper treatment, transportation and disposal of this waste collected during at least eight collection events over a two-year period, at a cost of approximately $200,000.

The case was investigated by the Environmental Protection Agency Criminal Investigation Division. It was prosecuted by Jennifer A. Whitfield and Susan L. Park of the Environmental Crimes Section of the Department of Justice Environment and Natural Resources Division and by William E. Coonan and Michael J. Quinley of the U.S. Attorney's Office for the Southern District of Illinois.

Satorius, Mark

From: Pederson, Cynthia
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:02 PM
To: Satorius, Mark; West, Steven; Shear, Gary; Reynolds, Steven; Boland, Anne
Subject: FW: Palisades Powerpoint Presentation
Attachments: Palisades RIII Drop In March 2011.ppt

From: Buckley, Patricia
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 3:44 PM
To: Pederson, Cynthia
Subject: FW: Palisades Powerpoint Presentation

Cindy - -

Palisades licensee will present the attached slides during their Drop In Meeting on Monday, March 15, 2011.
I notified the IT staff and forwarded the slides to be setup on a laptop in the Executive Conf Room.

From: Buckley, Patricia
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 3:26 PM
To: Tomczak, Tammy
Subject: FW: Palisades Powerpoint Presentation

Tammy - - FYI

The slides has been submitted to Helpdesk with a request for setup in the Executive Conf Room on Monday, March 14, 2011, prior to the 1:00 p.m. start time. I had discussed the logistics with Chris Cole, and specifically requested him to setup on the Helpdesk request.

Thanks!

Pat

From: DOTSON, BARBARA E [mailto:bdotson@entergy.com]
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 2:47 PM
To: Buckley, Patricia
Cc: Kirwin, Thomas P; Hamilton, David
Subject: Palisades Powerpoint Presentation

Pat,

Attached are the slides for the Palisades drop-in visit on Monday. The site attendees will be Tom Kirwin, Acting Site Vice President, David Hamilton, Acting Plant General Manager, and myself. Paula Anderson is not able to make it.

Please let me know if you need anything else from us.

Thanks,

Barb Dotson
Palisades Licensing
(269) 764-2265

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Palisades Nuclear Plant
RIII Drop-in Visit

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Current Performance

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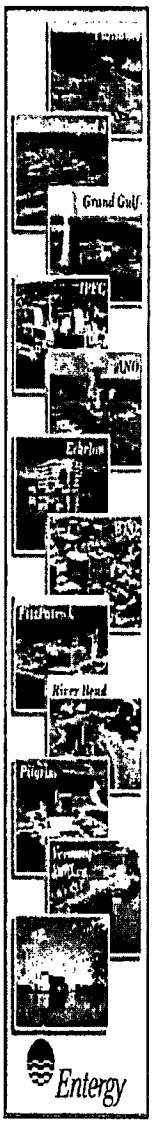

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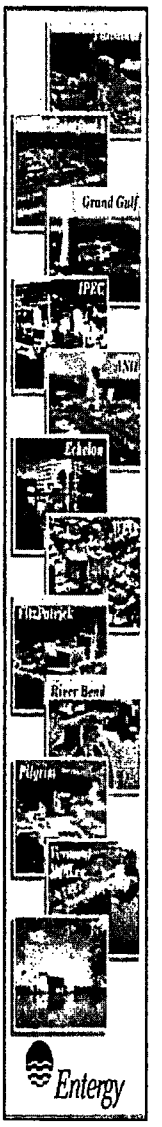
Current Performance

- Outage
- Power Reduction
- Plant Trip
- Operator Performance



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- Corrective Action Program Health
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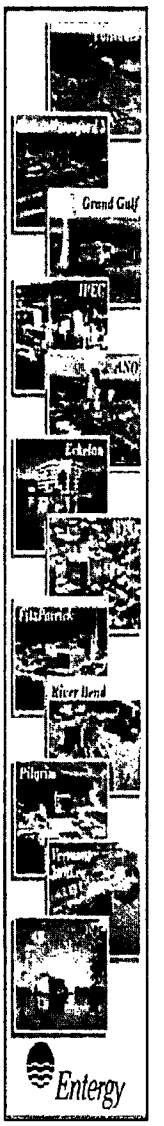
- Equipment Reliability
- Security Upgrades and Force-on-Force Readiness



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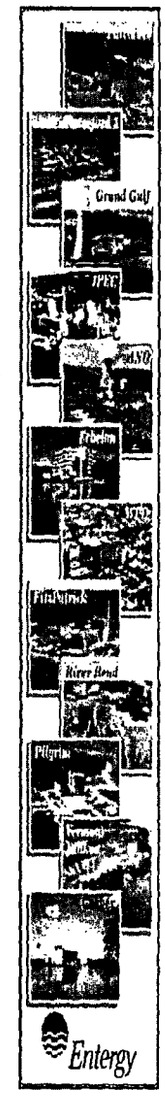
- Status
- Lessons Learned
- Aging Management Strategy



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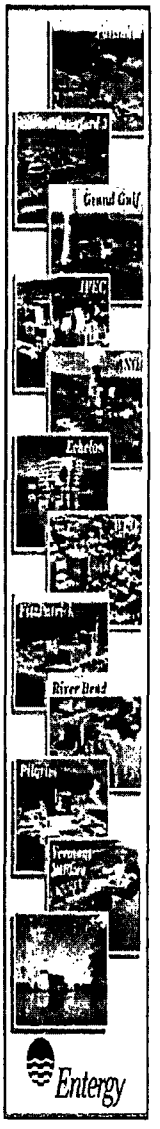

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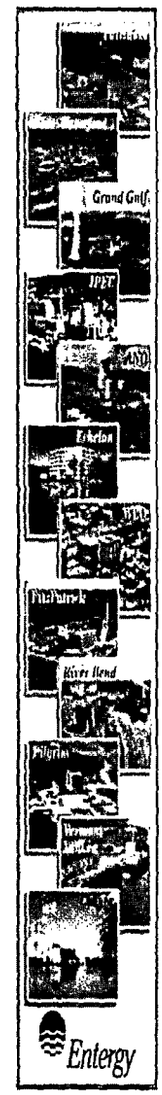

From: Sheron, Brian
To: Leeds, Eric; Johnson, Michael; Wiggins, Jim
Subject: Question
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:06:04 PM

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Any ideas?

From:	Spencer, Ruth
To:	Le, Hong
Cc:	Newell, Karenina; Nguyen, Caroline; Ferrell, Kimberly; Ruland, William; Givvines, Mary; Grancorvitz, Teresa; Stout, Kathleen; Harvey, Sue; Ma, May; Sangimino, Donna-Marie; Valentin, Andrea; Scott, Michael
Subject:	RE: ACTION: Review Scenario A Prioritization
Date:	Friday, March 11, 2011 4:12:24 PM
Attachments:	RES markup Attachment 6 - Op Rx Business Line - Scenario A (11Mar11).xlsx

Hi Hong,

It was tough to gather players on short notice on Friday afternoon. However, Brian Sheron ran down the list and suggested a few places that priorities might warrant a second look. He also noted that one of RES's lower priority items should probably be medium.

Please see attached markup, with items highlighted. Let me know if you need anything else.

Ruth Spencer

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Ruth Spencer, NRC/RES, 301 251 7921

From: Le, Hong
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 11:55 AM
To: Ma, May; Harvey, Sue; Spencer, Ruth; Stout, Kathleen; Grancorvitz, Teresa
Cc: Newell, Karenina; Nguyen, Caroline; Ferrell, Kimberly; Ruland, William; Givvines, Mary
Subject: ACTION: Review Scenario A Prioritization

As a follow up to this morning's NRR meeting, please review the attached Scenario A, which has been updated with NSIR's H/M/L ranking.

ACTION – Please review the High–Medium–Low ranking (column E in attached worksheet), and make any necessary updates. *Most importantly*, consider your ranking from the "**Operating Reactors Business Line**" not from an "office" – perspective.

Next Steps:

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Due: Please provide your input by 4:00pm today. Sorry for the quick turn around, but this information is critical in moving forward in preparation for the Business Line meeting next week.

We will share the updated Scenario A list when it is updated. Thank you for your support!

Hong

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From: Cullingford, Michael
To: Virgilio, Martin
Subject: FW: Final Trip Report
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:17:57 PM
Attachments: Spain final IAEA 2011 trip report 2-15.docx

Marty: I am not sure if this trip report went through the appropriate process; therefore you may already have this trip report.....mc

From: Cullingford, Michael
Sent: Thursday, March 03, 2011 5:01 PM
To: Regan, Christopher; Fehst, Geraldine
Cc: Craig, Jocelyn; Dorsey, Cynthia; Adams, John
Subject: Final Trip Report

Final Trip Report. John Adams has been informed about his action. Jocelyn: Please put the report into "NRRInternationalTrvl Resource" Thank you.....mike

NRC INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL MISSION REPORT

Travelers, Office, Division, Phone Numbers

Christopher Regan, Chief, Financial Analysis and International Projects Branch, DPR, 301-415-2768
Michael Cullingford, Special Assistant Technical Policy and International Liaison, DPR, NRR 301-415-1276
Geraldine Fehst, International Relations Officer, Office of International Programs 301-415-1614

Subject:
International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA): information exchange on priorities for NRR participation in IAEA Nuclear Safety programs.
Regulatory Authority of Spain (CSN) identification of priorities for regulatory cooperation between CSN and NRR for 2011-2013.

Dates of Travel and Countries/Organizations Visited:
February15, 2011, IAEA, Vienna, Austria; February 17-18, 2011, CSN and visit to Almaraz NPP

Desired Outcomes:
To understand IAEA nuclear safety programs and identify priority activities that are important to the IAEA and beneficial for NRR participation. To exchange information with CSN management and staff on priorities for CSN - NRR cooperation and assistance in the next two years. This information will allow more efficient and effective planning of NRR international activity resources.

Results Achieved:
Information exchanged with senior members of the **IAEA** secretariat allowed identification of activities, in nuclear safety, that are both IAEA priorities and consistent with NRC objectives. **CSN** management treated the NRC team visit as highly important. The information exchanged was comprehensive and provided identification of fourteen technical areas, for cooperation over the next two years, divided into two groups. A high priority group that consists of areas for cooperation to begin in the next 3 to 6 months and a group of less immediate priority that may begin later in the first year depending on the progress achieved with the higher priority group tasks. .

Summary of Mission

Meetings with senior IAEA project officers, 2/15/2011.

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- Zwentendorf Training Project and PRA (Michael Modro)

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- IRRS and CNS (Miro Svab)

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- Seismic Center (Sugit Samaddar)

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- Meeting with Director (Acting) of Division of Nuclear Installation Safety (NSNI) , Miro Lipar

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Meetings with the Regulatory Authority of Spain (CSN) 2/17/2011

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v) **Steam Generator Tube Plugging H* Criteria (A) NRR**
Status of NRC approach

vi) ROP and Technical Bases of Performance Indicators (B) NRR

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Pending Actions/Planned Next Steps for NRC
Apply information gained for participation in IAEA activities in Nuclear Safety. Begin implementation of high priority areas (group A) for cooperation with CSN. Meet with CSN representative on March 11 after the RIC. Take follow up actions identified herein.

Points for Commission Consideration/Interest:
The content of this report is not likely to be of interest to the Commission

Bozin, Sunny

From: Paul Dickman (b)(6)
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:20 PM
To: Nieh, Ho
Subject: Re: Link to letters

Sure (b)(6)

On Fri, Mar 11, 2011 at 4:16 PM, Nieh, Ho <Ho.Nieh@nrc.gov> wrote:
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>
> ----- Original Message -----
> From: Paul Dickman (b)(6)
> To: Nieh, Ho
> Sent: Fri Mar 11 16:15:35 2011
> Subject: Re: Link to letters
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> Wow! Josh told me something I would like to follow up with you on.
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> On Fri, Mar 11, 2011 at 3:50 PM, Nieh, Ho <Ho.Nieh@nrc.gov> wrote:
>> Hey Paul - good to see you at the RIC.
>>
>> http://science.house.gov/letter/nrc-letters
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>> May have some items of interest to you. Would also read the follow up letter link.
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>> Have a good weekend.
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>> Best wishes, Ho
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From: Williams, Shawn
To: Fragoyannis, Nancy
Cc: Virgilio, Martin
Subject: FW: draft e-mail to interagency
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:28:30 PM

Nancy,
Please send Marty and I the final e-mail that was sent to the Interagency. I like the draft e-mail below.

Thank you for all OIP's support today on this issue.

Shawn

From: Brach, Bill
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 2:10 PM
To: Fragoyannis, Nancy
Cc: Williams, Shawn
Subject: RE: email

Nancy,

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Bill

From: Fragoyannis, Nancy
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 1:36 PM
To: Brach, Bill
Subject: FW: email
Importance: High

From: Fragoyannis, Nancy
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 11:58 AM
To: Doane, Margaret; Mamish, Nader
Subject: email
Importance: High

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Thanks,

Nancy Fragoyannis
Senior Level Advisor for Nonproliferation and
International Nuclear Security
Office of International Programs
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
301-415-8464

From: Hiland, Patrick
To: Arndt, Steven
Subject: RE: George
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:30:00 PM

Thanks

-----Original Message-----
From: Arndt, Steven
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:21 PM
To: Hiland, Patrick
Subject: George

Try George at (b)(6). I think that is his cell number.

Sent from a NRC blackberry
Steven Arndt
(b)(6)

From: (b)(6)
To: Grobe, Jack
Subject: (b)(6)
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:30:15 AM

(b)(6)

From: Fragoyannis, Nancy
To: Virgilio, Martin
Subject: RE: cable
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:33:56 PM

Marty, thanks. We are getting ready to send it now.

Nancy

From: Virgilio, Martin
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:09 PM
To: Fragoyannis, Nancy
Subject: RE: cable

Nancy

I have no comments on this version

From: Fragoyannis, Nancy
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 2:47 PM
To: Williams, Shawn; Virgilio, Martin; Brach, Bill; Shaffer, Mark R; Schwartzman, Jennifer; Layton, Michael
Subject: cable
Importance: High

I am done!!!! Hopefully. Minor changes (I made them to both documents) to include Mark and Bill's changes. Please let me know asap because we plan on sending shortly. NNSA has queried whether we have comments.

Nancy

Nancy Fragoyannis
Senior Level Advisor for Nonproliferation and
International Nuclear Security
Office of International Programs
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
301-415-8464

From: Wittick, Brian
To: Shoop, Undine
Cc: Trapp, James
Subject: Re: Inspection procedures for ground water
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:52:12 PM

Will do

Sent from NRC BlackBerry
Brian Wittick
(b)(6)

From: Shoop, Undine
To: Wittick, Brian
Cc: Brown, Frederick; Garry, Steven
Sent: Fri Mar 11 16:24:55 2011
Subject: FW: Inspection procedures for ground water

Brian,

My apologies but this was sent directly to the TA instead of you. Would you please pass this on to the other Commission offices.

Thanks for your help!
Undine

..
From: Garry, Steven
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 2:07 PM
To: Warnick, Greg
Cc: Shoop, Undine; Conatser, Richard; Brown, Frederick
Subject: Inspection procedures for ground water

Greg,

In response to your question at the 12:45pm TA briefing (where in the inspection procedures there is a reference to the Ground Water Protection initiative?), the primary reference is in IP 71124.06, Section 02.06, GPI Implementation.
http://adamswebsearch2.nrc.gov/idmws/DocContent.dll?library=PU_ADAMS^pbntad01&LogonID=46345cc75f989e87d810e652df4d25af&id=093380083

There is also reference to inspection of leakage past SSC to the environment in IP-71124.07, Section 02.02 and 03.02.
http://adamswebsearch2.nrc.gov/idmws/DocContent.dll?library=PU_ADAMS^pbntad01&LogonID=b6174098d62354e74280b63a4cfedf25&id=093380084

Steve Garry
Sr. Health Physicist
NRR DIRS Health Physics and Human Performance Branch

From:	Chidichimo, Gabriele
To:	Parker, Nicole; Vietti-Cook, Annette
Cc:	Kokajko, Lawrence; Davis, Jack; Benney, Brian; Haney, Catherine; Dorman, Dan; Mohseni, Aby; Stablein, King; Valencia, Jennifer
Subject:	RE: Redacted Documents
Date:	Friday, March 11, 2011 4:54:49 PM

Thank you for all your help!

Have a wonderful weekend

Gaby

From: Parker, Nicole
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:54 PM
To: Vietti-Cook, Annette
Cc: Chidichimo, Gabriele
Subject: Redacted Documents

Good Afternoon

We had sent the document to the DPC center to get declared for immediate release. But with your push it was done right away

Thanks for all your help.

Nicole Parker

From: Boger, Bruce |
To: Givvines, Mary
Subject: Re: Scheduling Call Monday, March 14, 2011 @ 1:30 pm
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:57:05 PM

My calendar supports my participation. Thanks for asking, but I can take this one.

From: Givvines, Mary
To: Boger, Bruce
Sent: Fri Mar 11 15:45:58 2011
Subject: Fw: Scheduling Call Monday, March 14, 2011 @ 1:30 pm

Do you need me to take this for you?

From: Taylor, Renee
To: Abraham, Susan; Akstulewicz, Brenda; Andersen, James; Ash, Darren; Baker, Pamela; Belmore, Nancy; Bettis, Ashley; Boger, Bruce; Borchardt, Bill; Boyce, Thomas (OIS); Boyd, Lena; Brenner, Eliot; Brown, Milton; Buckley, Patricia; Campbell, Andy; Casby, Marcia; Casto, Chuck; Cianci, Sandra; Cohen, Miriam; Collins, Elmo; Crawford, Carrie; Crouch, Nicole; Cullison, David; Dambly, Jan; Dapas, Marc; Darby, Krystal; Deegan, George; Delligatti, Mark; Dembek, Stephen; Doolittle, Elizabeth; Dorman, Dan; Dubose, Sheila; EDO Distribution; Ficks, Ben; Flory, Shirley; Garland, Stephanie; Givvines, Mary; Golder, Jennifer; Grobe, Jack; Gusack, Barbara; Harris, Natasha; Hasan, Nasreen; Hayden, Elizabeth; Higginbotham, Tina; Holahan, Gary; Holahan, Patricia; Hopkins, Rhonda; Howard, Patrick; Howell, Art; Jaegers, Cathy; Kaplan, Michele; Kelley, Corenthis; Krupnick, David; Landau, Mindy; Lee, Pamela; Lew, David; Mamish, Nader; Matakas, Gina; McCrary, Cheryl; Miles, Patricia; Mitchell, Reggie; Moore, Scott; Muessle, Mary; ODaniell, Cynthia; Owen, Lucy; Pederson, Cynthia; Poland, Catherine; Powell, Amy; Pulliam, Timothy; Quesenberry, Jeannette; Raynor, Kathleen; Reynolds, Steven; Rheaume, Cynthia; Riddick, Nicole; Ronewicz, Lynn; Ross, Brenda; Ross, Robin; Salus, Amy; Santiago, Patricia; Satorius, Mark; Schaeffer, James; Schmidt, Rebecca; Schum, Constance; Schumann, Stacy; Schwarz, Sherry; Shah, Maria; Shay, Jason; Smith, Beverly; Somerville, Glenda; Sprogeris, Patricia; Stewart, Sharon; Tannenbaum, Anita; Taylor, Renee; Tomczak, Tammy; Tracy, Glenn; Uhle, Jennifer; Veltri, Debra; Virgilio, Martin; Walker, Dwight; Weber, Michael; Wert, Leonard; West, Steven; Williams, Barbara; Wyatt, Melissa; Zimmerman, Roy
Sent: Fri Mar 11 15:42:37 2011
Subject: Scheduling Call Monday, March 14, 2011 @ 1:30 pm

Good afternoon,

This is a reminder that the next scheduling call is: **Monday, March 14, 2011 @ 1:30 pm**

If you have any items to add to the agenda please send them via e-mail to me.

For those offices/regions that are not available, you are welcome to send a representative. Please feel free to come to Mary's office (O-17H20) for this call if you like.

Please note bridge number and pass code:
Bridge number 1-800-857-0150
Pass code (b)(6) #

Thank you,
Renee Taylor
Administrative Assistant to the Executive Director for Operations

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
(301) 415-1701

Bozin, Sunny

From: Nieh, Ho
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:58 PM
To: Herr, Linda
Subject: Re: Lunch for our bosses

(b)(6)

Sent via BlackBerry

Ho Nieh
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From: Herr, Linda
To: Nieh, Ho
Sent: Fri Mar 11 16:45:57 2011
Subject: RE: Lunch for our bosses

No harm, no foul! I'll let Patti know.

(b)(6)

From: Nieh, Ho
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:45 PM
To: Herr, Linda
Subject: Re: Lunch for our bosses

Linda - forgot to give u a heads up that this was coming. WCO is ok with the lunch.

Sorry.

Ho

Sent via BlackBerry

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From: Herr, Linda
To: Ostendorff, William
Cc: Nieh, Ho
Sent: Fri Mar 11 16:43:26 2011
Subject: FW: Lunch for our bosses

Sir:

How shall I respond? You are here on the 18th – you are free from 1000-1300 with a 1300 w/Cmr. Apostolakis (that I can move).

GJB is free from 1200-1400 and is suggesting maybe Addie's (you know where Addie's is located) or the Black Market Bistro (located at 4600 Waverly Ave, Garrett Park, MD 20896), also just a mile or so from the NRC.

Thanks,
Linda

From: Pace, Patti
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:23 PM
To: Herr, Linda
Subject: Lunch for our bosses

Hi Linda,

Chairman Jaczko let me know that he would like to have lunch with Commissioner Ostendorff. Would your boss be available next Friday, March 18th?

Thanks!

Patti Pace
Assistant to Chairman Gregory B. Jaczko
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
301-415-1820 (office)
301-415-3504 (fax)

From:
To:
Cc:
Subject:
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 5:05:15 PM
Attachments: ATT00001..txt

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Satorius, Mark

From: West, Steven
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 5:06 PM
To: Satorius, Mark; Pederson, Cynthia
Subject: RE: Region III concurrence on Annual ROP Self-Assessment
Attachments: image001.png

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From: Satorius, Mark
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:25 PM
To: Pederson, Cynthia; West, Steven
Subject: RE: Region III concurrence on Annual ROP Self-Assessment

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From: Pederson, Cynthia
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 1:11 PM
To: West, Steven
Cc: Satorius, Mark
Subject: Re: Region III concurrence on Annual ROP Self-Assessment

Very interesting
(sent from Blackberry device)

From: West, Steven
To: Pederson, Cynthia
Sent: Mon Mar 14 12:50:17 2011
Subject: FW: Region III concurrence on Annual ROP Self-Assessment

Just FYI, but interesting.

From: Lara, Julio
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:14 AM
To: West, Steven; Shear, Gary
Subject: FW: Region III concurrence on Annual ROP Self-Assessment

Fyi.

From: Frahm, Ronald
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:10 AM
To: Lara, Julio
Subject: RE: Region III concurrence on Annual ROP Self-Assessment

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From: Lara, Julio
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:02 AM

To: Frahm, Ronald
Subject: RE: Region III concurrence on Annual ROP Self-Assessment

(b)(5)

From: Frahm, Ronald
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 7:15 AM
To: West, Steven
Cc: Lara, Julio; Brown, Frederick; Franovich, Rani
Subject: RE: Region III concurrence on Annual ROP Self-Assessment

Thanks Steve. I'm revising the draft SECY to incorporate yours and others comments.

Regarding the regulatory impact summary, the form 649's are typically filled out by senior regional management as a result of their site visits IAW IMC 0102. The forms for Region III for fiscal year (FY) 2010 were sent in by Doris Chyu in late October and were included in the analysis. Please let me know if you have any further questions on this.

We're hoping to have the metric report available later today. - Ron

From: West, Steven
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 5:38 PM
To: Frahm, Ronald
Cc: Pederson, Cynthia; Shear, Gary; Reynolds, Steven; Boland, Anne; Louden, Patrick; Brown, Frederick; Lara, Julio; Kobetz, Timothy; Franovich, Rani
Subject: Region III concurrence on Annual ROP Self-Assessment

Ron,

Region III concurs with the Annual ROP Self-Assessment paper. We offer a few editorial comments below (see Julio's e-mail to me) for your consideration.

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Let me know if we can be of further assistance. We look forward to reviewing the annual performance metric report after it becomes available.

Steve

Steven West, Director
Division of Reactor Projects
NRC, Region III
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Steven.West@nrc.gov

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From: Lara, Julio
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 9:54 AM
To: West, Steven
Cc: Shear, Gary; OBrien, Kenneth; Reynolds, Steven
Subject: RE: Action Requested: concurrence on Annual ROP Self-Assessment

I forwarded the ROP assessment to all DRS and DRP BCs + SRAs. The comments below reflect all feedback. Note that per NRR's email, we still do not have the annual performance metric report. I am not certain that it would affect concurrence.

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From: Frahm, Ronald
Sent: Friday, February 25, 2011 11:47 AM

To: Hay, Michael; Powell, Raymond; Hopper, George; Lara, Julio; West, Steven
Cc: Doerflein, Lawrence; Roberts, Darrell; Clifford, James; Wilson, Peter; Munday, Joel; Croteau, Rick; Christensen, Harold; Kennedy, Kriss; OBrien, Kenneth; Shear, Gary; West, Steven; Jones, William; Reynolds, Steven; Pruett, Troy; Vegel, Anton; Cheok, Michael; Franovich, Rani; Brown, Frederick; Kobetz, Timothy; Lian, Jocelyn; Frahm, Ronald
Subject: Action Requested: concurrence on Annual ROP Self-Assessment
Importance: High

Good afternoon folks,

The annual ROP self-assessment SECY paper for CY 2010 is ready for regional review and concurrence. The paper has been reviewed by the tech editor and DIRS management, and their comments have been incorporated. The paper includes 4 enclosures that are separate MSWord files (attached) and will be entered into ADAMS shortly. The annual performance metric report, which feeds this annual self-assessment, is being issued separately. We will let you know when it is ready for your review and comment.

Your comments and concurrence are requested by **COB on Friday, March 11, 2010**, in order to support issuing the paper within the tight schedule necessary to support the Agency Action Review Meeting. Please provide comments to me at Ronald.Frahm@nrc.gov. Please contact Fred Brown (301-415-1004), Rani Franovich (301-415-1868), or me (301-415-2986) if you have any questions or concerns.

As always, your support and feedback is appreciated. - Ron

From: Doolittle, Elizabeth
To: Walker, Dwight
Cc: Easson, Pamela; Haney, Catherine; Dorman, Dan
Subject: April"11_All-HandsPunchList.docx
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 5:12:05 PM
Attachments: April"11_All-HandsPunchList.docx

Dwight,

Please prepare and send NRC Form 30 to ADM requesting room setup for our NMSS All Staff Meeting on April 13. Also, please reserve a bridge line for the meeting. Please prepare an NMSS Box Announcement to remind NMSS staff that the next All Staff meeting is on April 13.

If you could take care of these next week, March 14, I'll update our new All Staff Punchlist which we're using to keep Cathy and Dan informed.

Thank you,
Beth

Schedule (where "T" is the meeting date)	Task	Assigned to	Date done	Contact person
	Establish the meeting date	Beth Doolittle	January 24, 2011	
	Book date in ET calendars	Dwight Walker	January 26, 2011	
	Make initial contact with presenter(s)	Beth Doolittle		
	Agenda development	Beth Doolittle		
T – 8 weeks	Reserve Conference Room EBB 1 B 13/15 **with** VTC option for the full day	Dwight Walker	January 26, 2011	
8	Reserve Bridge Line	D. Walker		
8	Prepare and send Form 30 to ADM, specifying a detailed Room Setup, including the removal of tables and room layout. (Request should include replacement of all conference room furniture at the end of the meeting.)	D. Walker		
6	Request AV Support (WHAT EXACTLY DOES THIS MEAN?)	Pam Easson		
	Request photographer/Videotaping			
4	Reserve 2 Laptops with LAN Connection (ALL LAPTOPS HAVE LAN CONNECTION. DOES THIS MEAN NMSS LAPTOPS?)	Pam Easson		
4	Set up GoToWebinar Meeting with Link	B. Doolittle E. Schultz		
4	Prepare and send NMSS Box Announcement	Beth Doolittle		

	including Bridge Line and GoToWebinar Link			
	Issue NMSS Box Announcement including Bridge Line and GoToWebinar Link	Dwight Walker		
0/5	Receive and Upload Presentation Slides **from all presenters** onto Laptop	Beth Doolittle		
0/5	Prepare NMSS Box Announcement including Bridge Line and GoToWebinar Link	Beth Doolittle		
	Issue NMSS Box Announcement including Bridge Line and GoToWebinar Link	D. Walker		
0/3	Conduct GoToWebinar Dry Run	B.Doolittle E.Schultz		
0/2	Confirm Speaker Participation	Beth Doolittle		
0/2	Confirm Room Set-up (WHAT DOES THIS MEAN? Room set up is specified on the Form 30. DOES THIS REALLY MEAN TO CONFIRM THAT THE REQUEST WAS RECEIVED BY ADM?	Pam Easson		
	Confirm AV/Photographer			
0/1	Prepare NMSS Box Announcement including Bridge Line and GoToWebinar Link	Beth Doolittle		
	Issue NMSS Box Announcement including Bridge Line and GoToWebinar Link	D. Walker		
0/0	Coordinate Room Setup/VTC, AV, Microphones, Photographer, and Laptop Setup and	Beth Doolittle Pam Easson		

	Operation.			
	Coordinate Room Teardown on 1/-1.			

Satorius, Mark

From: marc.brandt@gsa.gov on behalf of ChicagoFEB@gsa.gov
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 5:16 PM
To: &FEB_ONLY__FEB_Executive_Committee@gsa.gov; &FEB_ONLY__FEB_Executive_Committee_cc_List@gsa.gov; &FEB_ONLY__FEB_Master_List@gsa.gov; &FEB_ONLY__Federal_Midwest_Human_Resources_Council@gsa.gov; &FEB_ONLY__HHS_Only@gsa.gov; &FEB_ONLY__DOL_Only@gsa.gov
Cc: jean.brown@gsa.gov; veronica.leyva@gsa.gov; marc.brandt@gsa.gov; ellen.mcelligott@gsa.gov; keziah.burton@gsa.gov; (b)(6)
Subject: Seeking Paralegal Specialist for NSTC at Great Lakes, IL - All US Citizens - Closes 3-16-11

Chicago FEB Community:

Naval Service Training Command (NSTC) is seeking assistance in publicizing a USAJOBS announcement for a Paralegal Specialist, GS-11, in the Office of Counsel, located at Great Lakes, IL. The announcement closes on: **Wednesday, March 16, 2011 at 10:59 PM (CST)** and is open to ALL US citizens. Please see the attached links for more information:

http://jobview.usajobs.gov/GetJob.aspx?JobID=97573839&JobTitle=Paralegal+Specialist&q=NE1-0950-11-JB447142-UDE&brd=3876&vw=b&FedEmp=N&FedPub=Y&pg=1&re=0&AVSDM=2011-03-11+10%3a31%3a00

Thank you.

Respectfully,

Marc Brandt
Project Manager
Chicago Federal Executive Board
77 W. Jackson Boulevard, Suite 2115
Chicago, IL 60604
p: 312-886-2296
f: 312-353-3058
e: marc.brandt@gsa.gov

Satorius, Mark

From: Giessner, John
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 5:18 PM
To: Ellegood, John; Satorius, Mark; West, Steven; Shear, Gary; Lerch, Robert
Cc: Taylor, Thomas; Chawla, Mahesh; Wengert, Thomas
Subject: Re: Governor replacement

I agree with your assessment John.
(Sent from Blackberry)

From: Ellegood, John
To: Ellegood, John; Giessner, John; Satorius, Mark; West, Steven; Shear, Gary; Lerch, Robert
Cc: Taylor, Thomas; Chawla, Mahesh; Wengert, Thomas
Sent: Fri Mar 11 17:41:01 2011
Subject: RE: Governor replacement

Correction-

For the EGA, with the electrolytic capacitors, the recommended replacement interval is 10 years.

From: Ellegood, John
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 5:36 PM
To: Giessner, John; Satorius, Mark; West, Steven; Shear, Gary; Lerch, Robert
Cc: Taylor, Thomas; Chawla, Mahesh; Wengert, Thomas
Subject: Governor replacement

The licensee is preparing a basis for the current condition of the governors. The licensee replaced the hydraulic portion of the 1-1 EDG in June 2010. They replaced the electronic portion (EGA); however the replacement EGA was not reliable and they reinstalled the old EGA.

The EPRI guidance recommends replacement of the EGA governor every 7 years if it has electrolytic capacitors. If the capacitors have been replaced with tantalum capacitors, the EPRI guidance recommends replaced only after the EGA shows signs of degradation.

The licensee need to validate the type of capacitors on the EGA. If the EGAs have the upgraded capacitors, they should be able to provide a basis for operability.

John Ellegood

How we think shows through in how we act. Attitudes are mirrors of the mind. They reflect thinking.
David Joseph Schwartz

From: Hiland, Patrick
To: (b)(6)
Subject:
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 5:32:05 PM

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From: (b)(6)
To: Grobe, Jack
Subject: (b)(6)
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 5:31:52 PM

(b)(6)

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From: Williams, Shawn
To: Borchardt, Bill; Weber, Michael; Muessle, Mary; Andersen, James
Cc: Virgilio, Martin
Subject: FW: ACTION: Clear/Comment on Draft Task Force cable by noon tomorrow (3/11)
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 5:32:24 PM
Attachments: Track Change Version of Guidance Cable for Task Force Meeting.docx

fyi

From: Fragoyannis, Nancy
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 5:13 PM
To: (b)(6)

(b)(6)

Cc: Mamish, Nader; Virgilio, Martin; Brach, Bill; Floyd, Daphene
Subject: RE: ACTION: Clear/Comment on Draft Task Force cable by noon tomorrow (3/11)

Rich and Rob,

(b)(5)

Thanks

Nancy

FYI – I was having a problem with redline version. If new language is not highlighted please look at tack marks on the left margin to show additions.

From: Smith, Gretchen (CONTR) [mailto:Gretchen.Smith@nnsa.doe.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 11:03 AM
To: (b)(6)
(b)(6)

(b)(6)

Subject: ACTION: Clear/Comment on Draft Task Force cable by noon tomorrow (3/11)

Dear all,

The draft cable on the Joint Task Force is attached for your review. Please provide any edits to me by noon tomorrow (3/11).

Thanks!

Gretchen

Contractor to
Office of Nuclear Safeguards and Security (NA-241)
U.S. Department of Energy/National Nuclear Security Administration
Gretchen.Smith@nnsa.doe.gov
202-586-2650

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Date:	Friday, March 11, 2011 7:14:02 PM
Posted At:	itrezzo EPS Backups
Conversation:	itrezzo EPS Backups: 3/11/2011 19:14
Subject:	itrezzo EPS Backups: 3/11/2011 19:14
Attachments:	Wittick Brian.msg

The following 1 mandatory contact(s) were updated with current information:

- Wittick, Brian (Bus:301-415-2496)

NOTE: If itrezzo EPS overwrites any important data in your contacts, you can find the original, unchanged contacts attached to this message.

Attachment Wittick Brian.msg (2560 Bytes) cannot be converted to PDF format.

From: Brenner, Eliot
To: Burnell, Scott
Cc: Dolley, Steven
Subject: RE: Vermont Yankee affirmation transcript
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:28:24 PM

Complete transcript. Short. Sweet.

From: Burnell, Scott
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:10 PM
To: Brenner, Eliot
Subject: Fw: Vermont Yankee affirmation transcript

Shall I tell him yes, a complete transcript, or would you prefer to?

Sent from an NRC Blackberry
Scott Burnell
(b)(6)

From: OPA Resource
To: Burnell, Scott
Sent: Fri Mar 11 19:03:33 2011
Subject: FW: Vermont Yankee affirmation transcript

From: Dolley, Steven [mailto:Steven_Dolley@platts.com]
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 6:50 PM
To: OPA Resource
Subject: Vermont Yankee affirmation transcript

Hi, Not an urgent question.

But Is this a complete transcript, or have comments after the chairman's question been redacted?
Thanks, Steve

Steven Dolley
Managing Editor, Inside NRC
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AFFIRMATION SESSION

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PUBLIC MEETING

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Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Commission Hearing Room
11555 Rockville Pike
Rockville, Maryland
March 10, 2011

The Commission met in open session, pursuant to notice, at 3:30 p.m., Gregory B. Jaczko, Chairman, presiding.

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

GREGORY B. JACZKO, Chairman of the Commission

KRISTINE L. SVINICKI, Member of the Commission

WILLIAM D. MAGWOOD, IV, Member of the Commission

WILLIAM C. OSTENDORFF, Member of the Commission

STAFF AND PRESENTERS SEATED AT THE COMMISSION TABLE:

STEPHEN G. BURNS, General Counsel

ANNETTE L. VIETTI-COOK, Secretary of the Commission

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[3:30 p.m.]

PROCEEDINGS

CHAIRMAN JACZKO: Ready for affirmation.

MS. VIETTI-COOK: This is on Entergy Nuclear Vermont Yankee and Entergy Nuclear Operations (Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station). The Commission is being asked to act on a Memorandum and Order denying a petition for review filed by the New England Coalition challenging the Licensing Board's decision in LBP-10-19, in which the Board refused to reopen this adjudication and admit for litigation New England Coalition's latest proposed contention. The Commission has voted to approve a Memorandum and Order, which affirms LBP-10-19 and terminates this proceeding. Commissioner Apostolakis did not participate in this matter. Would you please affirm your votes?

CHAIRMAN JACZKO: Aye.

COMMISSIONER SVINICKI: Aye.

COMMISSIONER MAGWOOD: Aye.

COMMISSIONER OSTENDORFF: Aye.

MS. VIETTI-COOK: That's all I have thank you.

CHAIRMAN JACZKO: Any comments?

CERTIFICATE

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TITLE OF MEETING: Affirmation Session
(PUBLIC MEETING)

PLACE OF MEETING: Rockville, Maryland

DATE OF MEETING: March 10, 2011

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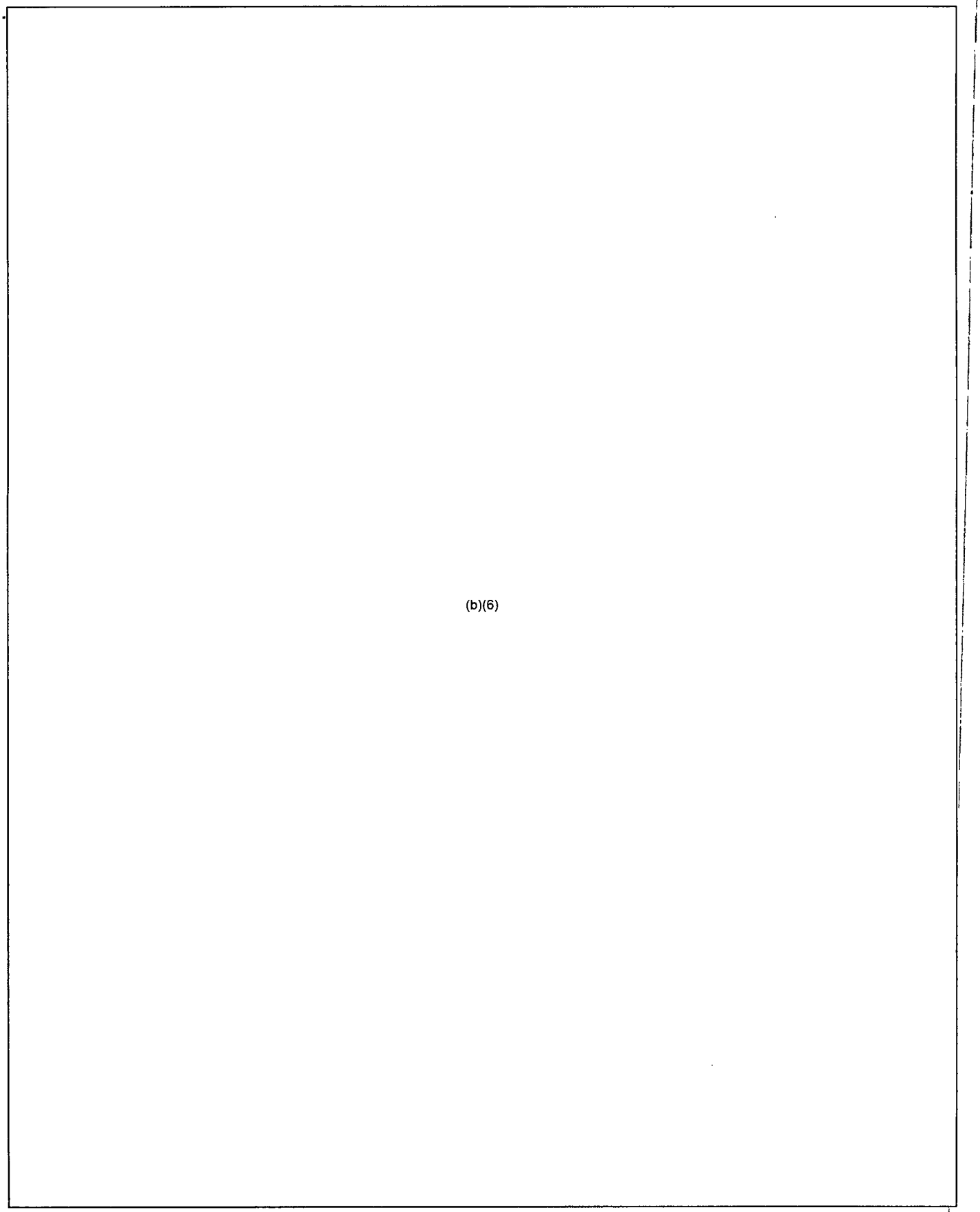
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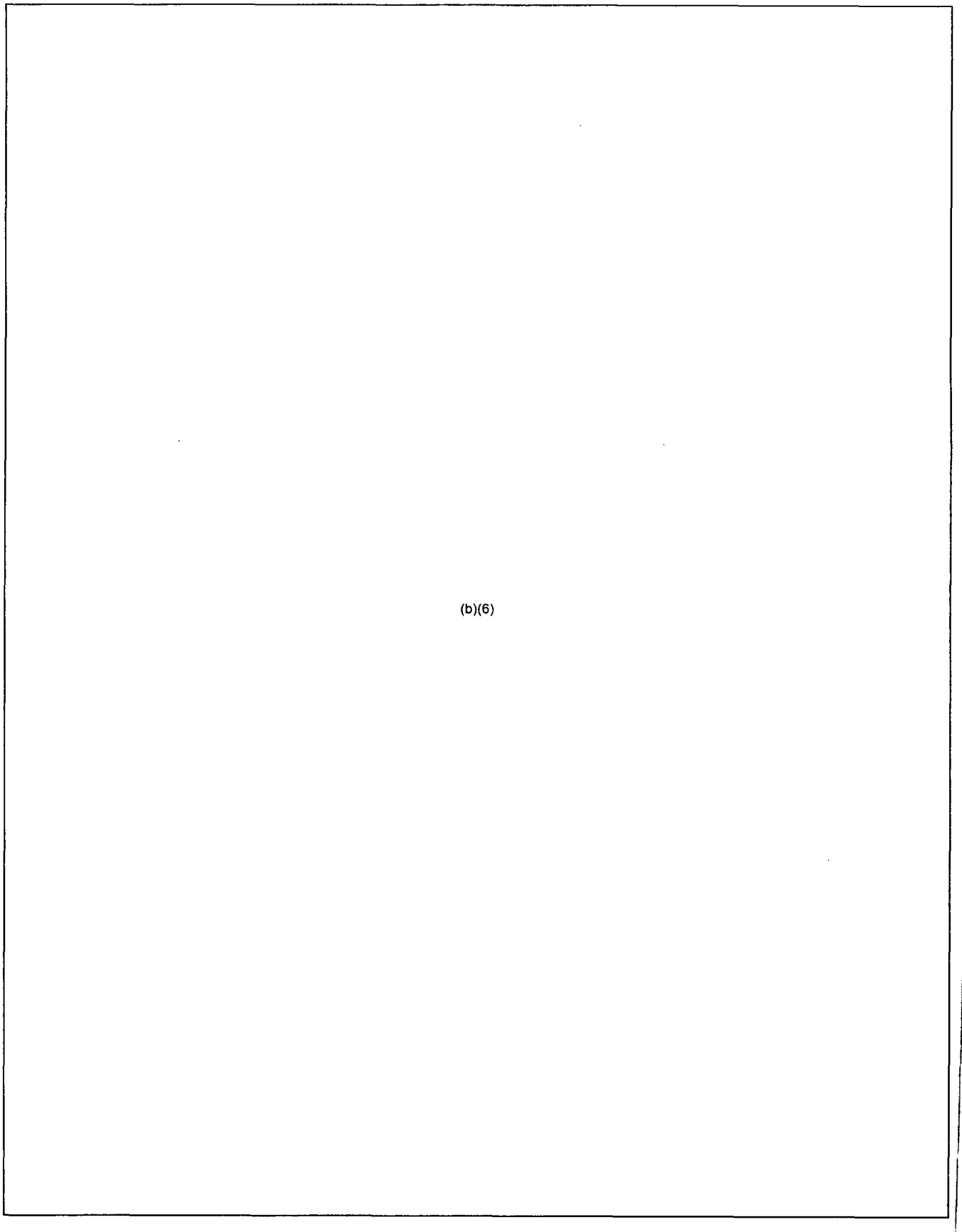
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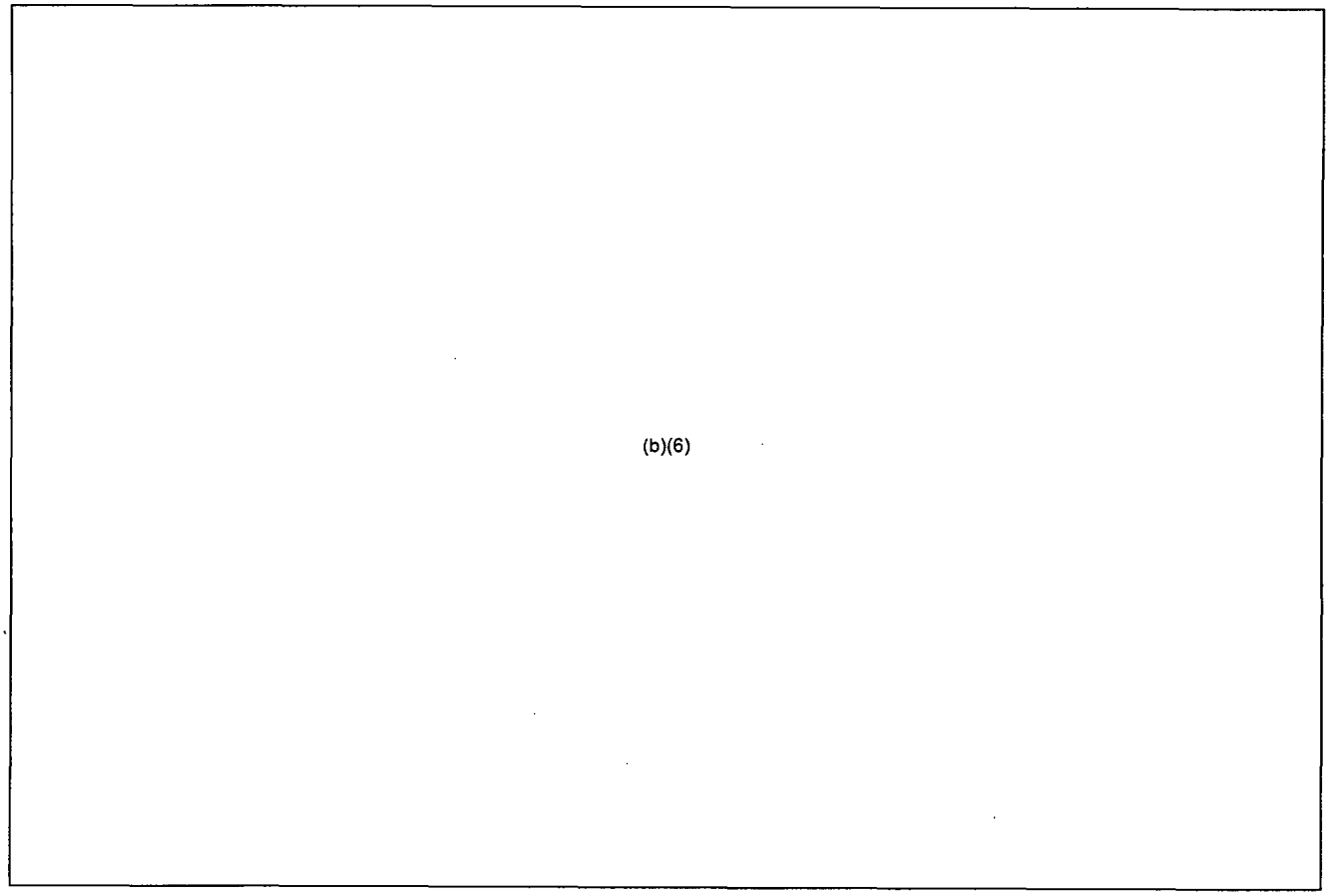
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From: CSC@nrc.gov
To: Boger, Bruce
Subject: CSC Customer Survey (Reference Ticket # 505794)
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:00:05 PM

Office of Information Services - Customer Satisfaction Survey

Dear BRUCE BOGER:

Thank you for contacting the Customer Support Center (CSC). Our records indicate that your ticket regarding 'Citrix Application Assistance' has been resolved.

In an effort to continually improve customer service, we're asking you to please assist us by filling out the Customer Satisfaction Survey. Click on the link below to confirm whether or not your issue has been resolved to your satisfaction and answer a brief survey on our performance in handling/processing your request.

Please carefully review each question before answering. We appreciate your feedback.

http://servicedesk/survey/survey.asp?ticket=505794

Thank you,

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Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:00:04 PM

Office of Information Services - Customer Satisfaction Survey

Dear JOE GOLLA:

Thank you for contacting the Customer Support Center (CSC). Our records indicate that your ticket regarding 'Informs Application Assistance' has been resolved.

In an effort to continually improve customer service, we're asking you to please assist us by filling out the Customer Satisfaction Survey. Click on the link below to confirm whether or not your issue has been resolved to your satisfaction and answer a brief survey on our performance in handling/processing your request.

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http://servicedesk/survey/survey.asp?ticket=505770

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From: HOO Hoc
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 6:00 AM
To: HOO Hoc
Subject: Event Notice: 3/11/2011
Attachments: Summary.pdf; Events.pdf; Status.pdf

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NOTE:

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1	BEAVER VALLEY 1	100				
1	BEAVER VALLEY 2	0	03/06/2011	Cold Shutdown REFUELING OUTAGE		
1	CALVERT CLIFFS 1	100				
1	CALVERT CLIFFS 2	0	02/13/2011	Cold Shutdown REFUELING OUTAGE		
1	FITZPATRICK 1	100		MAIN GENERATOR VOLTAGE REGULATOR IN MANUAL		
1	GINNA 1	100				
1	HOPE CREEK 1	100				
1	INDIAN POINT 2	100				
1	INDIAN POINT 3	0	03/08/2011	Cold Shutdown REFUELING OUTAGE		
1	LIMERICK 1	100				
1	LIMERICK 2	96		COASTDOWN TO REFUELING OUTAGE - "B" RECIRC PUMP LOCKED IN POSITION	*	
1	MILLSTONE 2	100				
1	MILLSTONE 3	100				
1	NINE MILE POINT 1	92		COASTDOWN TO REFUELING OUTAGE	*	
1	NINE MILE POINT 2	100				
1	OYSTER CREEK 1	100				
1	PEACH BOTTOM 2	100				

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1	PEACH BOTTOM 3	100				
1	PILGRIM 1	100		COASTDOWN TO REFUELING OUTAGE	*	
1	SALEM 1	100				
1	SALEM 2	100				
1	SEABROOK 1	100		CONTINGENCY TO DOWNPOWER TO 1000MWe IN 25 MIN. IF REQUESTED		
1	SUSQUEHANNA 1	17		STARTING UP FOLLOWING REFUELING	*	
1	SUSQUEHANNA 2	94		100% ELECTRICAL CAPABILITY		
1	THREE MILE ISLAND 1	100				
1	VERMONT YANKEE 1	100				

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2	BROWNS FERRY 1	100				
2	BROWNS FERRY 2	0	02/25/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
2	BROWNS FERRY 3	100				
2	BRUNSWICK 1	100				
2	BRUNSWICK 2	0	03/04/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
2	CATAWBA 1	100				
2	CATAWBA 2	100				
2	CRYSTAL RIVER 3	0	09/25/2009	Cold Shutdown MAINTENANCE OUTAGE - CONTAINMENT TENSIONING IN PROGRESS		
2	FARLEY 1	100				
2	FARLEY 2	100				
2	HARRIS 1	100				
2	HATCH 1	100				
2	HATCH 2	100				
2	MCGUIRE 1	100				
2	MCGUIRE 2	0	02/26/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
2	NORTH ANNA 1	100			*	
2	NORTH ANNA 2	100				

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2	OCONEE 1	100				
2	OCONEE 2	100				
2	OCONEE 3	100				
2	ROBINSON 2	100				
2	SAINT LUCIE 1	100				
2	SAINT LUCIE 2	0	01/02/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
2	SEQUOYAH 1	100				
2	SEQUOYAH 2	100				
2	SUMMER 1	100				
2	SURRY 1	100				
2	SURRY 2	98		100% ELECTRICAL CAPABILITY		
2	TURKEY POINT 3	0	03/06/2011	Hot Standby FORCED OUTAGE		
2	TURKEY POINT 4	100				
2	VOGTLE 1	0	03/06/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
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3	BRAIDWOOD 2	100				
3	BYRON 1	99		COASTDOWN TO REFUELING OUTAGE	*	
3	BYRON 2	100				
3	CLINTON 1	97		100% ELECTRICAL CAPABILITY		
3	COOK 1	100				
3	COOK 2	100				
3	DAVIS BESSE 1	100				
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3	FERMI 2	100				
3	KEWAUNEE 1	0	02/26/2011	Refueling DEFUELED		
3	LASALLE 1	100				
3	LASALLE 2	100			*	
3	MONTICELLO 1	0	03/04/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
3	PALISADES 1	100				
3	PERRY 1	95		COASTDOWN TO REFUELING OUTAGE		

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3	POINT BEACH 1	100				
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3	PRAIRIE ISLAND 1	100				
3	PRAIRIE ISLAND 2	100				
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4	CALLAWAY 1	100				
4	COLUMBIA GENERATING	100				
4	COMANCHE PEAK 1	100				
4	COMANCHE PEAK 2	100			*	
4	COOPER 1	98		COASTDOWN TO REFUELING OUTAGE		
4	DIABLO CANYON 1	100		UNUSUAL EVENT DUE TO TSUNAMI WARNING ONSITE. SEE EN #46668.	*	
4	DIABLO CANYON 2	100		UNUSUAL EVENT DUE TO TSUNAMI WARNING ONSITE. SEE EN #46668.	*	
4	FORT CALHOUN 1	100				
4	GRAND GULF 1	96		POWER LIMITED 2ND STAGE MSR OUT OF SERVICE FOR THE ENTIRE CYCLE		
4	PALO VERDE 1	100				
4	PALO VERDE 2	100				
4	PALO VERDE 3	100				
4	RIVER BEND 1	100				
4	SAN ONOFRE 2	100			*	
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4	SOUTH TEXAS 2	100				
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4	WOLF CREEK 1	100				

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46666 **KEWAUNEE**

50.72(b)(3)(iv)(A) VALID SPECIF SYS ACTUATION

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Date:	Friday, March 11, 2011 8:59:49 AM
Attachments:	redacted YM revised memo ML110540412.pdf March 30 2010 Memo.pdf Enclosure 1 March 30th 2010.pdf Enclosure 2 march 30th 2010.pdf

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The Commission has approved the release of the attached redacted versions of the February 4, 2011, Memorandum, "Update on the Yucca Mountain Program," and the March 30, 2010, "Plans for the High-Level Waste Repository Program," with Enclosures 1 and 2.

Staff should make the indicated redactions and release these memos together after coordination with OCA and OPA on the timing of the release. I have been informed that OCA would like at least an hour to deliver to the hill before they are publicly released.

Please inform SECY when the documents have been made public.

Thanks,

Rich

From: (b)(6)
To: Grobe, Jack
Subject: (b)(6)
Date: Saturday, March 12, 2011 5:47:41 AM

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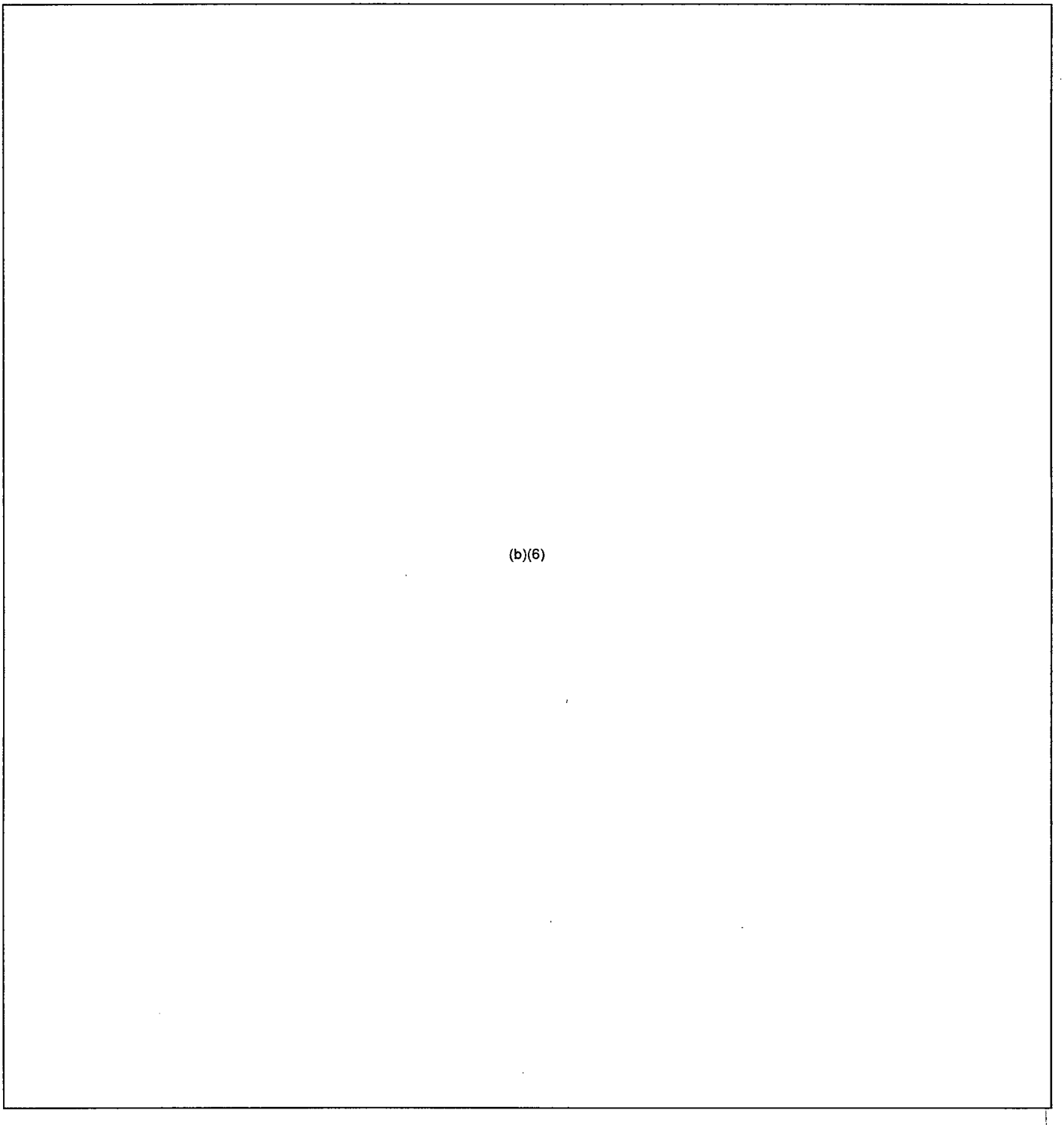
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Satorius, Mark

From: Satorius, Mark
Sent: Saturday, March 12, 2011 11:48 AM
To: Dean, Bill; McCree, Victor; Collins, Elmo
Subject: Re: Succession planning

Not leaving until wednesday, so keep me in the loop for any comms this monday and tuesday.
Mark Satorius

----- Original Message -----
From: Dean, Bill
To: McCree, Victor; Collins, Elmo; Satorius, Mark
Sent: Sat Mar 12 11:06:56 2011
Subject: Re: Succession planning

Since mark is out of country starting Monday, it will just be the three amigos. Maybe a conf call next week? Tu or wed would work for me.
Bill Dean
Regional Administrator
Region I, USNRC
Sent from NRC BlackBerry

----- Original Message -----
From: McCree, Victor
To: Collins, Elmo; Dean, Bill; Satorius, Mark
Sent: Sat Mar 12 11:01:46 2011
Subject: Re: Succession planning

I'd love to do that..., but, unfortunatel), I'll be arriving late Tuesday night, following a public meeting at Crystal River.

Vic

This email is being sent from an NRC Blackberry device.

----- Original Message -----
From: Collins, Elmo
To: Dean, Bill; McCree, Victor; Satorius, Mark
Sent: Sat Mar 12 10:59:05 2011
Subject: Re: Succession planning

I recall that we planned to put our heads together on the afternoon of 3/22 - if we still want to do this - I'll reserve a room Elmo

----- Original Message -----
From: Dean, Bill
To: McCree, Victor; Collins, Elmo; Satorius, Mark
Sent: Fri Mar 11 22:36:42 2011
Subject: Re: Succession planning

Ok. We need some input re: what sort of changes we would want to make. I will ask johanna for stats over the last few years.

Bill Dean
Regional Administrator
Region I, USNRC
Sent from NRC BlackBerry

----- Original Message -----
From: McCree, Victor
To: Dean, Bill; Collins, Elmo; Satorius, Mark
Sent: Fri Mar 11 22:21:17 2011
Subject: Re: Succession planning

Yes - I'm still energized on the subject - and believe that we should discuss it at the meeting.

Vic

This email is being sent from an NRC Blackberry device.

----- Original Message -----
From: Dean, Bill
To: Collins, Elmo; Satorius, Mark; McCree, Victor
Sent: Fri Mar 11 15:45:07 2011
Subject: Succession planning

A couple months ago we had indicated to Marty that we wanted a slot on the succession planning agenda to discuss (b)(5). Is there still energy around this? If so, I will ask for some time on the agenda and try to develop a strawman for us to chew on.
Bill Dean
Regional Administrator
Region I, USNRC
Sent from NRC BlackBerry

Satorius, Mark

From: Satorius, Mark
Sent: Saturday, March 12, 2011 11:49 AM
To: Boland, Anne; Pederson, Cynthia
Cc: Louden, Patrick; Pelke, Patricia
Subject: Re: Congratulations - You Have Received a Non-Monetary Award!

Great job by frank on that!
Mark Satorius

From: Boland, Anne
To: Satorius, Mark; Pederson, Cynthia
Cc: Louden, Patrick; Pelke, Patricia
Sent: Sat Mar 12 11:00:06 2011
Subject: FW: Congratulations - You Have Received a Non-Monetary Award!

Mark/Cindy – FYI – in the event you have an opportunity to talk to Frank. Frank was extremely helpful in the days leading up to issuance of the orders.

From: Pelke, Patricia
Sent: Wednesday, March 09, 2011 4:27 PM
To: Tran, Frank
Cc: Clay, Jim; Boland, Anne; Louden, Patrick
Subject: Congratulations - You Have Received a Non-Monetary Award!

Frank,
As a result of your efforts related to the preparation of the Communication Plan for the Individual Orders issued to two individuals involved in the multiple medical events that occurred at the Philadelphia VA Medical Center, we would like to express our appreciation with a non-monetary award. Please review the merchandise at the following link and provide your selection via email to Jim Clay. If you have trouble accessing the catalog, please let Jim know and we'll follow-up. As a result of your efforts and ownership for the assignment, DNMS successfully executed the Communication Plan for the Individual Orders and all notifications were completed promptly. Thank you again Frank for a job well done!
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From:	Bruce Mrowca
To:	Gunter-Henderson, Morie
Cc:	Richard Miller; Margaret Latchman-Geller; Russell Shearer; Steve Alexander; Leeds, Eric; Huth, Virginia; Givvines, Mary; Hiland, Patrick; Wilson, George; Kemper, William; King, Donald; Narick, Marianne; Shankar, Kala; Grenier, Bernard
Subject:	URGENT RESOLUTION of ISSUES associated with Contract NRC-DR-03-10-061
Date:	Saturday, March 12, 2011 1:14:36 PM
Attachments:	Contract NRC-DR-03-10-061 Letter March-11-2011.pdf

Ms. Morie Gunter-Henderson,

The attached letter requests your assistance in resolving two significant issues with contract NRC-DR-03-10-061 (instrumentation and control support to NRR). Your immediate attention is requested.

Regards,
Bruce

Bruce B. Mrowca
Sr. Vice President
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From: Burnell, Scott
To: KEREKES, Steven
Subject: RE: Patricia Santiago presentation
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011 1:17:00 PM

Eventually... Kinda busy right now, yanno? *twisted smile*

From: KEREKES, Steven [mailto:sck@nei.org]
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 1:14 PM
To: Burnell, Scott
Subject: Patricia Santiago presentation

Hey Scott,

Her SOARCA presentation keeps freezing up on website ...

Can you forward?

Thanks and best,

Steve Kerekes
Senior Director, Media Relations

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From: Shawn Higgins
To: Boger, Bruce
Subject: Can we schedule a quick call?
Date: Saturday, March 12, 2011 2:03:16 PM

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Subject: (b)(6)
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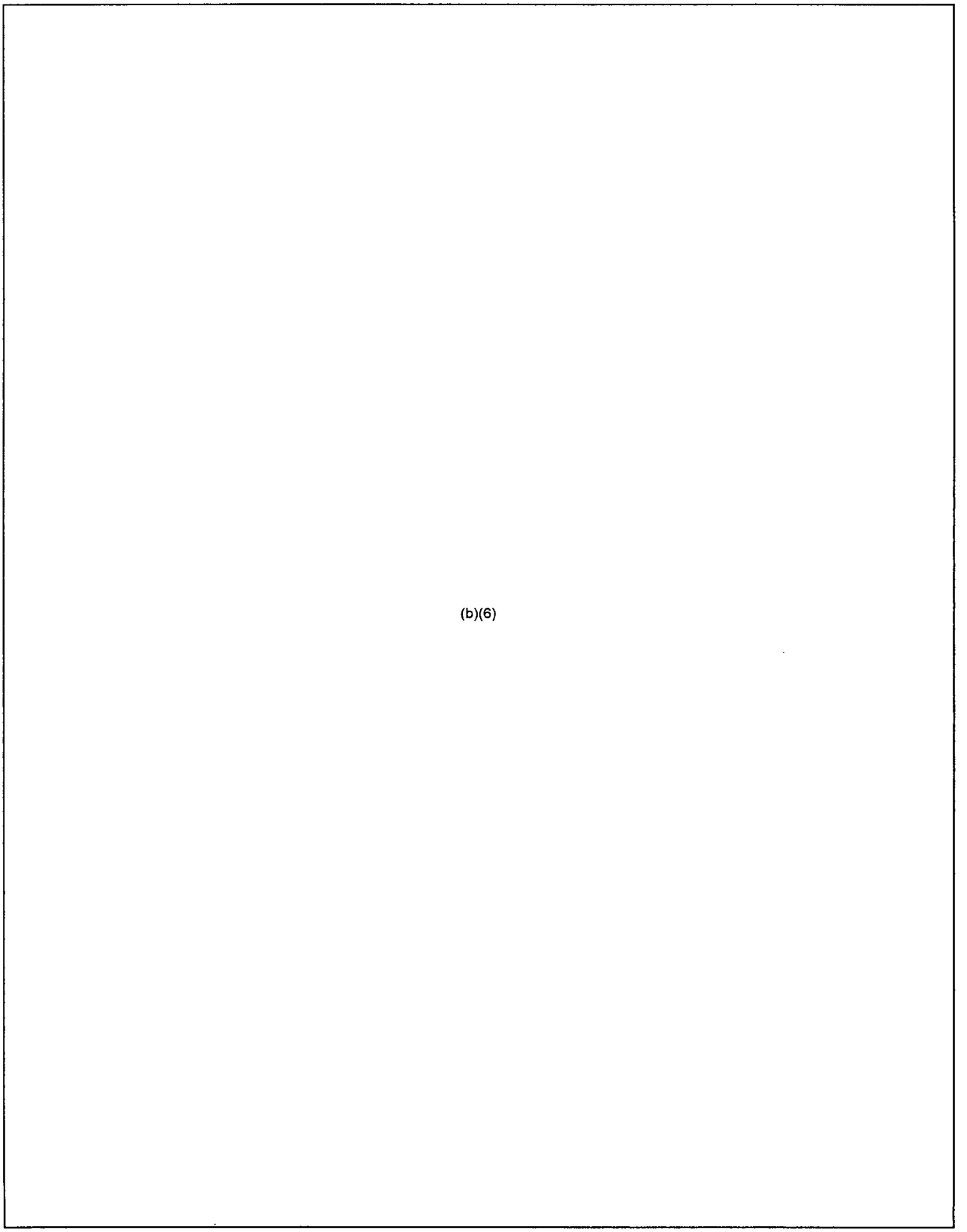
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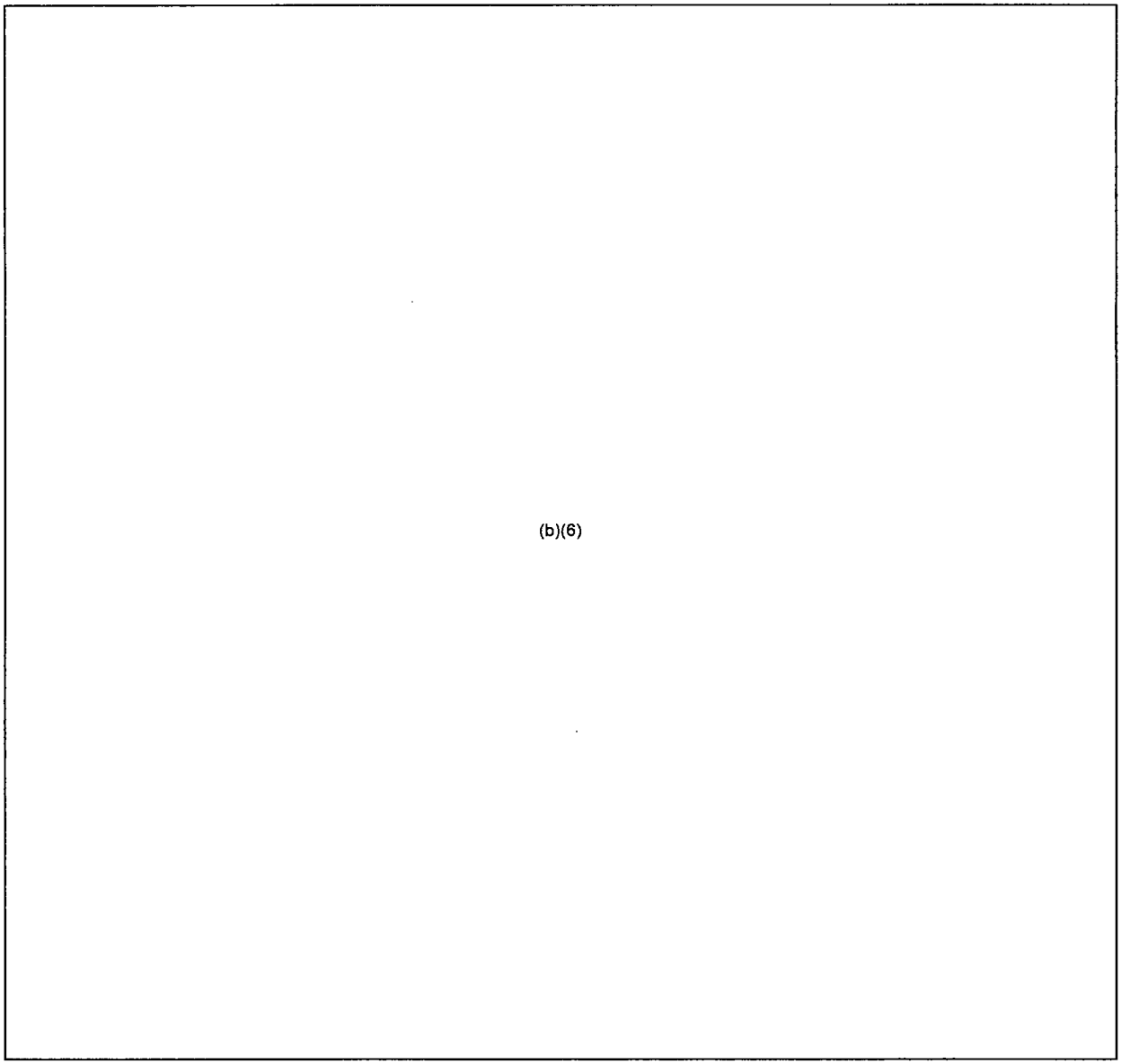
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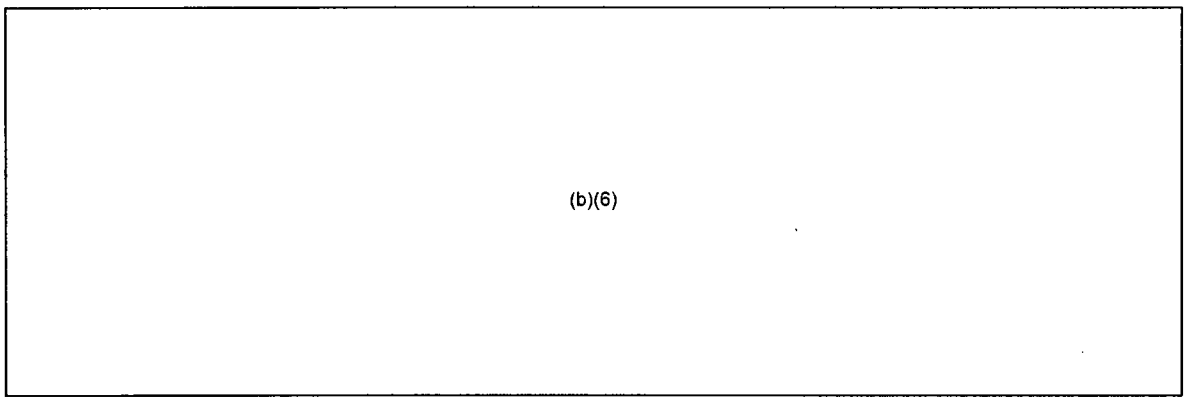
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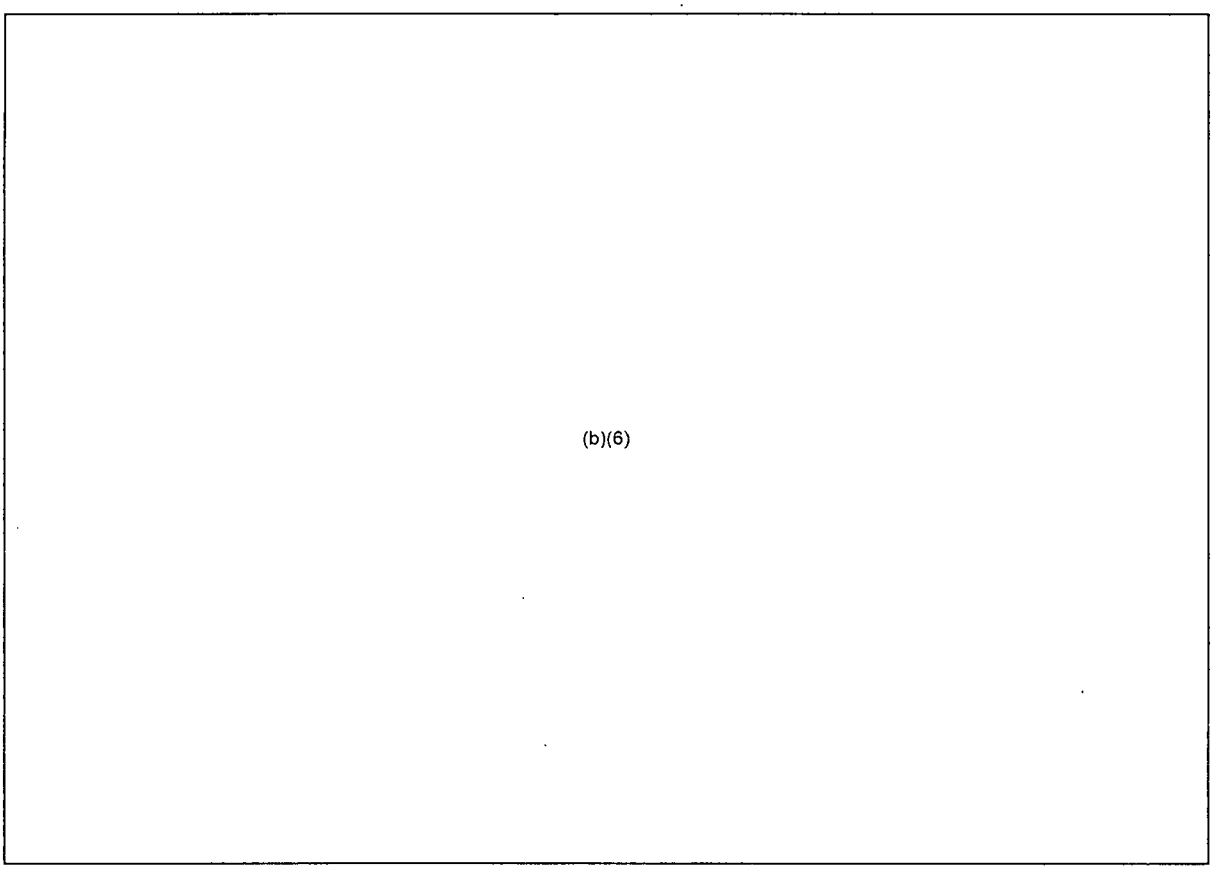
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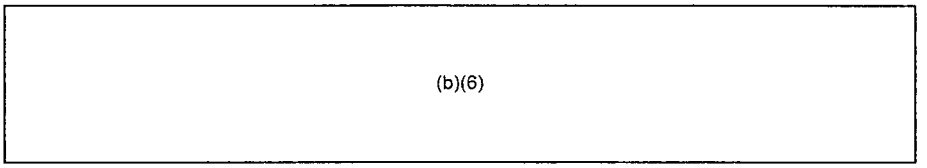
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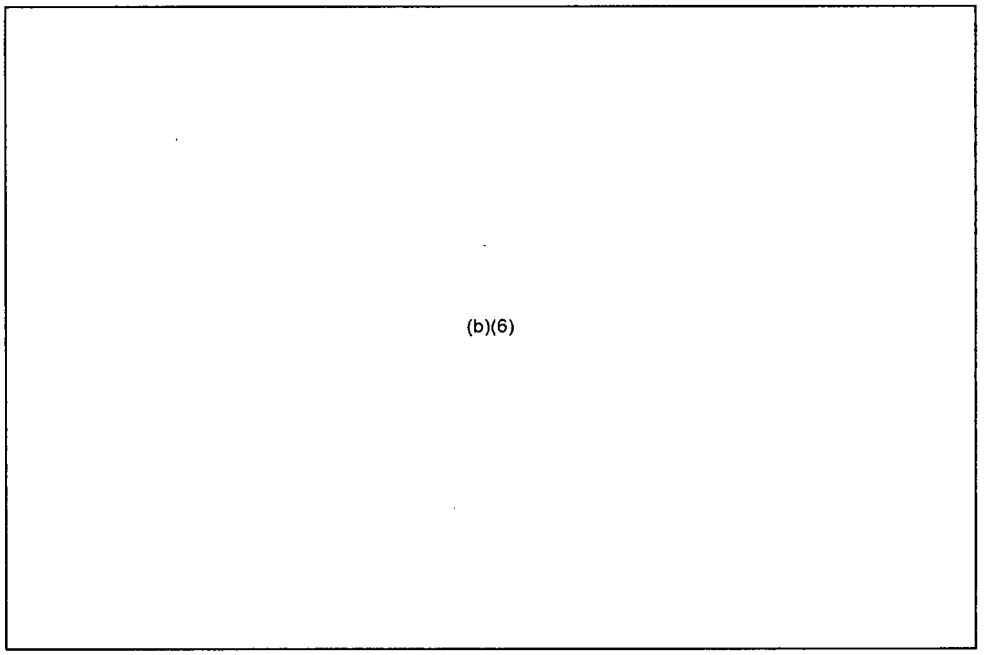

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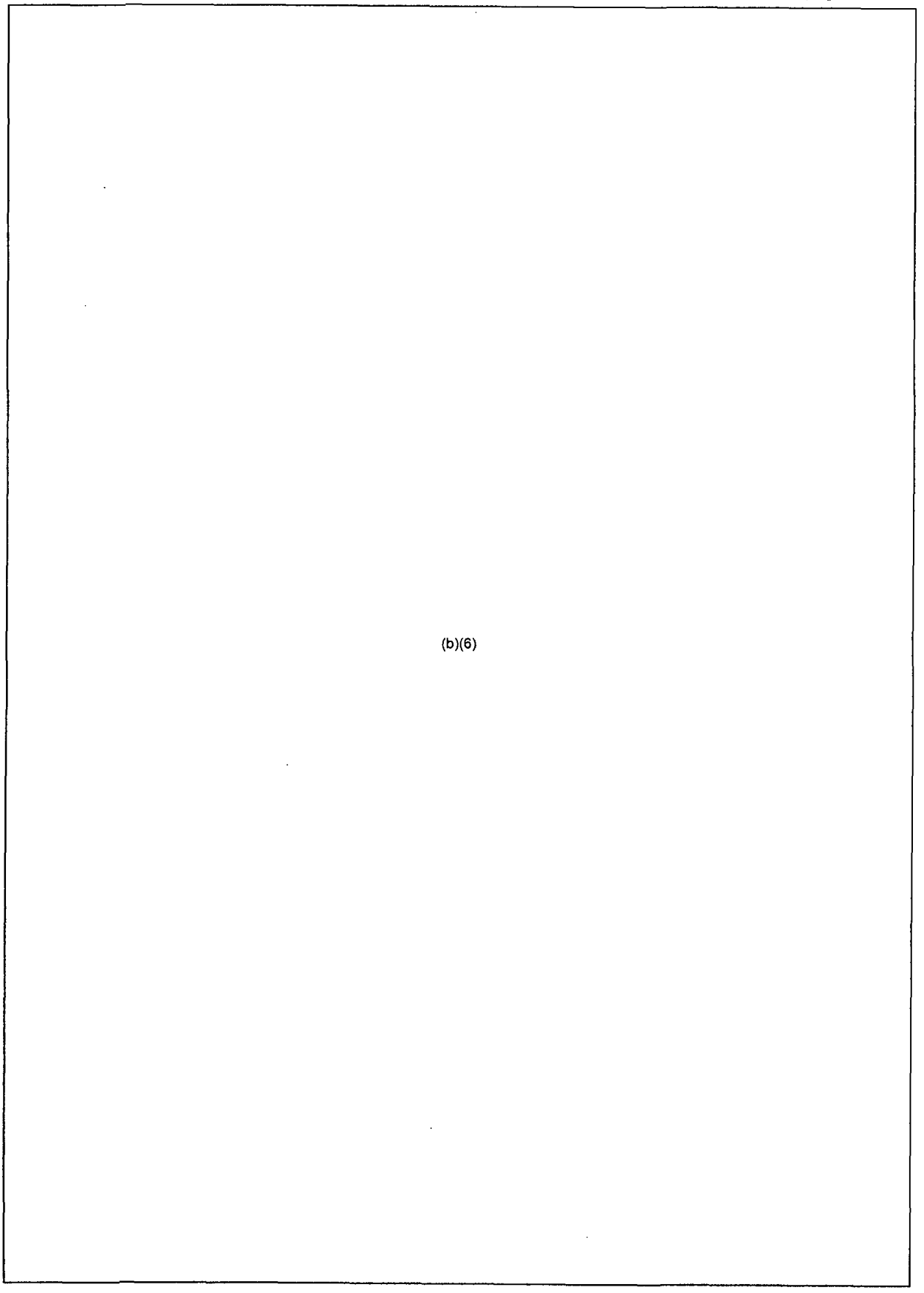
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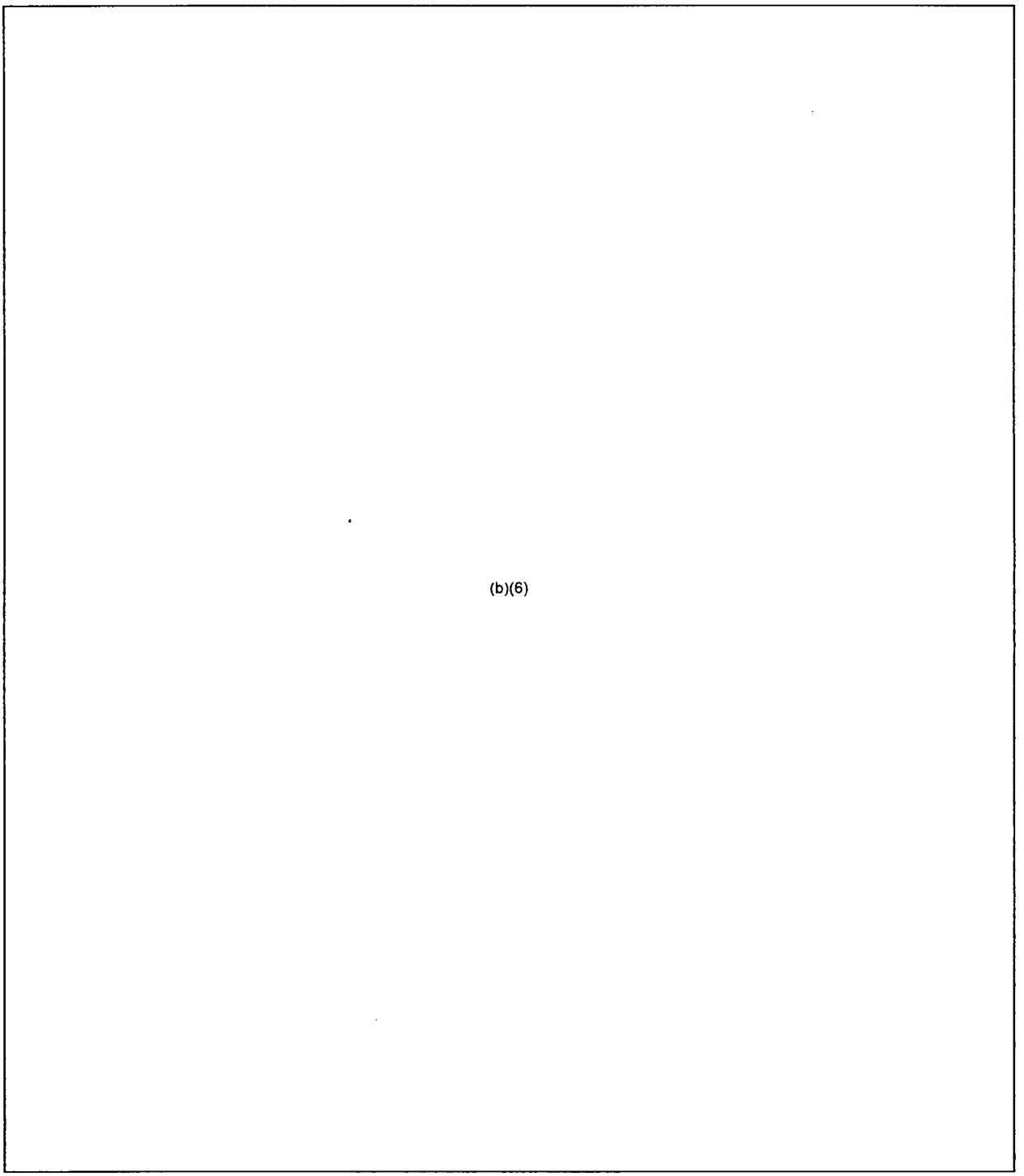
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From: Holtec_Highlights@list.holtec.com
To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: Holtec Highlights Issue HH26_06
Date: Saturday, March 12, 2011 5:10:07 AM
Attachments: HH26_06.pdf

Please find attached Issue HH 26.06 of the Holtec Highlights.

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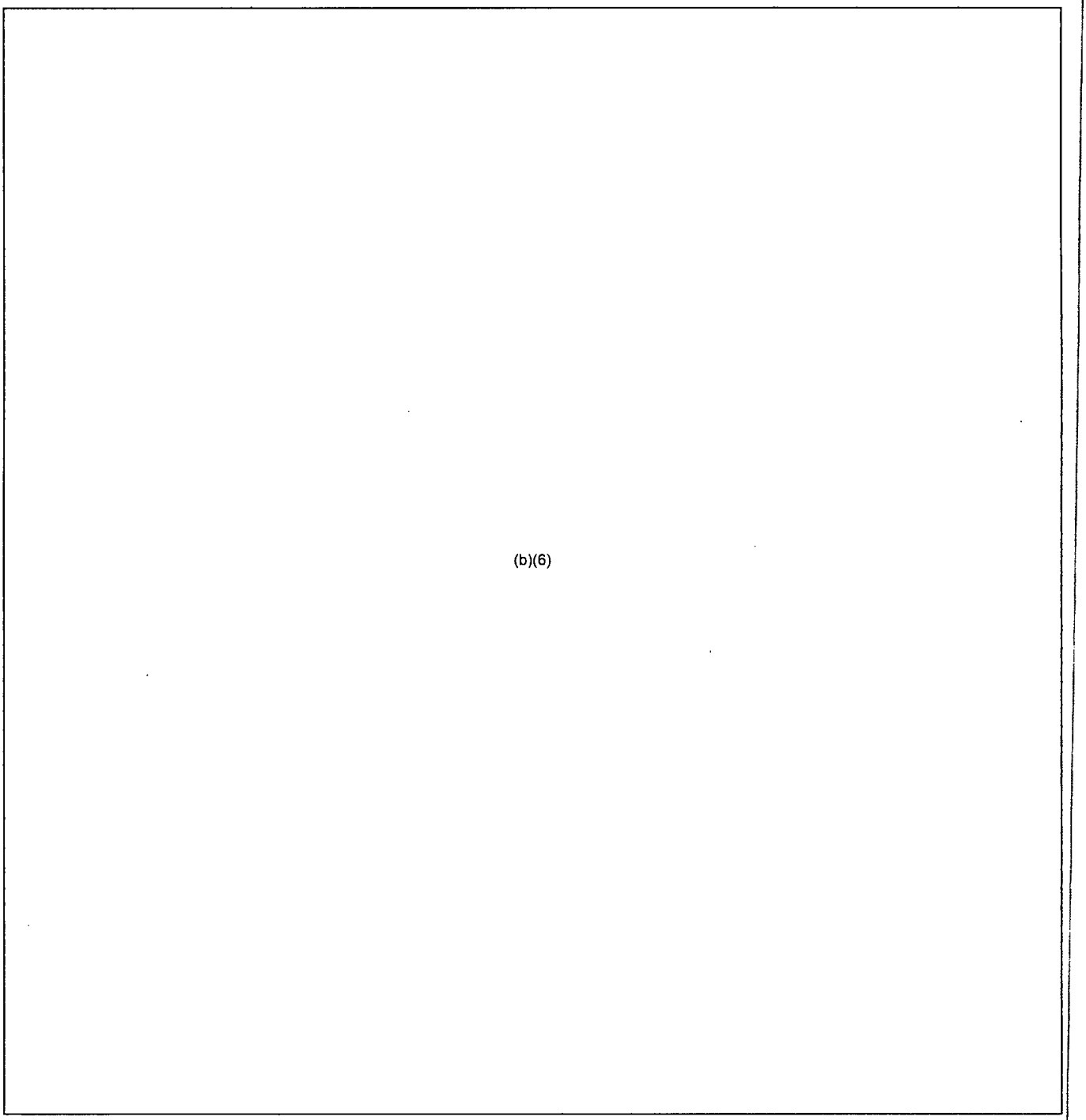
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To: Grobe, Jack
Subject: LinkedIn Messages, 3/13/2011
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  Nuclear Safety Regulatory Consultant at Idaho National Laboratory

Jack,

Idaho National Laboratory, the United States Department of Energy's lead nuclear energy research and development facility, is conducting a nation-wide search for a Nuclear Safety Regulatory Consultant. This is a senior level position and will collaborate with an exclusive set of visionaries and decision makers. We are looking for a leader and a change agent to provide consultation as a technical/professional expert in nuclear safety operations.

I would like to call upon your expertise in this area and would simply ask that you share this information with those in your network that may be able to help us fill this vital role.

I'm happy to share position details with you if you're interested in learning more and I encourage you to reach out to me directly at domini.clark@inl.gov.

Thank you in advance for your help!

Domini Clark
Executive Technical Recruiter
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From: Weber, Michael
To: Haney, Catherine
Cc: Dorman, Dan; Young, Mitzi; Andersen, James; Muessle, Mary
Subject: Response - YM memo
Date: Saturday, March 12, 2011 9:13:17 AM

Thanks

----- Original Message -----
From: Haney, Catherine
To: Weber, Michael
Cc: Frazier, Alan; Dorman, Dan
Sent: Fri Mar 11 14:19:37 2011
Subject: YM memo

Both redacted memos have been given to OPA and OCA.

Amy provided them to the Hill.

From: Kinneman, John
To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: Out of Office: Reschedule trip to Region
Date: Saturday, March 12, 2011 10:10:20 AM

I will be out of the office from March 11, 2011 until March 21, 2011. I will read email, but may not be responding in a timely fashion. Mike Tschiltz will be acting for me. You may contact Mike on 301-492-3206 or at Michael.Tschiltz@nrc.gov or call my number, (301) 492-3132, and our secretaries will help you.

Thank you.

From: (b)(6)
To: Lubinski, John
Subject: (b)(6)
Date: Sunday, March 13, 2011 10:18:20 AM

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From: (b)(6)
To: Lubinski, John
Subject: (b)(6)
Date: Sunday, March 13, 2011 10:53:48 AM

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Dean, Bill

From: Dean, Bill
Sent: Saturday, March 12, 2011 11:59 AM
To: Milligan, Patricia
Subject: Re: End of cycle

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Bill Dean
Regional Administrator
Region I, USNRC
Sent from NRC BlackBerry

----- Original Message -----
From: Milligan, Patricia
To: Dean, Bill
Sent: Sat Mar 12 11:44:28 2011
Subject: RE: End of cycle

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Patricia Milligan, CHP, RPh
Senior Technical Advisor for Preparedness & Response Office of Nuclear Security and Incident Response US NRC MS T B46M Washington, DC 20555
301-415-2223
Blackberry (b)(6)

From: Dean, Bill
Sent: Saturday, March 12, 2011 11:05 AM
To: Milligan, Patricia
Subject: Re: End of cycle

Yes indeedy.
Bill Dean
Regional Administrator
Region I, USNRC
Sent from NRC BlackBerry

----- Original Message -----
From: Milligan, Patricia
To: Dean, Bill
Sent: Sat Mar 12 11:03:19 2011
Subject: Re: End of cycle

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Sent from my NRC Blackberry
Patricia A Milligan, CHP RPh
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----- Original Message -----
From: Dean, Bill
To: Milligan, Patricia
Sent: Sat Mar 12 10:52:04 2011
Subject: Re: End of cycle

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Bill Dean
Regional Administrator
Region I, USNRC
Sent from NRC BlackBerry

----- Original Message -----
From: Milligan, Patricia
To: Dean, Bill
Sent: Sat Mar 12 10:47:28 2011
Subject: Re: End of cycle

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----- Original Message -----
From: Dean, Bill
To: Milligan, Patricia
Sent: Sat Mar 12 09:58:32 2011
Subject: Re: End of cycle

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Bill Dean
Regional Administrator
Region I, USNRC
Sent from NRC BlackBerry

----- Original Message -----
From: Milligan, Patricia
To: Dean, Bill
Sent: Sat Mar 12 07:12:28 2011
Subject: End of cycle

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From: Abu-Eid, Boby
To: Haney, Catherine; Smith, Shawn
Cc: Camper, Larry
Subject: FW: Large components task group presentation to RWMC
Date: Sunday, March 13, 2011 5:56:02 PM
Attachments: 0311 Large components RWMC.pdf

Cathy, Shawn,
Please find attached presentation slides of WPDD Chair for RWMC meeting on WPDD-Large Components Task Group. Boby Eid (NRC) and Andy Szilagyi (DOE) are U.S. reps. on this TG
Boby

From: DUTZER Michel [mailto:Michel.Dutzer@andra.fr]
Sent: Sunday, March 13, 2011 8:58 AM
To: 'rindo.hiroshi@jaea.go.jp'; Abu-Eid, Boby; LECOQ Pascal; 'jsaa@enresa.es'; 'luc.noynaert@sckcen.be'; 'steve.griffiths@hse.gsi.gov.uk'; 'andrew.szilagyi@em.doe.gov'; 'jean-jacques.grenouillet@edf.fr'; 'jan.carlsson@skb.se'; 'leif.johansson@barsebackkraft.se'; 'brehs@bfs.de'
Cc: 'Katia-Karina.lebot@oecd.org'; 'Hans.RIOTTE@oecd.org'; 'Wei-Whua.LOA@oecd.org'; CANON Emmanuelle; 'tripputi@sogin.it'
Subject: Large components task group presentation to RWMC

Dear colleagues of the task group,

As I explained during our meeting last week, a short presentation of about 10 minutes should be performed during the next NEA/RWMC meeting about the work of our task group. This presentation will be made by Ivo who chairs the WPDD.

You will find here enclosed a project for this presentation. It includes:
- 5 slides that could be presented during the meeting
- a long appendices part in order to provide addintionnal if there are any questions

Please let me know if you have comments on this presentation. (b)(4)

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Mes amitiés à tous/With my best regards

Michel DUTZER
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Satorius, Mark

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Satorius, Mark

From: Boland, Anne
Sent: Sunday, March 13, 2011 8:18 PM
To: Satorius, Mark
Subject: Re: Tuesday Lunch

Not if I want to have a job on Wed. :)
Anne

----- Original Message -----
From: Satorius, Mark
To: Boland, Anne; Pederson, Cynthia
Cc: Louden, Patrick
Sent: Sun Mar 13 20:14:34 2011
Subject: Re: Tuesday Lunch

Sounds great. Looking fwd to it. Is green beer on the menu?
Mark Satorius

----- Original Message -----
From: Boland, Anne
To: Satorius, Mark; Pederson, Cynthia
Cc: Louden, Patrick
Sent: Sun Mar 13 19:34:16 2011
Subject: Tuesday Lunch

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Anne

From: Coyne, Kevin
To: "Abdallah.AMRI@oecd.org"
Cc: Siu, Nathan; Sturzebecher, Karl; Wood, Jeffery; Sancaktar, Selim; Harris, Charles; Salley, MarkHenry; "Shane.Turner@hse.gsi.gov.uk"; marina.roewekamp@grs.de; Coe, Doug
Subject: RE: CAPS on Use of OECD Data Project Products in Probabilistic Safety Assessment (PSA)
Date: Sunday, March 13, 2011 8:46:48 PM
Attachments: Data_Projects_CAPS_Draft_Final_13MAR11.docx

Dear Abdallah –

Thank you for your help with adapting the data project CAPS for the new CSNI format. I've accepted your recommended changes and also revised the following information:

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Thanks you again for your help in finalizing the CAPS. Please let me know if you have any questions or comments on the changes I've made.

With my very best regards –

Kevin

From: Abdallah.AMRI@oecd.org [mailto:Abdallah.AMRI@oecd.org]
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 6:28 AM
To: Coyne, Kevin
Cc: Siu, Nathan
Subject: FW: CAPS on Use of OECD Data Project Products in Probabilistic Safety Assessment (PSA)

Dear Kevin,

I am sending again the draft CAPS as I have forgotten the line "Knowledge Management and Transfer covered". I am sorry for that. This line was added after the CSNI meeting in December 2010 upon the request of the CSNI Chair. However, there is no reference to that line in the CSNI Operating Plan. Any idea from you or from Nathan is welcome because I do not see any proposal to make for that.

With my best regards.

From: AMRI Abdallah, NEA/SURN
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 11:47
To: Coyne, Kevin
Cc: Siu, Nathan
Subject: CAPS on Use of OECD Data Project Products in Probabilistic Safety Assessment (PSA)

Dear Kevin,

As the format of the CAPS slightly changed as well as the CSNI SITs which became CSNI Technical Goals (see attached CSNI Operating Plan), I revised the CAPS on the "Use of OECD Data Project Products in Probabilistic Safety Assessment (PSA)" in order to take into account these changes. I also draw your attention that PRG is now expecting to have the list of the committed organisations in the line "Participants (individuals and organisations)"; I propose to clarify this list during the WGRISK annual meeting.

Please check that I put the right Technical Goals and let me know if you have any comment on that.

With my best regards.

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Satorius, Mark

From: Pederson, Cynthia
Sent: Sunday, March 13, 2011 9:02 PM
To: Boland, Anne; Satorius, Mark
Cc: Louden, Patrick
Subject: Re: Tuesday Lunch

Thanks. Should we bring something? Cash?
(sent from Blackberry device)

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From: (b)(6)
Sent: Sunday, March 13, 2011 9:31 PM
To: Satorius, Mark
Subject: (b)(6)

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From: Cheok, Michael
To: Grobe, Jack
Subject: Re: Meeting Monday 2-4
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 1:47:59 AM

No. Sorry. I was in the Ops Center Friday from 11pm to 7am Saturday and I will be there tonight (Sunday) from 11pm to 7am Monday morning. Will probably stop in for a little bit on Monday morning, but then will go home for a nap.

----- Original Message -----
From: Grobe, Jack
To: Cheok, Michael
Sent: Sat Mar 12 14:41:56 2011
Subject: Fw: Meeting Monday 2-4

Can you support?
Jack Grobe, Deputy Director, NRR

----- Original Message -----
From: Ruland, William
To: Grobe, Jack
Sent: Sat Mar 12 10:54:01 2011
Subject: Re: Meeting Monday 2-4

No, sorry.
Bill Ruland, from
USNRC Blackberry

----- Original Message -----
From: Grobe, Jack
To: Ruland, William
Sent: Sat Mar 12 09:23:18 2011
Subject: Meeting Monday 2-4

Bill

There is a semiannual meeting with RES from 2-4 on Monday afternoon. Could yo suport that meeting for me? Thanks.
Jack Grobe, Deputy Director, NRR

From: Burnell, Scott
To: "Jeffrey Bannon, CEO"
Subject: RE: Short Message of Support
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:36:00 AM

Hey Jeff;

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Scott

-----Original Message-----
From: Jeffrey Bannon, CEO [mailto:jeffbannon@businesstalkinc.com]
Sent: Sunday, March 13, 2011 11:23 PM
To: Burnell, Scott
Subject: Short Message of Support

Hey.

I imagine that you must be insanely busy since the Earthquakes started in Japan. (b)(6)

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(b)(6)
Jeff

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To:	Jay.Jones@Nuclear.Energy.Gov
Cc:	Claudio.PESCATORE@oecd.org; william.boyle@nv.doe.gov; Jeff.Williams@Hq.Doe.Gov; Smith, Shawn; Schultheisz.Daniel@epamail.epa.gov; Haney, Catherine
Subject:	RE: U.S. paper for RWMC on Current Priorities and Trends
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 5:12:21 AM
Attachments:	US Current Priorities and Trends - RWMC-44 final draft.docx U.S. Current Priorities and Trends RWMC-44 final draft.pdf

Dear Jay,

Thank you for this document.

See you next week,

Regards,

John

-----Original Message-----
From: Jones, Jay [mailto:Jay.Jones@Nuclear.Energy.Gov]
Sent: Saturday, March 12, 2011 00:40
To: STEIN John, NEA/PR
Cc: PESCATORE Claudio, NEA/PR; Boyle, William (NEV); Williams, Jeffrey R; 'Smith, Shawn'; 'Schultheisz.Daniel@epamail.epa.gov'; 'Catherine Haney (catherine.haney@nrc.gov)'
Subject: U.S. paper for RWMC on Current Priorities and Trends

Dear John:

As requested, attached is the U.S. paper on Current Priorities and Trends in Radioactive Waste Management and Decommissioning for the 44th RWMC meeting (in Word file and pdf). I look forward to seeing you in Paris. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Thanks

Regards,
Jay

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Waste Confidence and Extended Storage and Transportation

In 1984 and updated in 1990, NRC made a generic determination, referred to as the Waste Confidence Rule (10 CFR 51.23), that, if necessary, spent nuclear fuel generated in any reactor can be stored safely and without significant environmental impacts for at least 30 years beyond the licensed life for operation of that reactor. The licensed life includes the period of any revised or renewed license. The storage can be at a spent nuclear fuel storage pool, an onsite or offsite independent spent fuel storage installation, or both.

Recently (December 23, 2010), the NRC updated its Waste Confidence findings and rule, to express the Commission's confidence that spent nuclear fuel can be stored safely and securely for at least 60 years beyond the licensed life of any reactor. The updated rule

also noted the Commission's reasonable assurance that sufficient mined geologic repository capacity will be available when necessary. On February 14, 2011, the State of New York filed a joint petition with the States of Vermont and Connecticut in the DC Circuit for review of the NRC Waste Confidence findings and rule.

As a separate action, the NRC is considering another long-term update to the Waste Confidence Rule to include storage of spent nuclear fuel for periods greater than 120 years. The long-term update will be supported by an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for long-term handling and storage of spent nuclear fuel. In parallel, the NRC is undertaking activities to enhance the technical basis for the extended storage and transportation of spent nuclear fuel. The NRC is identifying technical and regulatory needs and priorities that need to be addressed to regulate the safety and security of spent nuclear fuel for extended periods.

Defense HLW and Government-Owned SNF at DOE Sites

Hanford's Waste Treatment and Immobilization Plant (WTP), when it is scheduled to begin operations in 2019, will be the world's largest chemical-radioactive waste treatment facility. The WTP is expected to run for at least 25 years to vitrify and immobilize some 53 million gallons of radioactive tank waste currently being prepared for treatment at Hanford. At the Savannah River Site (SRS), the Defense Waste Processing Facility (DWPF) has produced over 3,000 canisters of high level waste since operations began in 1996, and 36 million gallons of high level waste remain to be processed. At Idaho National Laboratory (INL), liquid high level waste has been converted to 4,400 cubic meters (1.2 million gallons) of calcine (a granular solid) and is now in storage. The calcine may be converted to monolithic solids for eventual disposal by 2035.

DOE's Office of Environmental Management (EM) is responsible for managing approximately 2,400 metric tons of heavy metal (MTHM) of spent nuclear fuel, primarily located at the Hanford Site, INL, and SRS. All spent nuclear fuel at Hanford (approximately 90% of the EM's spent nuclear fuel inventory) has been removed from wet storage and placed into either multi-canister over-packs (MCOs) or dry storage casks. The MCOs and other spent nuclear fuel casks are located in an interim storage area called the Canister Storage Building Complex. The MCOs are currently in dry storage vaults and can be retrieved for shipments to another location. The remaining spent nuclear fuel at Hanford is stored in various types of dry storage casks.

Placement of EM spent nuclear fuel at the Idaho Nuclear Technology and Engineering Center into dry storage was completed in 2010. All spent nuclear fuel at INL is currently planned to be repackaged into DOE standard canisters for shipment out of state by 2035. INL continues to receive foreign and domestic research reactor spent nuclear fuel on loan to research facilities as a result of the Atoms for Peace Program.

The SRS spent nuclear fuel is currently in wet storage in the L Basins. DOE is currently evaluating alternatives to disposing of SRS spent nuclear fuel. In the meantime, SRS continues to receive foreign and domestic research reactor spent nuclear fuel for storage at L Basin.

TRANSURANIC WASTE MANAGEMENT

Waste Isolation Pilot Plant

The Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP) continues to play a key role in DOE's cleanup program. WIPP is the first U.S. deep geologic repository, opened in 1999 for permanent disposal of defense generated transuranic (TRU) waste. As of February 7, 2011, WIPP has received over 9,200 shipments and has emplaced over 72,400 cubic meters of contact-handled and remote-handled TRU waste since WIPP opened. WIPP received its first remote-handled transuranic waste shipment in January 2007 and has emplaced 229 cubic meters from six sites. In addition, through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA), DOE's EM has been able to focus on cleaning up sites that have small quantities of TRU waste. In fiscal year 10, three small quantity sites (SQS) had their legacy TRU waste removed, and in fiscal year 2011, the legacy TRU waste is planned to be removed from five more SQS sites.

In March 2009, DOE submitted a Compliance Recertification Application to the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to demonstrate continued compliance with the radioactive waste disposal standards. As directed by Congress in the WIPP Land Withdrawal Act, EPA is required to conduct a recertification every five years, after the original certification, until the closure of the WIPP facility. On November 18, 2010, EPA officially recertified that WIPP continues to comply with EPA's standards. The decision was based on various independent technical analyses, public comments, and a thorough review of facility information submitted by DOE.

In May 2009, DOE submitted to the State of New Mexico's Environment Department (NMED) a renewal application for the WIPP Hazardous Waste Facility Permit (HWFP). The State of New Mexico's Environment Department regulates the hazardous constituents under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) in transuranic waste emplaced in the WIPP repository. After review, NMED approved the HWFP on November 30, 2010, and put it into effect on December 30, 2010. This permit grants WIPP another ten years of operations with respect to hazardous waste.

LOW-LEVEL WASTE MANAGEMENT

Low Level Waste Sites

DOE disposes of low-level radioactive waste (LLW) it owns or generates, including waste generated by cleanup and decommissioning activities. DOE operates six LLW disposal facilities located at the Hanford Site, Idaho National Laboratory, Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL), Nevada National Security Site (NNSS, formerly the Nevada Test Site), Oak Ridge Reservation (ORR), and Savannah River Site. DOE also disposes of mixed (radioactive and hazardous waste) low-level waste (MLLW) at DOE's Hanford Site, NNSS, and a commercial site. The new RCRA-permitted mixed low-level waste (MLLW) disposal unit at the NNSS, is open to receive waste generated by cleanup activities across the DOE complex. This unit, which opened the week of December 13, 2010, replaces the MLLW disposal cell that closed on November 30, 2010. A new DOE low-level and mixed low-level radioactive waste disposal facility at Hanford, the

Integrated Disposal Facility, has been constructed, and permitting issues must be resolved with State regulators before commissioning.

The Low-level Radioactive Waste Policy Amendments Act of 1985 gave each State responsibility for disposal of Class A, B, and C low-level radioactive waste (as defined in 10 CFR §61.55) generated within the State (except for certain waste generated by the Federal government). The Act authorized the States to enter into compacts for the establishment and operation of regional disposal facilities.

Section 274 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, provides a statutory basis under which NRC relinquishes to the States portions of its regulatory authority to license and regulate byproduct materials (radioisotopes); source materials (uranium and thorium); and certain quantities of special nuclear materials. These States are referred to as Agreement States. Commercially operated low-level waste disposal facilities are licensed by either NRC or Agreement States. There are three existing commercial low-level waste disposal facilities in the U.S. that accept various types of low-level waste, with a fourth under construction. All are in Agreement States.

- **EnergySolutions Barnwell Operations, located in Barnwell, South Carolina**
  Currently, Barnwell accepts waste from the Atlantic compact states (Connecticut, New Jersey, and South Carolina). Barnwell is licensed by the State of South Carolina to receive wastes in Classes A-C. The Barnwell disposal site closed to out-of-compact State generators of commercial LLW in June 2008, leaving generators in most U.S. states with no disposal option for their Class B and C LLW.
- **U.S. Ecology, located in Richland, Washington**
  Richland accepts waste from the Northwest and Rocky Mountain compacts. Richland is licensed by the State of Washington to receive wastes in Classes A-C.
- **EnergySolutions Clive Operations, located in Clive, Utah**
  Clive accepts waste from all regions of the United States, except the Rocky Mountain and Northwest Compacts. Clive is licensed by the State of Utah for Class A waste only.

Additionally, in September 2009, Waste Control Specialists (WCS) in Texas received a final Radioactive Material license for the disposal of Class A, B and C LLW at the WCS facility in Andrews County, and construction of the facility began in January 2011. The license authorizes WCS to operate a facility for the disposal of Class A, B and C LLW and a separate facility for the disposal of waste designated a federal responsibility under section 3(b)(1)(A) of the LLRWPAA. The Texas Compact Commission approved a final rule in January 2011 that established procedures for importation of waste from non-compact generators

Currently, NRC is taking steps to address the lack of commercial disposal availability by supplementing guidance related to extended LLW storage, clarifying guidance related to blending and concentration averaging of waste, and reevaluating the regulatory process by which unique waste streams (such as large quantities of depleted uranium) may be disposed. The NRC staff is considering comprehensive revisions to its disposal regulations in 10 CFR Part 61, and has begun a process to solicit stakeholder input on whether and how such revisions might be accomplished.

GREATER-THAN-CLASS C LOW LEVEL WASTE

Disposal of Greater than Class C (GTCC) LLW is the responsibility of DOE, pursuant to section 3(b)(1)(D) of the LLRWPAA. GTCC LLW is radioactive waste that is generated pursuant to NRC or Agreement State licensees and contains radionuclide concentrations in excess of the limits specified for Class C LLW in 10 CFR 61.55, and includes activated metal, sealed sources, and other LLW. In July 2007, DOE published a Notice of Intent (NOI) to prepare an EIS for the Disposal of GTCC LLW and GTCC-like waste. GTCC-like waste is DOE-owned or generated LLW, as well as potential non-defense transuranic waste with characteristics similar to GTCC LLW. For some GTCC LLW there may be no current path to disposal. The NOI identified the estimated inventory of GTCC LLW and GTCC-like waste and potential disposal sites and methods. DOE subsequently held 9 meetings to receive comments from the public on the proposed alternatives. In February 2011, DOE issued a Draft EIS for the Disposal of GTCC LLW and GTCC-like LLW, with a Final EIS expected in 2012.

The alternatives being evaluated in the Draft EIS include enhanced near-surface disposal, intermediate depth borehole, and deep geologic disposal, at seven DOE sites [Hanford Site, Idaho National Laboratory, Los Alamos National Laboratory, Nevada National Security Site (formerly the Nevada Test Site), Savannah River Site, and Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP and WIPP vicinity)]. The Draft EIS also evaluates generic commercial disposal sites in four regions of the U.S., and a "No Action Alternative" as required under the National Environmental Policy Act. EPA is a cooperating agency in the preparation of this EIS. Other Federal agencies (e.g., NRC) will also be involved in the review of the EIS.

DOE does not have, and therefore has not identified, a preferred alternative in the Draft EIS. DOE will include a preferred alternative in the Final EIS based on the analysis contained in the Draft EIS and public comment. Before DOE makes a final decision on the disposal alternative(s) to be implemented, it must submit a report to Congress that includes a description of the alternatives under consideration, and other related information, and await action by Congress.

DECOMMISSIONING

Utilizing funding received under the ARRA, there was significant progress in 2009 and 2010 for deactivation and decommissioning (D&D) projects across the DOE Complex. In fiscal year 2010 (October 1, 2009 to September 30, 2010), over 180 excess contaminated facilities, accounting for over 630,000 gross square feet, were decommissioned to their final end state. In addition, partial decommissioning such as the demolition of the west wing (840,000 gross square feet) of the K-25 Building at the East Tennessee Technology Park was completed, as was the removal of nuclear materials and other deactivation in preparation for decommissioning at numerous other facilities. DOE has established In-Situ Decommissioning (ISD) – or entombment, as a realistic and acceptable end state decommissioning alternative. Initiation of efforts for ISD of the P- and R-Reactors at the SRS are well underway with significant portions of the below grade areas already entombed. Similar progress is being made at the Hanford U-Plant Canyon.

NRC has been successful in accelerating decommissioning progress, particularly terminating power and research reactors and complex materials sites. For example, since last year's report, NRC continued the increased emphasis on the decommissioning of conventional uranium milling sites. The NRC also marked progress at sites like NWI Breckenridge, where decommissioning had previously been delayed, and the NRC terminated, transferred to Agreement States, and/or conducted several licensing actions, reviews, and inspections for many facilities and decommissioning sites. As of September 30, 2010, 12 nuclear power and early demonstration reactors, 12 research and test reactors, 19 complex decommissioning materials facilities, 1 fuel cycle facility, 21 Title I uranium milling sites, and 11 Title II uranium recovery facilities[2] are undergoing non-routine decommissioning or are in long-term safe storage, under NRC jurisdiction. The NRC public Web site (http://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/regulatory/decommissioning.html) contains site status summaries for the facilities managed under the Decommissioning Program. The NRC is implementing its decommissioning program to enhance efficiency, effectiveness, timeliness, realism, and openness, while ensuring health and safety.

The NRC established a self evaluation plan, the Integrated Decommissioning Improvement Plan (IDIP), which describes initiatives to improve the decommissioning process over the next two years. Revision 3 of the IDIP was completed in 2010. Major areas of work include: (1) consolidate and upgrade uranium recovery closure guidance; (2) prepare interim guidance for selected decommissioning topics [e.g., sensitivity and uncertainty analysis and as low as reasonably achievable (ALARA) for decommissioning]; (3) preserve and transfer knowledge (e.g., erosion control desk guide and site summaries); (4) evaluate engineered cover performance based on new research; (5) develop new training courses for uranium recovery; and (6) improve business processes (e.g., improve NRC/DOE site transition process).

The NRC has proposed a rule and guidance documents to prevent "legacy decommissioning sites." These sites are characterized by complex contamination and associated with financial assurance issues. The proposed rule focuses on ensuring that licensees have adequate financial assurance for decommissioning, as well as adequate monitoring to minimize contamination. Lessons learned from decommissioning management of these sites were used in the development of this draft rule and guidance documents. Lessons learned in decommissioning are listed on the NRC website.[3]

The NRC requires nuclear power plant licensees to report to the agency the status of their decommissioning funds at least once every 2 years, annually within 5 years of the planned shutdown, and annually once the plant ceases operation. NRC is continuing to update its guidance to eliminate any shortfalls in allotted decommissioning funds.

During decommissioning, through its evaluation and interface with the licensees, the States, and with stakeholders, NRC continued to gain significant experience, and capture lessons learned from past decommissioning efforts that can be used in enhancing design of nuclear facilities. NRC has continued the implementation of an enhanced Comprehensive Decommissioning Program, which allows NRC to compile, in a

[2] The Uranium Mill Tailings Radiation Control Act groups uranium recovery facilities into Title I (inactive) sites, that are the responsibility of DOE, and Title II (active) sites that are the responsibility of NRC.
[3] See http://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/regulatory/decommissioning/lessons-learned.html

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Integrating Spent Nuclear Fuel Regulatory Activities

The NRC is working on an integrated and coordinated approach for NRC activities related to the regulation of spent nuclear fuel. Specifically, integration and coordination on regulatory activities are being conducted in three core areas at the back end of the fuel cycle: (1) extended storage and deferred transportation; (2) reprocessing; and (3) ultimate disposal. This integrated approach is intended to allow the NRC to quickly adapt to changes in the national strategy for regulation and disposition of spent nuclear fuel.

The NRC also continues to collaborate with the international community to leverage the large volume of knowledge on: (1) other disposal media, waste forms, waste packages, and socio-economic programs that produce publicly acceptable solutions to waste disposition; (2) extended long-term dry spent nuclear fuel storage; and (3) reprocessing of spent nuclear fuel.

Waste Confidence and Extended Storage and Transportation

In 1984 and updated in 1990, NRC made a generic determination, referred to as the Waste Confidence Rule (10 CFR 51.23), that, if necessary, spent nuclear fuel generated in any reactor can be stored safely and without significant environmental impacts for at least 30 years beyond the licensed life for operation of that reactor. The licensed life includes the period of any revised or renewed license. The storage can be at a spent nuclear fuel storage pool, an onsite or offsite independent spent fuel storage installation, or both.

Recently (December 23, 2010), the NRC updated its Waste Confidence findings and rule, to express the Commission's confidence that spent nuclear fuel can be stored safely and securely for at least 60 years beyond the licensed life of any reactor. The updated rule

also noted the Commission's reasonable assurance that sufficient mined geologic repository capacity will be available when necessary. On February 14, 2011, the State of New York filed a joint petition with the States of Vermont and Connecticut in the DC Circuit for review of the NRC Waste Confidence findings and rule.

As a separate action, the NRC is considering another long-term update to the Waste Confidence Rule to include storage of spent nuclear fuel for periods greater than 120 years. The long-term update will be supported by an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for long-term handling and storage of spent nuclear fuel. In parallel, the NRC is undertaking activities to enhance the technical basis for the extended storage and transportation of spent nuclear fuel. The NRC is identifying technical and regulatory needs and priorities that need to be addressed to regulate the safety and security of spent nuclear fuel for extended periods.

Defense HLW and Government-Owned SNF at DOE Sites

Hanford's Waste Treatment and Immobilization Plant (WTP), when it is scheduled to begin operations in 2019, will be the world's largest chemical-radioactive waste treatment facility. The WTP is expected to run for at least 25 years to vitrify and immobilize some 53 million gallons of radioactive tank waste currently being prepared for treatment at Hanford. At the Savannah River Site (SRS), the Defense Waste Processing Facility (DWPF) has produced over 3,000 canisters of high level waste since operations began in 1996, and 36 million gallons of high level waste remain to be processed. At Idaho National Laboratory (INL), liquid high level waste has been converted to 4,400 cubic meters (1.2 million gallons) of calcine (a granular solid) and is now in storage. The calcine may be converted to monolithic solids for eventual disposal by 2035.

DOE's Office of Environmental Management (EM) is responsible for managing approximately 2,400 metric tons of heavy metal (MTHM) of spent nuclear fuel, primarily located at the Hanford Site, INL, and SRS. All spent nuclear fuel at Hanford (approximately 90% of the EM's spent nuclear fuel inventory) has been removed from wet storage and placed into either multi-canister over-packs (MCOs) or dry storage casks. The MCOs and other spent nuclear fuel casks are located in an interim storage area called the Canister Storage Building Complex. The MCOs are currently in dry storage vaults and can be retrieved for shipments to another location. The remaining spent nuclear fuel at Hanford is stored in various types of dry storage casks.

Placement of EM spent nuclear fuel at the Idaho Nuclear Technology and Engineering Center into dry storage was completed in 2010. All spent nuclear fuel at INL is currently planned to be repackaged into DOE standard canisters for shipment out of state by 2035. INL continues to receive foreign and domestic research reactor spent nuclear fuel on loan to research facilities as a result of the Atoms for Peace Program.

The SRS spent nuclear fuel is currently in wet storage in the L Basins. DOE is currently evaluating alternatives to disposing of SRS spent nuclear fuel. In the meantime, SRS continues to receive foreign and domestic research reactor spent nuclear fuel for storage at L Basin.

TRANSURANIC WASTE MANAGEMENT

Waste Isolation Pilot Plant

The Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP) continues to play a key role in DOE's cleanup program. WIPP is the first U.S. deep geologic repository, opened in 1999 for permanent disposal of defense generated transuranic (TRU) waste. As of February 7, 2011, WIPP has received over 9,200 shipments and has emplaced over 72,400 cubic meters of contact-handled and remote-handled TRU waste since WIPP opened. WIPP received its first remote-handled transuranic waste shipment in January 2007 and has emplaced 229 cubic meters from six sites. In addition, through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA), DOE's EM has been able to focus on cleaning up sites that have small quantities of TRU waste. In fiscal year 10, three small quantity sites (SQS) had their legacy TRU waste removed, and in fiscal year 2011, the legacy TRU waste is planned to be removed from five more SQS sites.

In March 2009, DOE submitted a Compliance Recertification Application to the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to demonstrate continued compliance with the radioactive waste disposal standards. As directed by Congress in the WIPP Land Withdrawal Act, EPA is required to conduct a recertification every five years, after the original certification, until the closure of the WIPP facility. On November 18, 2010, EPA officially recertified that WIPP continues to comply with EPA's standards. The decision was based on various independent technical analyses, public comments, and a thorough review of facility information submitted by DOE.

In May 2009, DOE submitted to the State of New Mexico's Environment Department (NMED) a renewal application for the WIPP Hazardous Waste Facility Permit (HWFP). The State of New Mexico's Environment Department regulates the hazardous constituents under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) in transuranic waste emplaced in the WIPP repository. After review, NMED approved the HWFP on November 30, 2010, and put it into effect on December 30, 2010. This permit grants WIPP another ten years of operations with respect to hazardous waste.

LOW-LEVEL WASTE MANAGEMENT

Low Level Waste Sites

DOE disposes of low-level radioactive waste (LLW) it owns or generates, including waste generated by cleanup and decommissioning activities. DOE operates six LLW disposal facilities located at the Hanford Site, Idaho National Laboratory, Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL), Nevada National Security Site (NNSS, formerly the Nevada Test Site), Oak Ridge Reservation (ORR), and Savannah River Site. DOE also disposes of mixed (radioactive and hazardous waste) low-level waste (MLLW) at DOE's Hanford Site, NNSS, and a commercial site. The new RCRA-permitted mixed low-level waste (MLLW) disposal unit at the NNSS, is open to receive waste generated by cleanup activities across the DOE complex. This unit, which opened the week of December 13, 2010, replaces the MLLW disposal cell that closed on November 30, 2010. A new DOE low-level and mixed low-level radioactive waste disposal facility at Hanford, the

Integrated Disposal Facility, has been constructed, and permitting issues must be resolved with State regulators before commissioning.

The Low-level Radioactive Waste Policy Amendments Act of 1985 gave each State responsibility for disposal of Class A, B, and C low-level radioactive waste (as defined in 10 CFR §61.55) generated within the State (except for certain waste generated by the Federal government). The Act authorized the States to enter into compacts for the establishment and operation of regional disposal facilities.

Section 274 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, provides a statutory basis under which NRC relinquishes to the States portions of its regulatory authority to license and regulate byproduct materials (radioisotopes); source materials (uranium and thorium); and certain quantities of special nuclear materials. These States are referred to as Agreement States. Commercially operated low-level waste disposal facilities are licensed by either NRC or Agreement States. There are three existing commercial low-level waste disposal facilities in the U.S. that accept various types of low-level waste, with a fourth under construction. All are in Agreement States.

- **EnergySolutions Barnwell Operations, located in Barnwell, South Carolina**
  Currently, Barnwell accepts waste from the Atlantic compact states (Connecticut, New Jersey, and South Carolina). Barnwell is licensed by the State of South Carolina to receive wastes in Classes A-C. The Barnwell disposal site closed to out-of-compact State generators of commercial LLW in June 2008, leaving generators in most U.S. states with no disposal option for their Class B and C LLW.
- **U.S. Ecology, located in Richland, Washington**
  Richland accepts waste from the Northwest and Rocky Mountain compacts. Richland is licensed by the State of Washington to receive wastes in Classes A-C.
- **EnergySolutions Clive Operations, located in Clive, Utah**
  Clive accepts waste from all regions of the United States, except the Rocky Mountain and Northwest Compacts. Clive is licensed by the State of Utah for Class A waste only.

Additionally, in September 2009, Waste Control Specialists (WCS) in Texas received a final Radioactive Material license for the disposal of Class A, B and C LLW at the WCS facility in Andrews County, and construction of the facility began in January 2011. The license authorizes WCS to operate a facility for the disposal of Class A, B and C LLW and a separate facility for the disposal of waste designated a federal responsibility under section 3(b)(1)(A) of the LLRWPAA. The Texas Compact Commission approved a final rule in January 2011 that established procedures for importation of waste from non-compact generators

Currently, NRC is taking steps to address the lack of commercial disposal availability by supplementing guidance related to extended LLW storage, clarifying guidance related to blending and concentration averaging of waste, and reevaluating the regulatory process by which unique waste streams (such as large quantities of depleted uranium) may be disposed. The NRC staff is considering comprehensive revisions to its disposal regulations in 10 CFR Part 61, and has begun a process to solicit stakeholder input on whether and how such revisions might be accomplished.

GREATER-THAN-CLASS C LOW LEVEL WASTE

Disposal of Greater than Class C (GTCC) LLW is the responsibility of DOE, pursuant to section 3(b)(1)(D) of the LLRWPAA. GTCC LLW is radioactive waste that is generated pursuant to NRC or Agreement State licensees and contains radionuclide concentrations in excess of the limits specified for Class C LLW in 10 CFR 61.55, and includes activated metal, sealed sources, and other LLW. In July 2007, DOE published a Notice of Intent (NOI) to prepare an EIS for the Disposal of GTCC LLW and GTCC-like waste. GTCC-like waste is DOE-owned or generated LLW, as well as potential non-defense transuranic waste with characteristics similar to GTCC LLW. For some GTCC LLW there may be no current path to disposal. The NOI identified the estimated inventory of GTCC LLW and GTCC-like waste and potential disposal sites and methods. DOE subsequently held 9 meetings to receive comments from the public on the proposed alternatives. In February 2011, DOE issued a Draft EIS for the Disposal of GTCC LLW and GTCC-like LLW, with a Final EIS expected in 2012.

The alternatives being evaluated in the Draft EIS include enhanced near-surface disposal, intermediate depth borehole, and deep geologic disposal, at seven DOE sites [Hanford Site, Idaho National Laboratory, Los Alamos National Laboratory, Nevada National Security Site (formerly the Nevada Test Site), Savannah River Site, and Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP and WIPP vicinity)]. The Draft EIS also evaluates generic commercial disposal sites in four regions of the U.S., and a "No Action Alternative" as required under the National Environmental Policy Act. EPA is a cooperating agency in the preparation of this EIS. Other Federal agencies (e.g., NRC) will also be involved in the review of the EIS.

DOE does not have, and therefore has not identified, a preferred alternative in the Draft EIS. DOE will include a preferred alternative in the Final EIS based on the analysis contained in the Draft EIS and public comment. Before DOE makes a final decision on the disposal alternative(s) to be implemented, it must submit a report to Congress that includes a description of the alternatives under consideration, and other related information, and await action by Congress.

DECOMMISSIONING

Utilizing funding received under the ARRA, there was significant progress in 2009 and 2010 for deactivation and decommissioning (D&D) projects across the DOE Complex. In fiscal year 2010 (October 1, 2009 to September 30, 2010), over 180 excess contaminated facilities, accounting for over 630,000 gross square feet, were decommissioned to their final end state. In addition, partial decommissioning such as the demolition of the west wing (840,000 gross square feet) of the K-25 Building at the East Tennessee Technology Park was completed, as was the removal of nuclear materials and other deactivation in preparation for decommissioning at numerous other facilities. DOE has established In-Situ Decommissioning (ISD) – or entombment, as a realistic and acceptable end state decommissioning alternative. Initiation of efforts for ISD of the P- and R-Reactors at the SRS are well underway with significant portions of the below grade areas already entombed. Similar progress is being made at the Hanford U-Plant Canyon.

NRC has been successful in accelerating decommissioning progress, particularly terminating power and research reactors and complex materials sites. For example, since last year's report, NRC continued the increased emphasis on the decommissioning of conventional uranium milling sites. The NRC also marked progress at sites like NWI Breckenridge, where decommissioning had previously been delayed, and the NRC terminated, transferred to Agreement States, and/or conducted several licensing actions, reviews, and inspections for many facilities and decommissioning sites. As of September 30, 2010, 12 nuclear power and early demonstration reactors, 12 research and test reactors, 19 complex decommissioning materials facilities, 1 fuel cycle facility, 21 Title I uranium milling sites, and 11 Title II uranium recovery facilities[2] are undergoing non-routine decommissioning or are in long-term safe storage, under NRC jurisdiction. The NRC public Web site (http://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/regulatory/decommissioning.html) contains site status summaries for the facilities managed under the Decommissioning Program. The NRC is implementing its decommissioning program to enhance efficiency, effectiveness, timeliness, realism, and openness, while ensuring health and safety.

The NRC established a self evaluation plan, the Integrated Decommissioning Improvement Plan (IDIP), which describes initiatives to improve the decommissioning process over the next two years. Revision 3 of the IDIP was completed in 2010. Major areas of work include: (1) consolidate and upgrade uranium recovery closure guidance; (2) prepare interim guidance for selected decommissioning topics [e.g., sensitivity and uncertainty analysis and as low as reasonably achievable (ALARA) for decommissioning]; (3) preserve and transfer knowledge (e.g., erosion control desk guide and site summaries); (4) evaluate engineered cover performance based on new research; (5) develop new training courses for uranium recovery; and (6) improve business processes (e.g., improve NRC/DOE site transition process).

The NRC has proposed a rule and guidance documents to prevent "legacy decommissioning sites." These sites are characterized by complex contamination and associated with financial assurance issues. The proposed rule focuses on ensuring that licensees have adequate financial assurance for decommissioning, as well as adequate monitoring to minimize contamination. Lessons learned from decommissioning management of these sites were used in the development of this draft rule and guidance documents. Lessons learned in decommissioning are listed on the NRC website.[3]

The NRC requires nuclear power plant licensees to report to the agency the status of their decommissioning funds at least once every 2 years, annually within 5 years of the planned shutdown, and annually once the plant ceases operation. NRC is continuing to update its guidance to eliminate any shortfalls in allotted decommissioning funds.

During decommissioning, through its evaluation and interface with the licensees, the States, and with stakeholders, NRC continued to gain significant experience, and capture lessons learned from past decommissioning efforts that can be used in enhancing design of nuclear facilities. NRC has continued the implementation of an enhanced Comprehensive Decommissioning Program, which allows NRC to compile, in a

[2] The Uranium Mill Tailings Radiation Control Act groups uranium recovery facilities into Title I (inactive) sites, that are the responsibility of DOE, and Title II (active) sites that are the responsibility of NRC.
[3] See http://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/regulatory/decommissioning/lessons-learned.html

centralized location, more complete information on the status of decommissioning and decontamination of complex sites and uranium recovery sites in the United States. In addition, the NRC staff continued to apply lessons learned and coordinate closely with other Federal agencies (e.g., EPA, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, the Department of Defense, and DOE) to enhance decommissioning. These lessons learned, along with lessons learned by licensees and stakeholders, are documented and analyzed to enhance the design and performance of nuclear facilities. These lessons learned have been posted on NRC's website to allow for widespread distribution.

In the current year, similar trends in the decommissioning program are expected, as most shutdown power reactors remain in SAFSTOR and progress in research and test reactors increases somewhat. Furthermore, completion of decommissioning activities at complex materials sites is expected to increase over the previous year's levels and remain at a similar level for several years. In addition, within the next three years, several Title II uranium recovery sites are expected to complete decommissioning and be transferred to DOE for long-term control under a general license.

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Attachments: Passwords.xls; New Reactors.xlsx

Design	Approximate Output (Mwe)	Vendor/Applicant	NRC Design Certification
ABWR	1350	GE Nuclear Energy Toshiba - DC renewal GEH - DC renewal STPNOC - DC AIA amendment	Final Rule Issued 05/1997 Under review Under review Final Rule Expected - 12/2011
AP1000	1150	Westinghouse Electric (Toshib	Final Rule Issued 01/2006 Final Rule Expected - ?
ESBWR	1600	GE Hitachi (GEH)	Final Rule Expected 09/2011
USAPWR	1500 - 1700	Mitsubishi Heavy Industries	Final SER Expected 09/2011
USEPR	1650	Areva	Final SER Expected 06/2012 Final Rule Expected 02/2013

COLs	Under Construction	In Operation
South Texas Project, 2 units - Texas	Japan Taiwan	Japan
Vogtle, 2 units - Georgia V.C. Summer, 2 units - South Carolina Bellefonte, 2 units - Alabama Levy County, 2 units - Florida Turkey Point, 2 units - Florida William States Lee, 2 units - South Carolina Shearon Harris, 2 units - North Carolina	USA China	
Fermi 1 unit - Michigan River Bend 1 unit - Louisiana (suspended) Grand Gulf 1 unit - Mississippi (suspended)		
North Anna, 1 unit - Virginia Comanche Peak, 2 units - Texas	Japan (APWR)	
Calvert Cliffs, 1 unit - Maryland Bell Bend, 1 unit - Pennsylvania Callaway, 1 unit - Missouri (suspended) Nine Mile Point, 1 unit - New York (suspended)	Finland (EPR) France (EPR) China (EPR)	

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**** Event Summary ****

46667 **NINE MILE POINT**

50.72(b)(3)(xiii) LOSS COMM/ASMT/RESPONSE

46668 **DIABLO CANYON** *UNUSUAL EVENT*

This Event has been updated !!!

50.72(a) (1) (i) EMERGENCY DECLARED

46669 **GLOBAL NUCLEAR FUEL - AMERICAS**

PART 70 APP A (b)(2) LOSS OR DEGRADED SAFETY ITEMS

Power Reactor Event # 46667

Site: NINE MILE POINT **Notification Date / Time:** 03/11/2011 02:32 (EST)
Unit: 1 2 **Region:** 1 **State :** NY **Event Date / Time:** 03/10/2011 20:15 (EST)
Reactor Type: [1] GE-2,[2] GE-5 **Last Modification:** 03/11/2011
Containment Type: MARK I MARK II

NRC Notified by: DAN COLEMAN **Notifications:** SAM HANSELL R1DO
HQ Ops Officer: JOE O'HARA
Emergency Class: NON EMERGENCY
10 CFR Section:
50.72(b)(3)(xiii) LOSS COMM/ASMT/RESPONSE

Unit	Scram Code	RX Crit	Init Power	Initial RX Mode	Curr Power	Current RX Mode
1	N	Yes	91	Power Operation	91	Power Operation
2	N	Yes	100	Power Operation	100	Power Operation

LOSS OF PRIMARY AND BACKUP METEROLOGICAL MONITORING EQUIPMENT ON BOTH TOWERS

"Loss of power to radiological monitoring equipment (primary and backup). This constitutes a major loss of emergency assessment capability per Nine Mile Point procedures. The cause of the loss of monitoring equipment is a downed 13.2 kV power line. Monitoring capability was restored at 0100."

The loss of power was caused by high winds, and the grid operator was able to restore power at 0100 EST.

The NRC Resident Inspector has been notified.

Power Reactor Event # 46668

Site: DIABLO CANYON		**Notification Date / Time:**	03/11/2011 04:40 (EST)
Unit: 1 2 **Region:** 4 **State :** CA		**Event Date / Time:**	03/11/2011 01:23 (PST)
Reactor Type: [1] W-4-LP,[2] W-4-LP		**Last Modification:**	03/11/2011
Containment Type: DRY AMB DRY AMB			
NRC Notified by: K.R.THOMPSON	**Notifications:**	THOMAS FARNHOLTZ	R4DO
HQ Ops Officer: JOE O'HARA		JANE MARSHALL	IRD
Emergency Class: UNUSUAL EVENT		ELMO COLLINS	RA
10 CFR Section:		JACK GROBE	NRR
50.72(a) (1) (i) EMERGENCY DECLARED		JONES	DHS
		BISCOE	FEMA

Unit	Scram Code	RX Crit	Init Power	Initial RX Mode	Curr Power	Current RX Mode
1	N	Yes	100	Power Operation	100	Power Operation
2	N	Yes	100	Power Operation	100	Power Operation

NOTICE OF UNUSUAL EVENT AS A RESULT OF A TSUNAMI WARNING IN THE AREA

The licensee declared a notice of unusual event as a result of a tsunami warning issued for the coastal areas of California. The tsunami warning is a result of a 8.9 magnitude earthquake off the coast of Japan. The licensee is in EAL HU1.5, 'Tsunami Affecting the Protected Area.' The NRC remains in the normal response mode.

The NRC Resident Inspector has been notified.

* * * UPDATE AT 1134 EST ON 3/11/2011 FROM MIKE QUITTER TO JOE O'HARA * * *

"A classification of unusual event was declared at 0123 PST on March 11, 2011 due to a tsunami warning issued by the NOAA for the California West Coast. Diablo Canyon Power Plant [DCPP] has implemented the requirements of Casualty Procedure M-5, 'Response to Tsunami Warning.' Plant personnel were evacuated from the DCPP intake structure at 0742 PST. Evacuation of personnel from the intake structure constitutes a deviation from DCPP license condition '2.E' and authorized pursuant to 10CFR50.54(x).

"No damage or injuries has been observed as a result of this tsunami event and there is no impact on the health and safety of the general public."

Notified the R4DO (Farnholtz), R4RA (Collins), IRD (Marshall), and NRR (Grobe).

* * * UPDATE AT 1843 EST ON 3/11/2011 FROM JOHN BECERRA TO MARK ABRAMOVITZ * * *

Diablo Canyon has terminated their Unusual Event at 1528 PST because the tsunami warning has been reduced to a tsunami advisory. No damage occurred during this event.

Power Reactor Event # 46668

Notified the R4DO (Farnholtz), IRD (Gott), NRR (Galloway), DHS (Gates), and FEMA (O'Connell)

Fuel Cycle Facility Event # 46669

Facility:	GLOBAL NUCLEAR FUEL - AMERICAS	**Notification Date / Time:**	03/11/2011 08:15 (EST)
Licensee:	GLOBAL NUCLEAR FUEL - AMERICAS	**Event Date / Time:**	03/10/2011 09:15 (EST)
Fac Type:	URANIUM FUEL FABRICATION	**Last Modification:**	03/11/2011
Region:	2	**Docket #:**	07001113
City:	WILMINGTON	**Agreement State:**	Yes
County:	NEW HANOVER	**License #:**	SNM-1097
State:	NC		
NRC Notified by:	JULIE OLIVIER	**Notifications:**	RANDY MUSSER R2DO
HQ Ops Officer:	PETE SNYDER		BRIAN SMITH NMSS E
Emergency Class:	NON EMERGENCY		
10 CFR Section:			
PART 70 APP A (b	LOSS OR DEGRADED SAFETY ITEMS		

MALFUNCTIONING VALVE LEADS TO A LOSS OF DEFENSE IN DEPTH

"During a performance of temporary operating procedure on a laser optical device, it was identified that one of two valves used to isolate the device failed to operate. The valves are operated as a pair and the valves are redundant to provide defense in depth. One valve shut as expected. The second valve did not shut.

"The valves are identified as an Item Relied on For Safety (IROFS). The system was not operating and one of the valves operated as designed. No unsafe condition existed.

"Operability of both valves is required to meet the performance requirements of 10CFR70.61.

"This event is being reported pursuant to the requirements of 10CFR70 Appendix A(b)(2) within 24 hours. The affected device will remain shutdown pending further investigation and implementation of associated corrective actions.

"[This event is of] low safety significance - the discovery did not result in an unsafe condition."

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Unevaluated Information Provided by the Facility

Region	*Unit*	*%Pwr*	*Down*	*Comments*	*	#
1	BEAVER VALLEY 1	100				
1	BEAVER VALLEY 2	0	03/06/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE	*	
1	CALVERT CLIFFS 1	100			*	
1	CALVERT CLIFFS 2	0	02/13/2011	Hot Standby EXITING REFUELING OUTAGE	*	
1	FITZPATRICK 1	100		MAIN GENERATOR VOLTAGE REGULATOR IN MANUAL		
1	GINNA 1	100				
1	HOPE CREEK 1	100				
1	INDIAN POINT 2	100				
1	INDIAN POINT 3	0	03/08/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE	*	
1	LIMERICK 1	100				
1	LIMERICK 2	95		COASTDOWN TO REFUELING OUTAGE		
1	MILLSTONE 2	100				
1	MILLSTONE 3	100				
1	NINE MILE POINT 1	91		COASTDOWN TO REFUELING OUTAGE	*	
1	NINE MILE POINT 2	100				
1	OYSTER CREEK 1	100				
1	PEACH BOTTOM 2	100				

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Region	*Unit*	*%Pwr*	*Down*	*Comments*	*	#
1	PEACH BOTTOM 3	100				
1	PILGRIM 1	97		COASTDOWN TO REFUELING OUTAGE		
1	SALEM 1	100			*	
1	SALEM 2	100			*	
1	SEABROOK 1	100		CONTINGENCY TO DOWNPOWER TO 1000MWe IN 25 MIN. IF REQUESTED		
1	SUSQUEHANNA 1	99			*	
1	SUSQUEHANNA 2	94		100% ELECTRICAL CAPABILITY	*	
1	THREE MILE ISLAND 1	100				
1	VERMONT YANKEE 1	100				

* - Reason or comment has been changed in past 24 hours
# - Number of reactor scrams within the past 24 hours

Note: Reactor status data collected between 4 AM and 8 AM daily. All times are based on Eastern times(ET)

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Region	*Unit*	*%Pwr*	*Down*	*Comments*	*	#
2	BROWNS FERRY 1	100				
2	BROWNS FERRY 2	0	02/25/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
2	BROWNS FERRY 3	100				
2	BRUNSWICK 1	100				
2	BRUNSWICK 2	0	03/04/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
2	CATAWBA 1	100				
2	CATAWBA 2	100				
2	CRYSTAL RIVER 3	0	09/25/2009	Cold Shutdown MAINTENANCE OUTAGE - CONTAINMENT TENSIONING IN PROGRESS		
2	FARLEY 1	100				
2	FARLEY 2	100				
2	HARRIS 1	100				
2	HATCH 1	100				
2	HATCH 2	100				
2	MCGUIRE 1	100				
2	MCGUIRE 2	0	02/26/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
2	NORTH ANNA 1	100				
2	NORTH ANNA 2	100				

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Region	Unit	%Pwr	Down	Comments	*	#
2	OCONEE 1	100				
2	OCONEE 2	100				
2	OCONEE 3	100				
2	ROBINSON 2	100				
2	SAINT LUCIE 1	100				
2	SAINT LUCIE 2	0	01/02/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
2	SEQUOYAH 1	100				
2	SEQUOYAH 2	100				
2	SUMMER 1	100				
2	SURRY 1	100				
2	SURRY 2	98		100% ELECTRICAL CAPABILITY		
2	TURKEY POINT 3	2		Startup HOLDING FOR CONDENSER REPAIRS	*	
2	TURKEY POINT 4	100				
2	VOGTLE 1	0	03/06/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
2	VOGTLE 2	100				
2	WATTS BAR 1	92		COASTDOWN TO REFUELING OUTAGE	*	

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Region	*Unit*	*%Pwr*	*Down*	*Comments*	*	#
3	BRAIDWOOD 1	100				
3	BRAIDWOOD 2	100				
3	BYRON 1	0	03/13/2011	Hot Standby SHUTDOWN TO REFUELING OUTAGE	*	
3	BYRON 2	100				
3	CLINTON 1	97		100% ELECTRICAL CAPABILITY		
3	COOK 1	0	03/11/2011	Hot Standby MAINTENANCE SHUTDOWN TO REPAIR MAIN GENERATOR SEALS		
3	COOK 2	100				
3	DAVIS BESSE 1	100				
3	DRESDEN 2	100				
3	DRESDEN 3	100				
3	DUANE ARNOLD 1	90		ROD SEQUENCE EXCHANGE	*	
3	FERMI 2	100				
3	KEWAUNEE 1	0	02/26/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
3	LASALLE 1	100				
3	LASALLE 2	100				
3	MONTICELLO 1	0	03/04/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
3	PALISADES 1	100				

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Region	*Unit*	*%Pwr*	*Down*	*Comments*	*	#
3	PERRY 1	94		COASTDOWN TO REFUELING OUTAGE		
3	POINT BEACH 1	100				
3	POINT BEACH 2	0	02/28/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
3	PRAIRIE ISLAND 1	100				
3	PRAIRIE ISLAND 2	100				
3	QUAD CITIES 1	100				
3	QUAD CITIES 2	100				

* - Reason or comment has been changed in past 24 hours
# - Number of reactor scrams within the past 24 hours

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Unevaluated Information Provided by the Facility

Region	Unit	%Pwr	Down	Comments	*	#
4	ARKANSAS NUCLEAR 1	100				
4	ARKANSAS NUCLEAR 2	0	02/20/2011	Refueling REFUELING IN PROGRESS		
4	CALLAWAY 1	100				
4	COLUMBIA GENERATING	95		BEGINNING POWER INCREASE TO FULL POWER	*	
4	COMANCHE PEAK 1	100				
4	COMANCHE PEAK 2	100				
4	COOPER 1	0	03/12/2011	Cold Shutdown REFUELING OUTAGE	*	
4	DIABLO CANYON 1	100				
4	DIABLO CANYON 2	100				
4	FORT CALHOUN 1	100				
4	GRAND GULF 1	96		POWER LIMITED 2ND STAGE MSR OUT OF SERVICE FOR THE ENTIRE CYCLE		
4	PALO VERDE 1	100				
4	PALO VERDE 2	100				
4	PALO VERDE 3	100				
4	RIVER BEND 1	100				
4	SAN ONOFRE 2	99				
4	SAN ONOFRE 3	99				

NRC Operations Center
Plant Status Report: 03/14/2011
Unevaluated Information Provided by the Facility

Region	*Unit*	*%Pwr*	*Down*	*Comments*	*	#
4	SOUTH TEXAS 1	100				
4	SOUTH TEXAS 2	100				
4	WATERFORD 3	85		ELEVATED VIBRATION ON FEEDWATER PUMP		
4	WOLF CREEK 1	100				

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Good Morning. Please see attached.

Regards
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**** Event Summary ****

Date Range: 03/11/2011 - 03/14/2011

46667 **NINE MILE POINT**

50.72(b)(3)(xiii) LOSS COMM/ASMT/RESPONSE

3/11/11 - LOSS OF PRIMARY AND BACKUP METEROLOGICAL MONITORING EQUIPMENT ON BOTH TOWERS: Loss of power due to high winds. Grid power restored to the line at 0100 restored the monitoring equipment to service.

46668 **DIABLO CANYON** *UNUSUAL EVENT*

This Event has been updated !!!

50.72(a) (1) (i) EMERGENCY DECLARED

3/11/11 - NOTICE OF UNUSUAL EVENT AS A RESULT OF A TSUNAMI WARNING IN THE AREA: The licensee declared a notice of unusual event as a result of a tsunami warning issued for the coastal areas of California. The tsunami warning is a result of a 8.9 magnitude earthquake off the coast of Japan. The licensee is in EAL HU1.5, 'tsunami affecting the protected area.' The NRC remains in the normal response mode.

3/11/11 - UPDATE: Diablo Canyon terminated their Unusual Event at 1528 PST because the tsunami warning has been reduced to a tsunami advisory. No damage occurred during this event.

46669 **GLOBAL NUCLEAR FUEL - AMERICAS**

PART 70 APP A (b)(2) LOSS OR DEGRADED SAFETY ITEMS

3/11/11 - MALFUNCTIONING VALVE LEADS TO A LOSS OF DEFENSE IN DEPTH: One of the two valves used to isolate a lasre optical device failed to operate during the performance of an operating procedure. The process is shutdown and the licensee is investigating.

Power Reactor Event # 46667

Site: NINE MILE POINT **Notification Date / Time:** 03/11/2011 02:32 (EST)
Unit: 1 2 **Region:** 1 **State :** NY **Event Date / Time:** 03/10/2011 20:15 (EST)
Reactor Type: [1] GE-2,[2] GE-5 **Last Modification:** 03/11/2011
Containment Type: MARK I MARK II

NRC Notified by: DAN COLEMAN **Notifications:** SAM HANSELL R1DO
HQ Ops Officer: JOE O'HARA
Emergency Class: NON EMERGENCY
10 CFR Section:
50.72(b)(3)(xiii) LOSS COMM/ASMT/RESPONSE

Unit	Scram Code	RX Crit	Init Power	Initial RX Mode	Curr Power	Current RX Mode
1	N	Yes	91	Power Operation	91	Power Operation
2	N	Yes	100	Power Operation	100	Power Operation

LOSS OF PRIMARY AND BACKUP METEROLOGICAL MONITORING EQUIPMENT ON BOTH TOWERS

"Loss of power to radiological monitoring equipment (primary and backup). This constitutes a major loss of emergency assessment capability per Nine Mile Point procedures. The cause of the loss of monitoring equipment is a downed 13.2 kV power line. Monitoring capability was restored at 0100."

The loss of power was caused by high winds, and the grid operator was able to restore power at 0100 EST.

The NRC Resident Inspector has been notified.

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Power Reactor Event # 46668

Site: DIABLO CANYON		**Notification Date / Time:** 03/11/2011	04:40 (EST)
Unit: 1 2 **Region:** 4 **State :** CA		**Event Date / Time:** 03/11/2011	01:23 (PST)
Reactor Type: [1] W-4-LP,[2] W-4-LP		**Last Modification:** 03/11/2011	
Containment Type: DRY AMB DRY AMB			
NRC Notified by: K.R.THOMPSON	**Notifications:**	THOMAS FARNHOLTZ	R4DO
HQ Ops Officer: JOE O'HARA		JANE MARSHALL	IRD
Emergency Class: UNUSUAL EVENT		ELMO COLLINS	RA
10 CFR Section:		JACK GROBE	NRR
50.72(a) (1) (i) EMERGENCY DECLARED		JONES	DHS
		BISCOE	FEMA

Unit	Scram Code	RX Crit	Init Power	Initial RX Mode	Curr Power	Current RX Mode
1	N	Yes	100	Power Operation	100	Power Operation
2	N	Yes	100	Power Operation	100	Power Operation

NOTICE OF UNUSUAL EVENT AS A RESULT OF A TSUNAMI WARNING IN THE AREA

The licensee declared a notice of unusual event as a result of a tsunami warning issued for the coastal areas of California. The tsunami warning is a result of a 8.9 magnitude earthquake off the coast of Japan. The licensee is in EAL HU1.5, 'Tsunami Affecting the Protected Area.' The NRC remains in the normal response mode.

The NRC Resident Inspector has been notified.

* * * UPDATE AT 1134 EST ON 3/11/2011 FROM MIKE QUITTER TO JOE O'HARA * * *

"A classification of unusual event was declared at 0123 PST on March 11, 2011 due to a tsunami warning issued by the NOAA for the California West Coast. Diablo Canyon Power Plant [DCPP] has implemented the requirements of Casualty Procedure M-5, 'Response to Tsunami Warning.' Plant personnel were evacuated from the DCPP intake structure at 0742 PST. Evacuation of personnel from the intake structure constitutes a deviation from DCPP license condition '2.E' and authorized pursuant to 10CFR50.54(x).

"No damage or injuries has been observed as a result of this tsunami event and there is no impact on the health and safety of the general public."

Notified the R4DO (Farnholtz), R4RA (Collins), IRD (Marshall), and NRR (Grobe).

* * * UPDATE AT 1843 EST ON 3/11/2011 FROM JOHN BECERRA TO MARK ABRAMOVITZ * * *

Diablo Canyon has terminated their Unusual Event at 1528 PST because the tsunami warning has been reduced to a tsunami advisory. No damage occurred during this event.

Power Reactor Event # 46668

Notified the R4DO (Farnholtz), IRD (Gott), NRR (Galloway), DHS (Gates), and FEMA (O'Connell)

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Fuel Cycle Facility Event # 46669

Facility:	GLOBAL NUCLEAR FUEL - AMERICAS	**Notification Date / Time:**	03/11/2011 08:15 (EST)
Licensee:	GLOBAL NUCLEAR FUEL - AMERICAS	**Event Date / Time:**	03/10/2011 09:15 (EST)
Fac Type:	URANIUM FUEL FABRICATION	**Last Modification:**	03/11/2011
Region:	2	**Docket #:**	07001113
City:	WILMINGTON	**Agreement State:**	Yes
County:	NEW HANOVER	**License #:**	SNM-1097
State:	NC		
NRC Notified by:	JULIE OLIVIER	**Notifications:**	RANDY MUSSER R2DO
HQ Ops Officer:	PETE SNYDER		BRIAN SMITH NMSS E
Emergency Class:	NON EMERGENCY		
10 CFR Section:			
PART 70 APP A (b	LOSS OR DEGRADED SAFETY ITEMS		

MALFUNCTIONING VALVE LEADS TO A LOSS OF DEFENSE IN DEPTH

"During a performance of temporary operating procedure on a laser optical device, it was identified that one of two valves used to isolate the device failed to operate. The valves are operated as a pair and the valves are redundant to provide defense in depth. One valve shut as expected. The second valve did not shut.

"The valves are identified as an Item Relied on For Safety (IROFS). The system was not operating and one of the valves operated as designed. No unsafe condition existed.

"Operability of both valves is required to meet the performance requirements of 10CFR70.61.

"This event is being reported pursuant to the requirements of 10CFR70 Appendix A(b)(2) within 24 hours. The affected device will remain shutdown pending further investigation and implementation of associated corrective actions.

"[This event is of] low safety significance - the discovery did not result in an unsafe condition."

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Not For Public Distribution - Summary Information - Power Reactor Status Report for 3/14/2011

Reg	Unit	3/14/2011	3/13/2011	Comments (previous day's comments in *italic*)
1	Calvert Cliffs 1	100%	*100%*	-- *HIGH VOLTAGE WARNING*
1	FitzPatrick	100%	*100%*	MAIN GENERATOR VOLTAGE REGULATOR IN MANUAL
1	Salem 1	100%	*100%*	-- *HIGH GRID VOLTAGE WARING*
1	Salem 2	100%	*100%*	-- *HIGH GRID VOLTAGE WARING*
1	Seabrook 1	100%	*100%*	CONTINGENCY TO DOWNPOWER TO 1000MWe IN 25 MIN. IF REQUESTED
1	Susquehanna 1	99%	*88%*	-- *INCREASING POWER HIGH GRID VOLTAGE WARING*
1	Susquehanna 2	94%	*94%*	100% ELECTRICAL CAPABILITY *100% ELECTRICAL CAPABILITY HIGH GRID VOLTAGE WARING*
2	Crystal River 3	0%	*0%*	MAINTENANCE OUTAGE - CONTAINMENT TENSIONING IN PROGRESS
2	Surry 2	98%	*98%*	100% ELECTRICAL CAPABILITY
2	Turkey Point 3	2%	*2%*	HOLDING FOR CONDENSER REPAIRS *STARTUP IN PROGRESS INCREASING POWER*
3	Clinton	97%	*97%*	100% ELECTRICAL CAPABILITY
3	D.C. Cook 1	0%	*0%*	MAINTENANCE SHUTDOWN TO REPAIR MAIN GENERATOR SEALS
3	Duane Arnold	90%	*93%*	ROD SEQUENCE EXCHANGE
4	Columbia Generating Station	95%	*95%*	BEGINNING POWER INCREASE TO FULL POWER *MONTHLY CONTROL ROD EXERCISE*
4	Grand Gulf 1	96%	*96%*	POWER LIMITED 2ND STAGE MSR OUT OF SERVICE FOR THE ENTIRE CYCLE
4	San Onofre 2	99%	*99%*	
4	San Onofre 3	99%	*99%*	
4	Waterford 3	85%	*85%*	ELEVATED VIBRATION ON FEEDWATER PUMP

14 Plants in Refueling Outage

Region 1	Region 2	Region 3	Region 4
Beaver Valley 2 - 3/6/2011	Browns Ferry 2 - 2/25/2011	3 Byron 1 - 3/13/2011	Arkansas Nuclear 2 - 2/20/2011
Calvert Cliffs 2 - 2/13/2011	Brunswick 2 - 3/4/2011	3 Kewaunee - 2/26/2011	Cooper - 3/12/2011
Indian Point 3 - 3/8/2011	McGuire 2 - 2/26/2011	3 Monticello - 3/4/2011	
	Saint Lucie 2 - 1/2/2011	3 Point Beach 2 - 2/28/2011	
	Vogtle 1 - 3/6/2011		

5 Plants Coasting Down to Outage

Region 1	Region 2	Region 3	Region 4
Limerick 2 - 95%	Watts Bar 1 - 92%	Perry 1 - 94%	
Nine Mile Point 1 - 91%			
Pilgrim 1 - 97%			

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Cc:	Flanders, Rhea; Zaki, Tarek; Basu, Sudhamay
Subject:	NRO/DNRLSig Meetings/Actions/Items of Interest for the Wk of Mar 14, 2011 - Internal Use Only
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 7:06:58 AM
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Importance:	High

Hi Everyone,

Please see attached information regarding NRO/DNRL significant meetings, actions that DNRL must accomplish, and items of interest for the week of Mar 14, 2011. This information is for internal use only.

If you have any questions or if you have changes, please contact me (415-6822).

Best^2,

Amy

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From: Bearde, Diane
To: R1-DL-DRS
Subject: TIME AND LABOR: MONDAY MARCH 14
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 7:22:46 AM
Importance: High

I just wanted to thank all of you for having your time and labor entries complete – Starlet and I will be able to begin final processing for the entire division right away.

Please do not make any entries or corrections in HRMS this morning without notifying me first.

WorkFlow (R1WorkFlow Resource) will continue to be monitored. WorkFlow requests will be processed once payroll is complete. Thanks in advance for your patience and understanding of this temporary change in priority.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Enjoy your day!

Diane Bearde
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Division of Reactor Safety
(610) 337-5191

From: Johns, Nancy
To: Givvines, Mary; Gallagher, Johanna
Cc: Grobe, Jack; Leeds, Eric
Subject: RE: My rotation to SBCR
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 7:42:02 AM

Hi, Mary. I am working today; (b)(6). I am not yet familiar with any details of your rotation. I'm working from OWFN today rather than my regular office, and my cell phone number is (b)(6) if I can be of immediate assistance.

Nancy

From: Givvines, Mary
Sent: Sunday, March 13, 2011 4:13 PM
To: Gallagher, Johanna; Johns, Nancy
Cc: Grobe, Jack; Leeds, Eric
Subject: My rotation to SBCR

Ladies,

I've been asked (EDO, DEDOs and Eric Leeds) to help SBCR and will be on a 4-6 month rotation effective early April. Are you familiar with this rotation? If so, do you have any details that you can provide?

I have been in touch with Ren and hoping she makes the announcement to her staff this week and then I will announce to my staff.

Can one of you please call me tomorrow to discuss?

Thanks
Mary

From: Cheok, Michael
To: Cohen, Shari
Subject: RE: Delegation of Authority for Jack Grobe on March 25th
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 7:47:00 AM

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yes

From: Cohen, Shari
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:42 AM
To: Cheok, Michael
Subject: Delegation of Authority for Jack Grobe on March 25th

Are you available and willing to server as Mr. Grobe's actor on March 25, 2011? Thanks!
Shari

Shari Cohen, Contract Secretary
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From: Pulliam, Timothy
To: Haney, Catherine; Dorman, Dan
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 7:48:56 AM

Cathy/Dan,

For the 9:30 management mtg; all certification of funds will be done by OCFO and all contracting actions will be administered by DC. Emergency travel can be verbally approved, by the supervisor, followed by input to etravel after the fact. I would say anything in my area can be handled by phone, by Karen or me.

Tim

Sent from an NRC Blackberry
Timothy I. Pulliam
(b)(6)

Satorius, Mark

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Subject: Congressmen call for more caution in nuke plant construction

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An extension would give Congress until April 8 to either reach a deal for the rest of fiscal year 2011, which ends September 30, or pass another extension to avoid a government shutdown. MORE

Fed steady as trouble zones multiply

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IRS debt guidance really hits home

The Boston Herald: WASHINGTON — The IRS has issued fresh guidance on how to handle canceled mortgage debt in the upcoming tax season — just as hundreds of thousands of homeowners have negotiated loan modifications or short sales or have been foreclosed upon during the past year.

It's a huge issue, widely misunderstood by consumers, and involves potentially billions of dollars of tax liability. MORE

State Dept. urges Americans not to go to Japan

San Francisco Chronicle: The State Department is advising U.S. citizens to avoid traveling to Japan at this time.

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Federal agency predicts 40% savings from move to cloud

Networkworld: The Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) expects to save 40% over the next five years by switching its financial management application to a cloud computing vendor -- a sign of the massive savings to come from the U.S. federal government's shift to the software-as-a-service model.

The EEOC ran a competitive bid and chose Global Computer Enterprises (GCE) of Reston, Va., to provide Oracle's Financials Release 12 software in a cloud-based delivery model. The five-year contract has an estimated value of $10 million. MORE

New attacks leverage unpatched IE flaw, Microsoft warns

Computerworld: IDG News Service - An Internet Explorer flaw made public two months ago is now being used in online attacks.

The flaw, which has not yet been patched, has been used in "limited, targeted attacks," Microsoft said Friday in an update to its security advisory on the issue. MORE

Survey: Many agencies still sluggish on FOIA despite White House push

Federal Times: Two years after President Obama pledged a new dawning of governmental sunshine, barely half of 90 federal agencies say they've made concrete changes in their handling of Freedom of Information Act requests, according to survey findings released Sunday.

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Government Healthcare - Policy & IT

Congress keeps fueling Pentagon cancer work

Pittsburgh Post-Gazette: WASHINGTON -- As the Pentagon seeks to trim spending, there are some programs Congress believes the military can't do without. Among them: cancer research.

For almost 20 years, the Defense Department has been the recipient of more than $3.6 billion for cancer research. The programs have never been requested in any presidential budget, and are outside the Pentagon's traditional mission of battlefield medicine and research. MORE

Federal court agrees to fast-track ACA appeal

Modern Healthcare (online registration required): A federal appeals court has agreed to act swiftly in considering a Florida judge's ruling that President Barack Obama's healthcare overhaul is unconstitutional.

The 11th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in Atlanta said that it had agreed to expedite the appeal concerning the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, setting a faster timetable than even the federal government had requested. MORE

NIH improves drug naming standard for EHRs

Government Health IT: The National Library of Medicine has updated the RxNorm standard clinical drug vocabulary with more accurate and complete connections between national drug codes and standard non-proprietary names of medications recommended for use in electronic health records (EHR).

The vocabulary standard also includes for the first time the set of national drug codes from First DataBank, which provides drug databases that are widely used in the health care industry. MORE

GA: Law that pushes elderly into nursing homes being reviewed at Capitol

Atlanta Journal Constitution: Jeff Herman wants his 92-year-old mother to keep living at the Sunrise assisted living home in Buckhead. His mother wants to stay. Sunrise wants to keep her too.

But even though no public money is involved, the state of Georgia also has a say in the matter. The state believes that Myrtle Herman isn't mobile enough to stay at Sunrise and it is trying to force her to leave, an action that would push her into a nursing home. MORE

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Wednesday, March 16, 2011 at 2:00 PM Eastern

Many Federal agencies are already pursuing consolidation and cloud computing initiatives, but OMB's 25-point mandate for government-wide IT reform has accelerated things significantly. Would you like to hear about a proven path forward to datacenter consolidation, transforming to a cloud-ready infrastructure and ultimately being able to adopt that cloud-first policy?

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i360Gov Proof Points: How to Achieve Private Cloud Formation

Tuesday, March 22, 2011 at 2:00 PM Eastern

To comply with federal mandates, agencies are being challenged to invest in cloud computing, to reduce IT costs and streamline operations. Despite the benefits of the cloud, many questions remain about security and the privacy of sensitive or classified information. Industry observers predict the strong push toward cloud-based services will lead to a rise in private cloud implementations in the coming year.

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Wednesday, March 30, 2011 at 2:00 PM Eastern

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Our panelists, including Ray Miller, formerly with the NY State Dept of Health, will discuss how the process of managing paper records has evolved, what new techniques and technologies governments can employ to modernize this process, and how these improvements can impact your agency's bottom line. **Register Now** (no cost)

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Leveraging Technology to Fight Budget Difficulties in State & Local Governments

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Energy - Policy & Technology

U.S. nuclear industry faces new uncertainty

The New York Times: WASHINGTON — The fragile bipartisan consensus that nuclear power offers a big piece of the answer to America's energy and global warming challenges may have evaporated as quickly as confidence in Japan's crippled nuclear reactors.

Until this weekend, President Obama, mainstream environmental groups and large numbers of Republicans and Democrats in Congress agreed that nuclear power offered a steady energy source and part of the solution to climate change, even as they disagreed on virtually every other aspect of energy policy. MORE

Nuclear Renaissance Wobbles as Quake Hits Japan Reactors

Bloomberg Business Week: (Bloomberg) -- Global expansion of nuclear power may draw more scrutiny after officials in China and India and U.S. lawmakers called for the review of atomic energy plans as Japan struggles with reactors crippled by a quake and tsunami.

Workers battled to prevent a nuclear meltdown as a second hydrogen explosion rocked a Tokyo Electric Power Co. atomic plant north of the Japanese capital, three days after a record 8.9-magnitude temblor and tsunami. Asia's largest utility is flooding two reactors at the plant with water and boric acid to avert a catastrophic release of radiation. MORE

A Solar and Wind Revolution From a Land of Oil

The New York Times: BRUSSELS — Higher oil prices are usually good news for clean energy because they make costly technologies like solar and wind less daunting to investors. But for one of the world's most ambitious clean-energy projects, Desertec, the instability in North Africa behind the price increases signals a less certain outlook.

Desertec aims to tap the vast solar and wind resources across the deserts of the Middle East and North Africa and, over coming decades, deliver as much as 15 percent of the electricity needed by the European Union through high-voltage transmission lines to be laid under the Mediterranean Sea. MORE

Congressmen call for more caution in nuke plant construction

The Wall Street Journal (online subscription required): NEW YORK (MarketWatch) -- Two U.S. congressmen on Sunday called for a more-cautious approach to the country's buildup of its nuclear power plants as authorities in Japan struggle to cool down plants damaged in the devastating earthquake.

Sen. Joe Lieberman, a Connecticut independent, said the U.S., "needs to quickly put the brakes on (plant construction) until we can absorb what's happened in Japan." MORE

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Now 'good enough' wins the defense contract

The Washington Post: The Air Force's decision late last month to award the long-contested, $35 billion

aerial refueling tanker program to Boeing ended a competition that had been fraught with controversy. But analysts say the decision may have sent another message to the contracting community: The government isn't necessarily seeking the most capable or "best value" equipment, but rather good-enough equipment with a lower price tag. MORE

Defense prepares response to massive earthquake in Japan

Nextgov: U.S. military forces reacted quickly after a powerful earthquake and tsunami struck Japan on Friday. The Air Force flew emergency coolant to a damaged nuclear reactor and the Navy's 7th Fleet began moving ships to support relief operations there... MORE

DoD May See Extra $1.5B in Fuel Costs

Defense News: The Pentagon will face more than a $1 billion deficit in its fuel accounts if oil prices maintain their current level for the remainder of the year, according to the Defense Department's top budget official.

"I'm worried about it. I think it is potentially a serious problem," said Robert Hale, the Pentagon's comptroller and chief financial officer, during a March 10 taping of the TV show, "This Week in Defense News." MORE

State spokesman quits after WikiLeaks comments

Army Times: WASHINGTON — Chief State Department spokesman P.J. Crowley quit on Sunday after causing a stir by describing the military's treatment of the suspected WikiLeaks leaker as "ridiculous" and "stupid," pointed words that forced President Obama to defend the detention as appropriate. MORE

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—Thomas Jefferson

California, other states line up for high-speed rail money rejected by Florida

Los Angeles Times: Reporting from Washington -- — Even if Florida's governor doesn't want federal high-speed rail money, officials from California and other states do. And they're doing all they can do snag it — lining up at Transportation Secretary Ray LaHood's door, posting appeals on his Facebook page, even bending his ear at social events.

Now, the competition will really heat up. On Friday, LaHood invited states to apply for the $2.4 billion in high-speed rail money turned down by Florida Gov. Rick Scott. MORE

NY: New York City details $3.3 billion shoreline plan

The Washington Post: New York City will announce a $3.3 billion plan this week for new parks, housing, ferry service and environmental improvements for its 578 miles of shoreline to boost real-estate development and recreation.

Mayor Michael R. Bloomberg (I) and City Council Speaker Christine Quinn said the 190-page plan, called Vision 2020, will connect neighborhoods to shorelines and improve water quality. It calls for 130 projects costing $3.3 billion to be completed in the first three years. Andrew Brent, a city spokesman, said $2.5 billion of the initial cost will be for environmental protection. MORE

States don't see crisis in federal shutdown — yet

Stateline: For the second time in two weeks, a congressional budget impasse threatens to shut down much of the federal government this weekend. So far, the reaction in state capitols is muted, but that could change if a protracted showdown comes to pass and the feds close shop for a significant length of time.

States rely on the federal government for huge sums of money to pay for programs such as Medicaid, food stamps and unemployment benefits. But federal funding for the most crucial social safety net programs is unlikely to be interrupted in the event of a shutdown, according to federal officials who oversee the funds. MORE

Japan Tsunami Response Aided by High-Tech Warning System

Government Technology: The 20-foot-high tsunami that slammed ashore in northern Japan on Friday, March 11, has taken an untold number of lives and caused incalculable damage as homes, cars and ships were inundated by the sea.

The water displaced by the magnitude 8.9 temblor, the fifth most powerful earthquake in the world since 1900, propagated outward across the entire Pacific. The surge arrived hours later and caused localized damage on the shorelines of Hawaii, Washington, Oregon and California. MORE

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Federal Policy & Business

Fed poised to keep interest rates extremely low

Houston Chronicle: WASHINGTON — Federal Reserve leaders will gather around a conference table here this week and almost certainly decide to keep interest rates at rock-bottom levels, as they have for 11 straight meetings.

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From: Guardiola, Maria

To: Doolittle, Elizabeth; Dorman, Dan; Habighorst, Peter; Haney, Catherine; Jones, Sam; Pstrak, David; Silva, Patricia; Smith, Brian; White, Bernard; Adams, Mary; Aguilar, Santiago; Arce, Jeannette; Arroyo, Damaris; Baker, Merritt; Bartlett, Matthew; Chapman, Gregory; Atack, Sabrina; Cuadrado, Jose; Damon, Dennis; DeJesus, Jonathan; Diaz, Marilyn; Ditto, David; Bailey, Marissa; Downs, James; Echols, Stan; Eichenholz, Harold; Faraz, Yawar; Fisher, Christian; Freeman, Eric; Grice, Thomas; Hammelman, James; Horn, Brian; Hrabal, Craig; Johnson, Timothy; Liu, Tilda; Marenchin, Thomas; Morey, Dennis; Morrissey, Kevin; Murray, Alex; Naquin, Tyrone; Pham, Tom; Powell, Tamara; Raddatz, Michael; Ramsey, Kevin; Alvarado, Lydiana; Reeves, Rosemary; Reilly, Breeda; Rodriguez, Rafael; Roman, Cinthya; Ryder, Christopher; Siurano-Perez, Osiris; Soto, Soly; Thompson, Richard; Tiktinsky, David; Tripp, Christopher; Tuttle, Glenn; Ward, Steven; Wescott, Rex; Kinneman, John; Tschiltz, Michael; Hiltz, Thomas; Johnson, Robert; Campbell, Larry; Smith, James; White, Bernard

Subject: EN 46669 GNF-Loss or degraded safety systems

Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 7:52:17 AM

EN 44469-Global Nuclear Fuel: Loss or degraded safety systems

Summary: During performance of a procedure of a laser optical device, one of the two valves used to isolate the device did not shut as expected. The valves are identified as IROFS and operability is required to meet the requirements of 10CFR70.61. This event did not result in an unsafe condition.

Fuel Cycle Facility	Event Number: 46669
Facility: GLOBAL NUCLEAR FUEL - AMERICAS RX Type: URANIUM FUEL FABRICATION Comments: LEU CONVERSION (UF6 TO UO2) LEU FABRICATION LWR COMMERICAL FUEL Region: 2 City: WILMINGTON State: NC County: NEW HANOVER License #: SNM-1097 Agreement: Y Docket: 07001113 NRC Notified By: JULIE OLIVIER HQ OPS Officer: PETE SNYDER	Notification Date: 03/11/2011 Notification Time: 08:15 [ET] Event Date: 03/10/2011 Event Time: 09:15 [EST] Last Update Date: 03/11/2011
Emergency Class: NON EMERGENCY 10 CFR Section: PART 70 APP A (b)(2) - LOSS OR DEGRADED SAFETY ITEMS	Person (Organization): RANDY MUSSER (R2DO) BRIAN SMITH (NMSS)

Event Text

MALFUNCTIONING VALVE LEADS TO A LOSS OF DEFENSE IN DEPTH

"During a performance of temporary operating procedure on a laser optical device, it was identified that one of two valves used to isolate the device failed to operate. The valves are operated as a pair and the valves are redundant to provide defense in depth. One valve shut as expected. The second valve did not shut.

"The valves are identified as an Item Relied on For Safety (IROFS). The system was not operating and one of the valves operated as designed. No unsafe condition existed.

"Operability of both valves is required to meet the performance requirements of 10CFR70.61.

"This event is being reported pursuant to the requirements of 10CFR70 Appendix A(b)(2) within 24 hours. The affected device will remain shutdown pending further investigation and implementation of associated corrective actions.

"[This event is of] low safety significance - the discovery did not result in an unsafe condition."

From: Golla, Joe
To: Markley, Anthony
Subject: RE: Quick Question to Support New COOP Office Instruction
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 8:08:00 AM

Tony- do you remember who in Region I your contact was for this?

From: Markley, Anthony
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 2:37 PM
To: Golla, Joe
Subject: RE: Quick Question to Support New COOP Office Instruction

Joe,

(b)(5)

Hope this helps!

Tony Markley

From: Golla, Joe
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 12:22 PM
To: Markley, Anthony
Subject: RE: Quick Question to Support New COOP Office Instruction

(b)(5)

From: Markley, Anthony
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 11:54 AM
To: Golla, Joe
Subject: RE: Quick Question to Support New COOP Office Instruction

Joe,

I did have some in the past which included some Region I buy in on COOP stuff. But all of it has been removed. So, no, I no longer have any of those e-mails.

Sorry!

Tony Markley

From: Golla, Joe
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 9:56 AM
To: Markley, Anthony
Subject: FW: Quick Question to Support New COOP Office Instruction

Tony- do you have any old e-mails with Region I on COOP?

From: James, Lois
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 9:39 AM
To: Golla, Joe
Subject: RE: Quick Question to Support New COOP Office Instruction

Marty said you should contact Tony Markley. He should have emails with Region I or a contact in Region I that confirmed this. I also mentioned this to a friend in OE and go the attached email back.

From: Golla, Joe
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 7:43 AM
To: James, Lois
Subject: RE: Quick Question to Support New COOP Office Instruction

That's OK Lois. It's probably about time I connected with Region I on this. I'll give you a call to discuss a few things. joe

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From: James, Lois
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 7:41 AM
To: Golla, Joe
Subject: RE: Quick Question to Support New COOP Office Instruction

I am sorry. I did not mean to make a big deal out of this.

From: Golla, Joe
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 7:38 AM
To: McKinley, Raymond; James, Lois
Cc: Holody, Daniel; Henderson, Pamela; Urban, Richard; McFadden, John; Jolicoeur, John
Subject: RE: Quick Question to Support New COOP Office Instruction

Thank you Ray. I think a call is appropriate. I'll set one up in the next few days. Joe Golla, NRR, Div. of Policy & Rulemaking

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From: McKinley, Raymond
Sent: Wednesday, March 09, 2011 3:52 PM
To: Golla, Joe; James, Lois
Cc: Holody, Daniel; Henderson, Pamela; Urban, Richard; McFadden, John
Subject: FW: Quick Question to Support New COOP Office Instruction

Joe & Lois,

(b)(5)

Ray McKinley
Senior ERC, Region I

From: Hinson, Felicia
Sent: Wednesday, March 09, 2011 2:57 PM
To: McKinley, Raymond
Subject: FW: Quick Question to Support New COOP Office Instruction

Thought you'd be interested in this exchange.

I'd be interested in speaking to you before I call return a call to Lois James.

From: Urban, Richard
Sent: Wednesday, March 09, 2011 2:51 PM
To: James, Lois
Cc: McFadden, John; Hinson, Felicia
Subject: RE: Quick Question to Support New COOP Office Instruction

It looks OK to me but I understand our Emergency Response Specialist is going to call you to discuss.

From: James, Lois
Sent: Wednesday, March 09, 2011 2:10 PM
To: Urban, Richard
Subject: FW: Quick Question to Support New COOP Office Instruction

I was going to respond in the affirmative, but then I thought had we spoken to you?

From: (b)(6)
To: Lublnski, John
Subject: (b)(6)
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 8:18:43 AM

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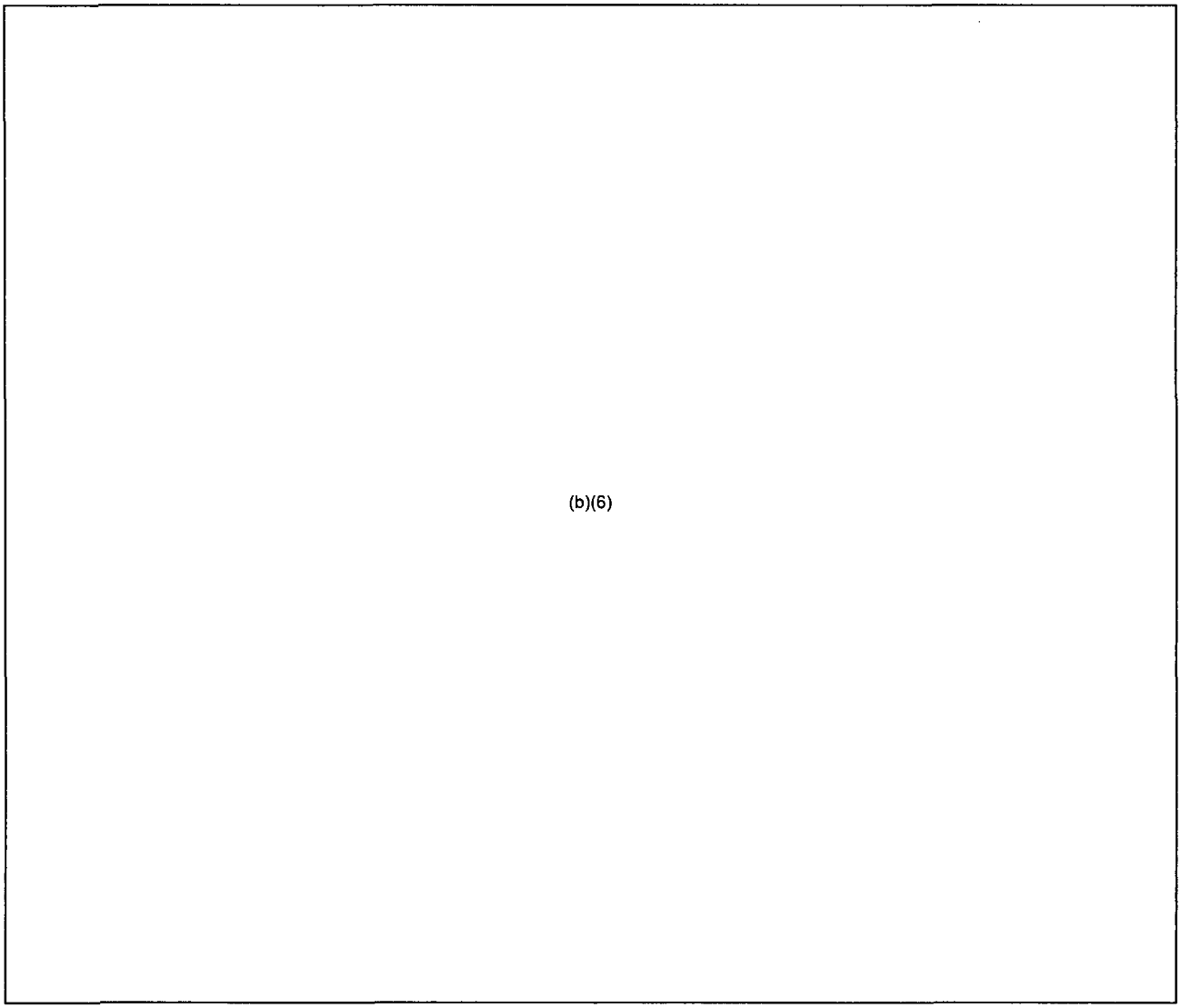
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From: Mayhew, Sharon
To: Cheok, Michael
Subject: RE: rev 2
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 8:22:16 AM

Hi Mike,

I thought of you all this weekend as I watched the new from Japan unfold. I'll take a look at this today and we can discuss it tomorrow. Get some rest.

Thanks, Sharon

From: Cheok, Michael
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 8:13 AM
To: Mayhew, Sharon
Subject: rev 2

Hi Sharon: Attached is revision to M. Boggi's write-up. Your comments are welcomed and appreciated.

I will not be in the office today ((b)(6) since I worked a couple of late night shifts in the Operations Center this weekend), but will be glad to discuss this more with you tomorrow if you would like.

Thanks

Mike

From: Haney, Catherine
To: (b)(6)
Subject: FW: (b)(6)
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 8:23:00 AM

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From: Haney, Catherine
To: Johns, Nancy
Subject: RE: ERB Item for Review
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 8:36:00 AM

Am I right it Mike and Brian are the only two that had problems?

From: Johns, Nancy
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 8:35 AM
To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: RE: ERB Item for Review

Okay – would you let us know if you reach resolution?

From: Haney, Catherine
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 8:22 AM
To: Johns, Nancy
Subject: RE: ERB Item for Review

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From: Johns, Nancy
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 8:21 AM
To: Haney, Catherine
Cc: Cohen, Miriam; Gallagher, Johanna
Subject: FW: ERB Item for Review

Hi, Cathy

(b)(5)

Nancy

From: Johnson, Michael
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 7:10 AM
To: Johns, Nancy
Cc: Haney, Catherine
Subject: RE: ERB Item for Review

(b)(5)

Mike

From: Johns, Nancy
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 2:25 PM

To: Ash, Darren; Borchardt, Bill; Boyce, Thomas (OIS); Buchholz, Jeri; Burns, Stephen; Carpenter, Cynthia; Casto, Chuck; Cohen, Miriam; Collins, Elmo; Dapas, Marc; Dean, Bill; Doane, Margaret; Dorman, Dan; Dyer, Jim; Gallagher, Johanna; Greene, Kathryn; Haney, Catherine; Holahan, Gary; Howell, Art; Johns, Nancy; Johnson, Michael; Kelley, Corenthis; Leeds, Eric; Lew, David; Mamish, Nader; McCree, Victor; Miller, Charles; Moore, Scott; Muessle, Mary; Pederson, Cynthia; Satorius, Mark; Schaeffer, James; Sheron, Brian; Tallarico, Alison; Tracy, Glenn; Uhle, Jennifer; Virgilio, Martin; Weber, Michael; Wert, Leonard; Wiggins, Jim
Subject: ERB Item for Review
Importance: High

ERB Members,

Mike Tschilz, currently the Deputy Division Director in the Division of Fuel Cycle Safety and Safeguards (FCSS), has informed NMSS management of his intent to retire at the beginning of April. Eventually, NMSS proposes to reassign one Deputy Director in the Division of High Level Waste Repository Safety (HLWRS) to FCSS and eliminate one Deputy Director position in HLWRS rather than eliminate a Deputy Director position in FCSS. NMSS considers it important to retain both deputies in FCSS because of the scope of the work and current activities/challenges in FCSS. However, as you are aware, by October 1, pending any change in direction, the Agency will have transitioned the Yucca Mountain Program to closure. After October 1, HLWRS' areas of focus will be extended storage and transportation/waste confidence, reprocessing, and alternative geological disposal. It would not be advisable to make any changes in HLWRS until the YM Program has been brought to closure.

In the interim, NMSS proposes initially to assign a current Branch Chief to act as Deputy Division Director, FCSS, for up to 3 months. This will allow time for NMSS to consider soliciting interest for CDP graduates and/or current SES to act as Deputy Division Director, FCSS, until October; provide rotational opportunities for additional Branch Chiefs; or weigh other options based on the results of succession planning and ERB feedback.

Please reply with any comments or concerns.

(b)(5)

From: Hon, Andrew
To: Mensah, Tanya
Cc: Stuchell, Sheldon; Calero, Alicia; Cruz, Holly; Golla, Joe; Lenning, Ekaterina; Philpott, Stephen; Rowley, Jonathan
Subject: RE: QUERY - (b)(5)
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 8:47:48 AM

Thanks Tanya,

I stopped by your cube but missed you (I am in 12D8 now). Your feedback makes a lot of sense. I will put in my to-do list when we update LIC-500 next time.

Andy

From: Mensah, Tanya
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 8:36 AM
To: Stuchell, Sheldon; Hon, Andrew; Calero, Alicia; Cruz, Holly; Golla, Joe; Lenning, Ekaterina; Philpott, Stephen; Rowley, Jonathan
Subject: RE: QUERY - (b)(5)

Hi Andy,

(b)(5)

Tanya

From: Stuchell, Sheldon
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 7:19 AM
To: Hon, Andrew; Mensah, Tanya; Calero, Alicia; Cruz, Holly; Golla, Joe; Lenning, Ekaterina; Philpott, Stephen; Rowley, Jonathan
Subject: RE: QUERY - How to best address information for which acceptance criteria does not exist?

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From: Hon, Andrew
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:33 PM
To: Mensah, Tanya; Calero, Alicia; Cruz, Holly; Golla, Joe; Lenning, Ekaterina; Philpott, Stephen; Rowley, Jonathan; Stuchell, Sheldon
Subject: FW: QUERY - How to best address information for which acceptance criteria does not exist?

TR Team,

(b)(5)

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Please let me know your thoughts.

THANKS

Andy

From: Dittman, Bernard
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 10:49 AM
To: Hon, Andrew
Subject: QUERY - (b)(5)

Andy,

In performing my more detailed review of the ALS TR, I have noticed that CSI will have performed and documented some additional tests in support of the European market (reference Section 4.3.5 of the ALS Topical Report,6002-00301, Rev 1, dated August 11, 2010) and may have other information documented for which no NRC acceptance criteria is defined. (b)(5) Given this generalized case, what is preferred approach to address this kind of content?

I have talked about this matter with some senior EICB staff, and the following possibilities were identified:

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4. (b)(5)

While I've yet to talk with my Branch Chief to see if he feels strongly one way or another about this, (b)(5). In the meantime, perhaps you could talk with your topical report review PM peers to determine you all's preference, and then talk with applicant(s) about their expectations.

Thanks,
-Bernie

Satorius, Mark

From: (b)(6)
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 9:09 AM
To: Satorius, Mark
Subject: (b)(6)

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Satorius, Mark

From: Sotiropoulos, Dina
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 9:13 AM
To: Satorius, Mark
Cc: Bucholz, Margaret
Subject: Meeting with GSA

Mark,

Today I have scheduled a meeting with GSA beginning at 9:30 – 4:30 in the DRMA Conference Room regarding the 2014 lease. If you need me please contact Margaret and she will come and get me.

Thanks
Dina

Owen, Lucy

From: Cianci, Sandra
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 9:13 AM
To: Sanfilippo, Nathan
Cc: Collins, Elmo; Owen, Lucy; Howell, Art; Howell, Linda; Kennedy, Kriss; Pruett, Troy; Vegel, Anton; Caniano, Roy; Cain, Chuck; Andersen, James
Subject: RE: Request for information

Should you have questions while Jim Trapp is out of the office, Nathan is the second point of contact for RGN IV.

He may be reached at 301-415-3951 or (blackberry) (b)(6) . However, he will be unavailable today.

You may contact Jim Andersen at 301-415-1725 for any questions.

Thank you

Sandy Cianci
Administrative Assistant to Marty Virgilio, DEDR
Office of the Executive Director for Operations
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301-415-1714
sandra.cianci@nrc.gov

From: Owen, Lucy
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 9:54 AM
To: Sanfilippo, Nathan
Cc: Collins, Elmo; Howell, Art; Howell, Linda; Kennedy, Kriss; Pruett, Troy; Vegel, Anton; Caniano, Roy; Cain, Chuck; Cianci, Sandra
Subject: Request for information

Hello Nathan – I understand from Sandy Cianci that you are the newly assigned Region IV OEDO Coordinator. When you have a few minutes, please email to me for the Region IV senior managers, your NRC cell telephone number and any other pertinent information which might be useful.

Thank you very much.
Lucy Owen

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Satorius, Mark

From: Satorius, Mark
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 9:15 AM
To: Daley, Robert; Stone, AnnMarie; Pederson, Cynthia; Reynolds, Steven; West, Steven; Giessner, John; Shear, Gary
Subject: RE: Palisades previous CDBI results

Thanks Bob

From: Daley, Robert
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 8:56 AM
To: Stone, AnnMarie; Satorius, Mark; Pederson, Cynthia; Reynolds, Steven; West, Steven; Giessner, John; Shear, Gary
Subject: RE: Palisades previous CDBI results

My understanding is that you would like the schedule for Palisades' LAR submittal for NFPA 805. Please see the attached. This shows Palisades as being one of the earliest submittals and scheduled to submit by the end of May. As you may be aware; however, there may be a staggered submittal approach coming in the near future. This may, or may not affect Palisades' submittal date, because one of the concerns is NRC resources for LAR review. My bet would still be that Palisades is one of the first to submit and get approved though.

If you need any more, or different information, please let me know.

Bob Daley
Work (630) 829-9749
Cell (b)(6)

From: Stone, AnnMarie
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 5:41 PM
To: Satorius, Mark; Pederson, Cynthia; Reynolds, Steven; West, Steven; Giessner, John; Shear, Gary
Cc: Daley, Robert
Subject: Palisades previous CDBI results

Mark,

I had 2 follow-up actions from today's meeting. The first deals with NFPA 805 schedule – I'll have that information for you Monday morning. The second concerned the previous CDBI....which was conducted in November-December 2008. Two findings with violations were identified for the (1) failure to account for worst case design loading for the emergency diesel generator during design basis loss-of-coolant-accident and loss-of-offsite-power conditions and (2) failure to incorporate the appropriate emergency diesel generator load profile when calculating the emergency diesel generator fuel oil consumption. We have identified similar violations at other sites. There was one Unresolved Item involving the use of non-safety-related atmospheric dump valves in a steam generator tube rupture accident – later resolved to being acceptable through the TIA process.

Ann Marie

From: FCW Daily
To: Cheok, Michael
Subject: Another try to head off shutdown | Japan quake spawns online scams
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 9:15:08 AM

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Congress tries again to prevent government shutdown

House Republicans today introduced a second short-term funding extension to prevent a government shutdown while lawmakers continue to negotiate a plan to keep the government operating for fiscal year

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From:	Haney, Catherine
To:	Walker, Dwight
Subject:	FW: "Final" DEDO Presentation
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 9:18:00 AM
Attachments:	SFST DEDO 20110309.ppt

Print attachment

From: Sampson, Michele
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 11:45 AM
To: Haney, Catherine; Weaver, Doug; Ordaz, Vonna
Subject: FW: "Final" DEDO Presentation

Attached are the revised slides for the DEDO presentation. I will also provide a hard copy.

Thank you,
Michele Sampson

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Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards
Spent Fuel Storage and Transportation Division
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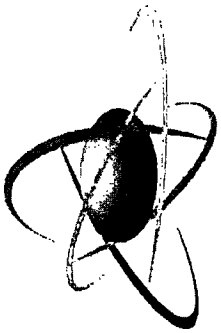
From: Chen, Yen-Ju
Sent: Wednesday, March 09, 2011 10:19 AM
To: Bajwa, Chris; BowdenBerry, Elva; Garner, Douglas; Horn, Merri; Huang, Daniel; Pearson, Jim; Sampson, Michele; Wharton, Raynard; Wheatley, Wanda
Subject: "Final" DEDO Presentation



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- Wanda Wheatley (NMSS/SFST)
- Yen-Ju Chen (OEDO/CIPP) – Black Belt

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Meeting Agenda

- Project Charter
- Information Collection
- Root Causes
- Team Recommendations & Other Improvement Efforts

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Project Charter

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Information Collection

- Constructed as-is process flow diagram
- Collected milestone information for 16 completed caseworks
  - Applications received between April 2005 and September 2009, completed SER between October 2006 and April 2010
  - Some milestones are not tracked
- Gathered relevant documents for two cases
  - Examined the practice of submitting "Supplemental Information"

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Root Cause Theme & Prioritization*

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Solution Generation

- Focus group meetings with SFST staff
- Evaluation criteria:
  - Timeliness
  - Quality of products
  - Resource needs

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Quick Wins

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Recommendations (Short-Term: < 6 Months)

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Recommendations (Short-Term: < 6 Months)

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Recommendations
(Mid-Term: 6 - 12 Months)

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Recommendations (Mid-Term: 6-12 Months)

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Recommendations (Long-Term: > 12 Months)

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Other Considerations

- Suggestions & good practices
- Integrating with other improvement efforts within the division and office
- Coordination with other offices and regions
- National policy and agency's approach on spent fuel management

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Background Information

- All project related documents are in NRC Knowledge Center: http://nrcknowledgecenter.nrc.gov/CommunityBrowser.aspx?id=14036&lang=en-US
- Also linked from SFST Program Review SharePoint Site: http://portal.nrc.gov/edo/nmss/sfst/programreview/default.aspx

Satorius, Mark

From:	Pederson, Cynthia
Sent:	Friday, March 11, 2011 9:20 AM
To:	Buckley, Patricia; Tomczak, Tammy; Boland, Anne; Louden, Patrick
Cc:	Satorius, Mark
Subject:	Fw: Action: Materials and Waste Annual Performance Report Concurrence by 3/24/2011
Attachments:	FY10 Materials Annual Report_ML1106801221.docx; FY10 Materials Annual Report_Enclosure 1_ML1106801310.docx; FY10 Materials Annual Report_Enclosure 2 _ML1106801370.docx; FY10 Materials Annual Report_Enclosure 3_ML1106801420.pdf; FY10 Materials Annual Report_Enclosure 4_ML1106801510.docx; FY10 Materials Annual Report_Enclosure 5_ML1106801590.docx
Importance:	High

Please assign an edats to dnms. Thanks
(sent from Blackberry device)

From: White, Duane
To: Camper, Larry; Haney, Catherine; Dean, Bill; McCree, Victor; Satorius, Mark; Collins, Elmo; Wiggins, Jim; McCrary, Cheryl; Zimmerman, Roy; Scott, Catherine
Cc: Campbell, Andy; Dapas, Marc; Dorman, Dan; Howell, Art; Krupnick, David; Lew, David; Moore, Scott; Pederson, Cynthia; Boland, Anne; Campbell, Andy; Caniano, Roy; Correia, Richard; Gody, Tony; Kinneman, John; Krupnick, David; Lewis, Robert; Lorson, Raymond; Safford, Carrie; Tschiltz, Michael; Louden, Patrick; Luehman, James; Cai, June; McIntosh, Angela; Layton, Michael; Evans, Michele; Doolittle, Elizabeth; Diec, David; Hilton, Nick; Matakas, Gina; Miles, Patricia; Buckley, Patricia; Owen, Lucy; Walker, Dwight; Salus, Amy; Riddick, Nicole
Sent: Fri Mar 11 08:55:14 2011
Subject: Action: Materials and Waste Annual Performance Report Concurrence by 3/24/2011

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Satorius, Mark

From: Pederson, Cynthia
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:21 AM
To: Satorius, Mark
Subject: Re: Action: Materials and Waste Annual Performance Report Concurrence by 3/24/2011

We just did same thing. I should have yelled across the plane to check
(sent from Blackberry device)

From: Satorius, Mark
To: Buckley, Patricia; Pederson, Cynthia; Boland, Anne; Louden, Patrick; Reynolds, Steven; OBrien, Kenneth; West, Steven; Shear, Gary; Holt, BJ; Sotiropoulos, Dina
Sent: Fri Mar 11 10:19:09 2011
Subject: Fw: Action: Materials and Waste Annual Performance Report Concurrence by 3/24/2011

Ait/edats to dnms to reveiw and develope comments and recommendation for regional concurrence. Due march 23.
Mark Satorius

From: White, Duane
To: Camper, Larry; Haney, Catherine; Dean, Bill; McCree, Victor; Satorius, Mark; Collins, Elmo; Wiggins, Jim; McCrary, Cheryl; Zimmerman, Roy; Scott, Catherine
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Satorius, Mark

From: Satorius, Mark
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:23 AM
To: Pederson, Cynthia
Cc: Buckley, Patricia
Subject: Fw: LPP Extension

For cindy Fyi

For Pat - hello, landed earley at Ohare. Pls put this date on the calendar. My pretty much done already on this.
Mark Satorius

From: Chin, Allison
To: Burns, Stephen; Dyer, Jim; Doane, Margaret; Virgilio, Martin; Weber, Michael; Ash, Darren; Greene, Kathryn; Boyce, Thomas (OIS); Wiggins, Jim; Johnson, Michael; Leeds, Eric; Haney, Catherine; Miller, Charles; Sheron, Brian; Dean, Bill; McCree, Victor; Satorius, Mark; Collins, Elmo
Cc: Cohen, Miriam; Gallagher, Johanna; Johns, Nancy; Tallarico, Alison
Sent: Fri Mar 11 10:10:30 2011
Subject: LPP Extension

Hello All:

The deadline for reviewing your LPP packages and turning in your quartile rankings and vote sheets has been extended to April 8, 2011.

The expanded ERB meeting will take place on April 22, 2011.

Thanks,

ALLISON CHIN, HR SPECIALIST
REACTOR PROGRAM SUPPORT BRANCH, OHR
[PHONE] **301-415-2944**
[FAX] **301-415-3818**
[MAIL STOP] **O3-E17A**
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From: Yee, Linda
To: Boger, Bruce
Subject: Out of Office: DDRSP
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 9:33:36 AM

I will be at the PDC for training Monday, March 14, 2011 through Wednesday, March 16, 2011. I will be checking e-mail and responding periodically.

If you need immediate assitance regarding DRA and DCI contract-related issues, please contact Rick Daniel at Richard.Daniel@nrc.gov. For DLR contract-related isues, please contract Brandon Cherry at Brandon.Cherry@nrc.gov.

Thank you,

Linda

Linda Yee
Technical Assistant Project Manager
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Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
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Bozin, Sunny

From: Herr, Linda
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 9:35 AM
To: Ostendorff, William
Cc: Nieh, Ho
Subject: FW: NRC Lunch on March 10th
Attachments: 10742963.gif; 10640436.gif

Sir:
Email I rec'd thru SECY this morning from Mr. Michel Maschi, EDF for the Thursday, March 10th hosted lunch.
Linda

From: CMROSTENDORFF Resource
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 9:08 AM
To: Herr, Linda
Subject: FW: NRC Lunch on March 10th

From: Michel MASCHI (b)(6)
Sent: Saturday, March 12, 2011 6:08 PM
To: CMROSTENDORFF Resource
Subject: NRC Lunch on March 10th

Dear Commissioner Ostendorf ,

I would like to thank you for your kind invitation
It was a great pleasure to attend to the lunch at the NRC on March 10 th and I appreciate really the very open conversation you had
if you come back to France or want to know more about EDF activities, I will be pleased to provide you any help you may need.

Best regards

Michel Maschi

Michel MASCHI
VP Nuclear
EDF Inc.
(b)(6)

Think Green – Please do not print this email unless you really need to.

From: Brach, Bill
To: Hackett, Edwin; Ruland, William; Mamish, Nader; (b)(6)
Subject: FW: Sad News - Memorial Service for Allen Hansen
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 9:35:43 AM

Passing along the note with very sad news from Mike Waters. The note below does not identify the cause of Allen's death.

Bill

From: Waters, Michael
Sent: Sunday, March 13, 2011 9:09 PM
To: Brach, Bill; Campbell, Larry
Subject: Sad News - Memorial Service for Allen Hansen

FYI – Chris and I will arrange for a card and announcement to the Division

From: Bajwa, Chris
Sent: Saturday, March 12, 2011 4:18 PM
To: Waters, Michael
Cc: Easton, Earl
Subject: FW: Memorial Service for Allen Hansen

FYI

From: (b)(6)
Sent: Saturday, March 12, 2011 10:18 AM
To: Allen & Jeanie Hansen
Subject: Memorial Service for Allen Hansen

Arrangements for Allen Hansen

Visitation with Family and Friends

Friday, March 18, 6-8 PM

Location:
Church of Christ at Manor Woods
5300 Norbeck Road
Rockville, MD 20853

Soft drinks will be provided.

Memorial Service

Saturday, March 19, 12 Noon

Location:
Church of Christ at Manor Woods
5300 Norbeck Road
Rockville, MD 20853

Lunch Reception following Memorial Service

Location:

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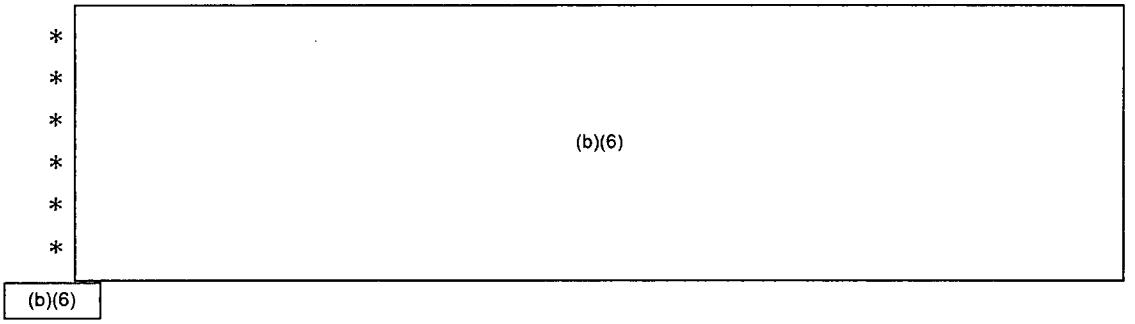
Directions to Church of Christ at Manor Woods from Beltway

* From I-495
* Take I-270 N go 2.0 mi
* Take Right fork onto I-270 LOCAL N toward MONTROSE RD - go 0.3 mi
* Take exit #4A/MONTROSE RD EAST/TOWER OAKS BLVD toward TOWER OAKS BLVD - go 0.4 mi
* Turn Left on TOWER OAKS BLVD - go 0.7 mi
* Turn Right on WOOTTON PKY - go 1.3 mi
* Continue on 1ST ST - go 0.7 mi
* Continue on NORBECK RD(MD-28 E) - go 1.5 mi
* Pass Bauer Drive
* Arrive at 5300 NORBECK RD, ROCKVILLE, MD 20853 on the Right

Directions from Church of Christ at Manor Woods to Reception (Home of (b)(6))

* (b)(6)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Satorius, Mark

From: Boland, Anne
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:37 AM
To: Pederson, Cynthia; Louden, Patrick
Cc: Satorius, Mark
Subject: RE: EN46665 Notification of Potential Abnormal Occurrence

We are sending an inspector on Tuesday of next week to follow-up.

From: Pederson, Cynthia
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:24 AM
To: Boland, Anne; Louden, Patrick
Cc: Satorius, Mark
Subject: Fw: EN46665 Notification of Potential Abnormal Occurrence

What are we doing in response to this event?
(sent from Blackberry device)

From: Moore, Scott
To: Miller, Charles; Weber, Michael
Cc: Pederson, Cynthia; Boland, Anne; Louden, Patrick; Lewis, Robert
Sent: Fri Mar 11 09:55:00 2011
Subject: FW: EN46665 Notification of Potential Abnormal Occurrence

FYI. Mike, Kathryn was cc'd on below.

From: McIntosh, Angela
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:40 AM
To: McIntyre, David; Decker, David; Tomon, John
Cc: Luehman, James; Bush-Goddard, Stephanie; Deegan, George; Lewis, Robert; Moore, Scott; Cai, June; Brock, Kathryn; Lynch, James; Holiday, Sophie
Subject: EN46665 Notification of Potential Abnormal Occurrence

Event Notification (EN) 46665 provides a report of an administered absorbed dose of 159 Gy (20,000 rad) to the left lobe of the liver. The licensee was mistaken in its calculations and administered the 159 Gy dose when a 74 Gy (7,000 rad) dose was intended. This erroneous dose was given during treatment of liver cancer using Y-90 microspheres. The licensee has concluded that the elevated dose to the patient's liver will not result in permanent medical damage or loss of function. The Office of Federal and State Materials and Environmental Management Programs (FSME) has reviewed EN46665 and determined the event meets the criteria for reporting as a potential abnormal occurrence (AO).

Agency policy, as articulated in the Office of Research Communication Plan, requires that program offices promptly notify the OCA and OPA (as well as internal stakeholders) of the existence of potential AOs. The OCA and OPA will inform Congress and the public, as necessary and appropriate. Therefore, EN46665 (attached) is being submitted to the Office of Public Affairs; the Office of Congressional Affairs; and the Office of the Executive Director for Operations; in accordance with said policy.

Disclaimer: "This report contains all the available information relevant to the event. No further information is available at this time. Further investigation is being carried out by the reporting entity and any further information germane to this event will be provided when it becomes available."

Please let me know if you have any questions. Thank you.

Angela R. McIntosh
Office of Federal and State Materials
and Environmental Management Programs
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Satorius, Mark

From: Satorius, Mark
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 9:37 AM
To: Pederson, Cynthia; Reynolds, Steven; 'kenneth@ob'
Subject: Fw: NSIR/DPR Newsletter for Internal Distribution
Attachments: 2011.VolIII.Issue2.EPRNews.pdf

DRS - pls distr as you see fit.
Mark Satorius

From: Mroz (Sahm), Sara
To: Ash, Darren; Bell, Hubert; Borchardt, Bill; Boyce, Thomas (OIS); Brenner, Eliot; Burns, Stephen; Collins, Elmo; Dean, Bill; Doane, Margaret; Dyer, Jim; Greene, Kathryn; Haney, Catherine; Howard, Patrick; Johnson, Michael; Kelley, Corenthis; Landau, Mindy; Leeds, Eric; Mallett, Bruce <Bruce.Mallett@nrc.gov>; Mamish, Nader; McCrary, Cheryl; McDermott, Brian; Miller, Charles; Reyes, Luis; Satorius, Mark; Schmidt, Rebecca; Sheron, Brian; Vietti-Cook, Annette; Virgilio, Martin; Weber, Michael; Wiggins, Jim; Zimmerman, Roy
Cc: McDermott, Brian; Miller, Chris; Thaggard, Mark; Anderson, Joseph; Williams, Kevin; Kahler, Robert; Morris, Scott; Evans, Michele; Kahler, Carolyn; Bower, Anthony; Barker, Allan; Logaras, Harral; Maier, Bill; McNamara, Nancy; Tifft, Doug; Trojanowski, Robert; Woodruff, Gena
Sent: Fri Mar 11 10:14:48 2011
Subject: NSIR/DPR Newsletter for Internal Distribution

Attached, for your information, please see the March 2011 issue of NSIR/DPR's "Emergency Preparedness & Response News". At this time, it is for internal distribution only. Please do not forward to external stakeholders.

This issue of the newsletter will be sent to external stakeholders on Monday, March 21st.

Please contact me or Tony Bowers (301-415-5313, Anthony.bower@nrc.gov) with any questions.
-Sara

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Office of Nuclear Security and Incident Response
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Please consider the environment before printing this email.

From: Reilly, Breeda
To: Rodgers, Mary; Smith, James
Cc: Doolittle, Elizabeth; FCSS Document Processing Resource; RidsEdoMailCenter Resource; Frazier, Alan; Haney, Catherine; Dorman, Dan
Subject: RE: G20110078--Briefing Pkg: Idaho Nat Lab on 3/18/11
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 9:48:00 AM

Hi Mary,

Yes, this ticket is complete. I forgot to send a closing email on Friday.

The briefing book has ADAMS Accession number ML11040522. Print copies of the briefing book were dropped off to Alan Frazier (OEDO) on Friday (3/11/11) afternoon.

This email closes G20110078 (completed 3/11/11).

Thanks,

Breeda

From: Rodgers, Mary
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 9:40 AM
To: Smith, James; Reilly, Breeda
Subject: G20110078--Briefing Pkg: Idaho Nat Lab on 3/18/11

Due: 3/11/11

Is this complete?

Mary L. Rodgers
FOIA/Records Manager Analyst
(301) 492-3246

Satorius, Mark

From: Simonian, Niry
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 9:51 AM
To: BowdenBerry, Elva; Brady, Denis; Broaddus, Doug; Brown, Frederick; Buchanan, James; Byre, Everett; Cain, Chuck; Cardenas, Daniel; Caron, Dana; Chamberlain, Dwight; Cherubini, John; Christensen, Harold; Clark, Jefferson; Collins, Chiquita; Cornelius, David; Dimitriadis, Anthony; Dodmead, James; Eads, Johnny; Egan, Nathan; Everhart, Dave; Frazier, Cassandra; Funk, Don; Furst, David; Gaines, Anthony; Garner, Douglas; Giantelli, Adelaide; Graham, Jay; Grigsby, Carl; Hall, Ivan; Hansen, Gregory; Heisserer, Jamie; Holman, David; Huyck, Doug; Johnson, Clay; Johnson, Dante; Katanic, Janine; Kinneman, John; Klukan, Brett; Larsen, James; Lawver, Dale; Letourneau, Andrew; McMurtray, Anthony; Parker, George; Peduzzi, Francis; Purdy, Gary; Rayland, Andrew; Richardson, Alonzo; Riffle, Deani; Rodgers, Felecia; Rollins, Jesse; Roundtree, Amy; Shehee, James; Shropshire, Alan; Skokowski, Richard; Smith, George; Sullivan, Frederick; Tardiff, Al; Tornow, John; Trapp, James; True, Andrea; Wallo, Jon; Warren, Geoffrey; West, Garmon; Westreich, Barry; Wray, Barry; Yip, Brian; Albert, Ronald; Ashley, MaryAnn; Barry, Terrence; Bazian, Samuel; Berry, Joshua; Boggi, Michael; Bream, Jeffrey; Brooks, Kenneth; Brooks, Maury; Buckley, Michael; Bukharin, Oleg; Caldwell, Robert; Calloway, Joyce; Campbell, Vivian; Cheok, Michael; Coker, Shyrl; Costa, Richard; Costello, Ralph; Coughlin, Patrick; Craffey, Ryan; Davis, Ken; Dexter, Robert; Diaz, Jose; Eck, Timothy; Ernstes, Michael; Felts, Russell; Fields, Leslie; Frechette, Paul; Gibson, Raymond; Harris, Larry; Harris, Paul; Harris, Tim; Haverkamp, Trisha; Hilton, Nick; Isaac, Patrick; Johnson, Judy; Joustra, Judith; Kellar, Ray; Kennedy, Silas; Kohen, Marshall; Kutlesa, Jure; Lee, Pete; Leonardi, Richard; Maley, Michael; Maynen, Joseph; Miller, Marie; Modes, Kathy; Nease, Rebecca; Negrete, Philip; Petrucelli, Richard; Prescott, Peter; Resner, Mark; Rockhill, Rupert; Romano, Michelle; Satorius, Mark; Schnetzler, Bonnie; Shaffer, Mark; Shannon, Michael; Shea, Joseph; Simonian, Niry; Smith, Otis; Smith, Will; Wastler, Sandra; Way, Ralph; Wert, Leonard; Williams, Vince; Willis, Joseph; Hausman, Cheryl; Hennessey, Timothy; Jackson, Karen; Jackson, Willie; King, Michael; Kirby, Janice; McPherson, Tarsha; Picciotto, Colleen; Pierluissi, Dorothy; Rodriguez, Jaime; Stransky, Robert
Subject: CANCELED: Security Issues Forum - March 16, 2011

The Security Issues Forum scheduled for Wednesday, March 16, 2011, has been canceled. The next SIF will be held on:

Date: Wednesday, March 23, 2011
Time: 14:00 until 16:00 (Eastern Time)
Location: TWFN, Operations Center, ET Room
Medium: Secure Video Tele-Conference (S-VTC)

From: Kokajko, Lawrence
To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: FW: RESPONSE: BRC information
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 9:57:46 AM
Attachments: BRC 110203 - Alt.ppt
Importance: High

Per our discussion this morning, I had Britt provide a more exhaustive response to your initial inquiry. Note the Hamilton briefing is scheduled for March 28 at the Navy Yard.

From: Hill, Brittain
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 9:54 AM
To: Kokajko, Lawrence
Subject: RESPONSE: BRC information
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Lawrence – NRC was requested to provide a classified briefing for Rep. Lee Hamilton on 3/28 down at Navy Yard. Rep. Hamilton was unable to participate in the 2/3/ briefing we gave to cleared BRC and staff. He is requesting a condensed version of our original 2-hr briefing (about 1/2).

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A copy of the 2/3 slides is attached – info is ~~OUO~~ only.

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Safety and Security of Spent Nuclear Fuel

Presentation to the Blue Ribbon Commission on America's Nuclear Future

February 3, 2011

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Agenda

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  - Phil Brochman
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  - Dan Dorman

Security Statement

- Discussion of certain security scenarios and associated consequences involves classified information up to Secret (National Security Information)
- Details of protective measures involve Safeguards Information
- The briefing materials provided are unclassified and include controlled information designated as Official Use Only

Background

- NRC Mission
- Post-9/11 security enhancements
- Framework for security regulations
  - Threat Assessment
  - Security Assessment
  - Regulatory Requirements
- Evaluation of new information

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Spent Fuel Pool Safety and Security

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Spent Fuel Pool Safety and Security

- NRC has carefully reviewed the safety of spent fuel stored in pools due primarily to the risk associated with low probability natural events (e.g., earthquakes) which may result in draining of the pools water inventory, thereby leading to fuel uncovery, heat-up of the fuel and the release of volatile radionuclides.

Spent Fuel Pool Safety and Security

- Past work has shown that the risk is very low, due to the unlikelihood of such an event damaging the thick reinforced pool walls. The consequences, however, may be large due to the potential for heatup of all the fuel in the pool (which may represent 4-5 cores inventory of offloaded fuel).

  - Heatup of the fuel in the pool is achieved/assisted by "zirconium fire" initiation and propagation

  - Large inventory of Cs-137

Spent Fuel Pool Safety and Security

- Following 9/11 terrorist attack, NRC began extensive reexamination of pool safety and security

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Spent Fuel Pool Safety and Security

- Improved analytical methods (MELCOR code) applied to spent fuel pool analysis led to the identification of improved fuel configurations with hotter fuel (higher decay heat) dispersed among older, lower decay heat fuel.
  - Provides significantly improved (passive) coolability for fuel

- Dispersal of hotter fuel became a requirement for all plants as a result of Commission directive. Other measures such as water makeup were also required.

Spent Fuel Pool Safety and Security

- Later, additional analyses were performed to address benefits of a spray system for spent fuel cooling. Spray capability was then required for each site, the ability to deliver minimum of 200 gpm.
  - Provides improved active cooling capability.

- Site specific assessments were required of each licensee and NRC conducted inspections at each site to address vulnerability and mitigation measures.

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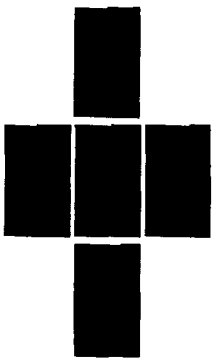

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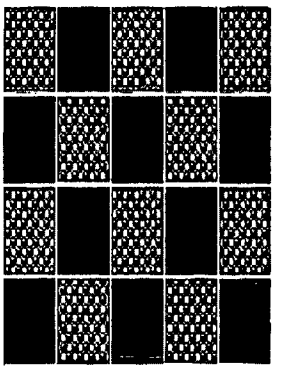

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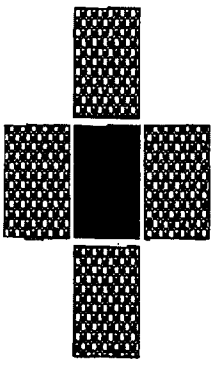

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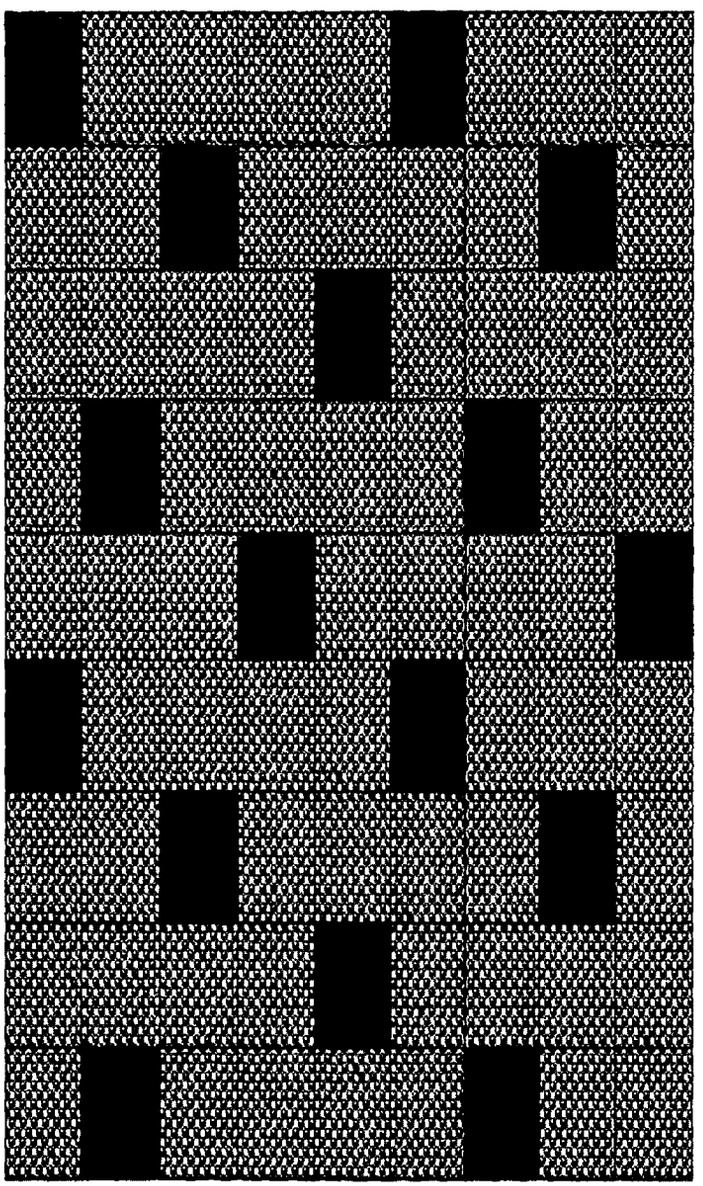
Improved Fuel Configuration



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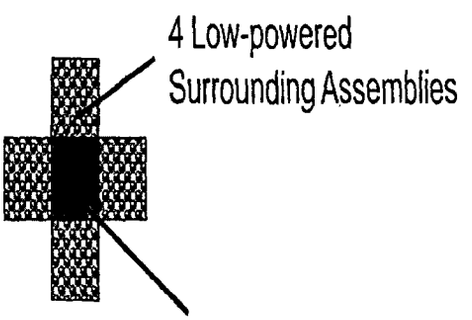

1x4 Spacing

Spent Fuel Pool Safety and Security

- Subsequent work was also done at Sandia National Laboratories to address validation of MELCOR spent fuel modeling. Testing of prototypic BWR assembly was conducted.
  - Confirmation of modeling of natural circulation, flow resistance and thermal response.
  - Confirmation of oxidation kinetics modeling and validation of prediction of zirconium fire initiation and propagation.

Spent Fuel Pool Safety and Security

- Currently experimental work is underway to confirm counterpart PWR modeling (Cooperative international program under OECD/CSNI)
  - Investigation of natural circulation and flow resistance modeling using full scale prototypic PWR Westinghouse assembly.
  - Testing of Zr fire conditions now underway.

Conclusions

- Spent fuel pools are robust and inherently resistant to security threats
- Spent fuel pools at all U.S. reactor sites have been assessed
- Additional mitigative measures have been implemented
  - Including active and passive measures
- These measures were incorporated in the regulations in 2009
- Follow-on research using prototypic fuel assemblies/rack cells is addressing the adequacy of phenomenological modeling

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Post-9/11 Security Assessments – Spent Fuel Dry Storage and Transportation

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Background

- Top-to-bottom review of NRC-licensed activities
- "Big picture" review to guide agency response to threats via security orders
- Follow-up security orders by rulemaking process
- Single security assessment methodology for all licensed activities, excluding nuclear power plants

Historical Perspective

- NRC has long considered dry spent fuel storage systems as massive structures that are extremely robust and resistant to a range of both safety-based and security-based events
- In a 1995 final rule on emergency planning for independent spent fuel storage installations (ISFSIs), the Commission indicated that potential worst case dose consequences to a member of the public from all events was very low

Historical Perspective (cont.)

Scenarios	Low Results*	High Results
Safety and security events	1×10^{-6} rem	1×10^{-4} rem

* This range of consequences reflects doses to the total body, skin, thyroid, and lung

Spent Fuel Dry Storage and Transport Security Assessments

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Attractiveness Ranking Matrix

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Framework Decision Matrix

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Consequence Methodology

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Consequence Results

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Conclusions

- Commission concluded that immediate action was not warranted to change the security level that defines adequate protection
- Robust design features ensure spent fuel casks are safe and secure
- Post-9/11 security orders remained necessary and sufficient

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ISFSI and Transportation Security Rulemaking and Additional Studies

Phil Brochman

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Next Steps

- **Commission directed NRC staff to proceed to rulemaking to modify the regulatory framework for security of ISFSIs**
  - **Make generically applicable the security measures in the post-9/11 orders**
  - **Potentially include consideration of security scenarios not previously captured in our historical regulatory perspective.**

ISFSI Security Rulemaking - Status

- **Significant comments received from stakeholders opposing key approaches in the draft regulatory basis**
  - **Preferred DBT approach over dose calculation approach**
  - **Preferred use of higher dose limits for security events**

- **Commission has directed the staff to engage stakeholders further on -**
  - **ISFSI threat and vulnerability information**
  - **Draft ISFSI adversary characteristics**
  - **Staff responses to comments on the draft regulatory basis**

Rulemaking - Status (cont.)

- Commission directed the staff to submit a supplemental paper later this year
  - Assess stakeholder comments on the draft regulatory basis
  - Assess feedback from engagement with stakeholders
  - Discuss whether any changes in direction are appropriate and necessary

Spent Fuel Transportation Security Rulemaking

- Proposed rule comment period was just extended

- The proposed rule will make generically applicable requirements from the post-9/11 SNF transportation security orders
  - Increased physical security measures
  - Increased personnel security/background check measures

- The rule is not adding any significant new measures beyond the existing orders.

Consequence Studies

- **Ongoing - NRC staff is working with a National Lab to evaluate potential impacts from releases from spent fuel dry storage systems (dose vs. distance calculations)**
  - **Not a phenomenological-specific approach**
  - **Will assist in evaluating need for future studies**

- **Intermediate term – further studies under consideration for specific security events with the potential to transport respirable radionuclides offsite**

Consequence Studies (cont.)

- Long term - additional security consequence studies
  - Informed by input from DTRA on potential beyond DBT events (i.e. beyond current ISFSI adversary characteristics)
  - Forward-looking approach to address potential step changes to the threat environment
  - Not tied to the ongoing ISFSI security rulemaking

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Concluding Remarks

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NAS Study on Storage

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- **Measures to reduce consequences**
- **Plant-specific assessments**
- **Information sharing**

NAS Study on Transportation

- No fundamental technical barriers to safe transport
  - Social and institutional challenges
- Independent examination of security
- Very long duration fires
- Strongly endorsed full-scale testing of package performance
- State and Tribal outreach
- Various recommendations to DOE and DOT

Questions?

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Satorius, Mark

From: Satorius, Mark
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To: Buckley, Patricia
Subject: RE: RIC Travel Amendment

Don't come in – work it when you come back (b)(6)

From: Buckley, Patricia
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:24 PM
To: Satorius, Mark
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Mark –

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I can come in out Monday, March 14, 2011 to complete if you like.

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Thanks!

Pat

Satorius, Mark

From: Buckley, Patricia
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:25 AM
To: Satorius, Mark
Subject: Out of Office: RIC Travel Amendment

Hi,

I'm away from the office, and will return on Tuesday, March 22, 2011. Please contact Tammy Tomczak at 630/829-9658 if you require immediate assistance.

Pat

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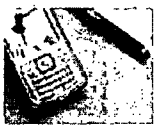

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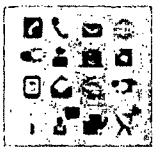

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From: Titus, Brett
To: Golla, Joe
Subject: RE: Action Required (Reminder) Pandemic Response Plan Quarterly Update
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:42:18 AM

Nope. Deputy Director and Branch Chiefs are all the same guys and in the same order.

Brett Titus
301-415-3075

From: Golla, Joe
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:33 AM
To: Titus, Brett
Subject: RE: Action Required (Reminder) Pandemic Response Plan Quarterly Update

No changes in Appendix E Brett?

From: Titus, Brett
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:24 AM
To: Golla, Joe
Cc: Balarabe, Sarah
Subject: RE: Action Required (Reminder) Pandemic Response Plan Quarterly Update

Joe,

The attached file shows the mark-ups for DSS.

We consider the action associated with YT020080243 complete for this quarter of FY2011.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,

Brett Titus
301-415-3075

From: Golla, Joe
Sent: Tuesday, March 01, 2011 10:02 AM
To: Cartwright, William; Susco, Jeremy; Cusumano, Victor; Sapp, Lynne; Valentine, Nicholee; Heida, Bruce; Titus, Brett; Roquecruz, Carla; Perch, Libby; Wertz, Trent
Subject: Action Required (Reminder) Pandemic Response Plan Quarterly Update

All,

This is a reminder that quarterly updates to Appendix B (Staffing Plan) and Appendix E (Order of Succession) of NRR's Pandemic Response Plan are due March 15, 2011. This ongoing action is required by NRR Yellow Ticket No. 020080250 (ML083400273).

Please let me know ASAP if you are no longer serving as the pandemic contact for your division, and who that currently is if you know the name of that individual.

Please e-mail me your updates. Please show revisions (i.e., track changes) from the current version, which is attached, and not an older version. To activate the track changes features in Microsoft Word 2007, perform the following:

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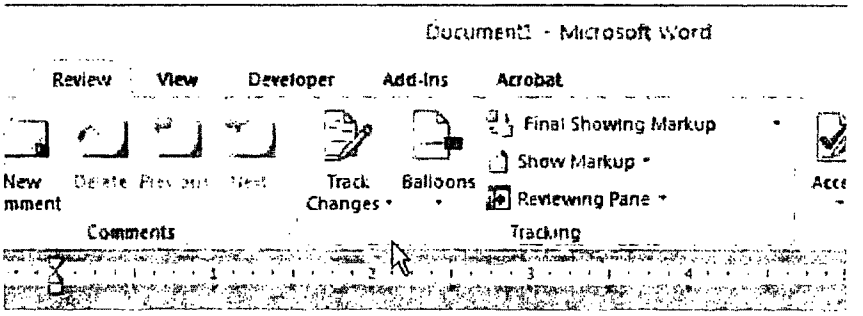

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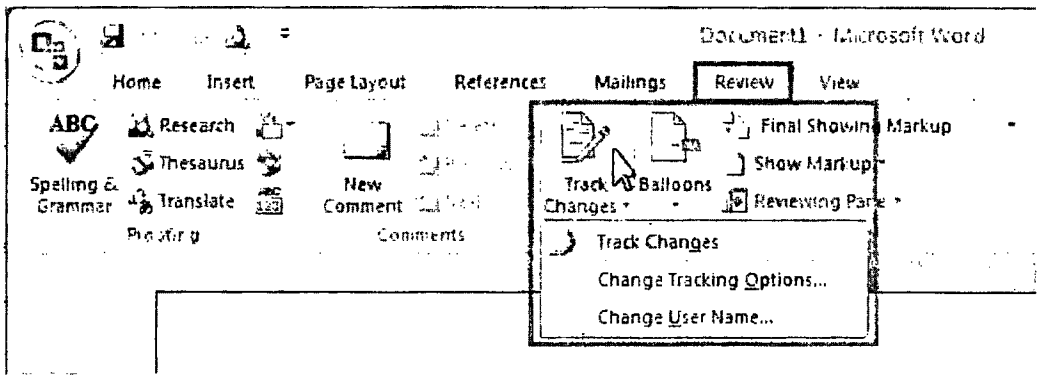

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The current version (attached) incorporates the updates received from you previously. Updates of Appendices B and E use the same ML number as previous versions because we incorporate the updates received from you into a word file of ML081210312 and have the ML number re-declared using that updated file.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. Thank you.

Joe Golla, Project Manager
US Nuclear Regulatory Commission
NRR/DPR/PLPB
301-415-1002

Appendix B Staffing Plans

Primary Staffing Plan for DSS

Branch	Job Tasks/Specialty	Staff Member
DSS/SRXB	Emergency Core Cooling System	Samuel Miranda ~~Summer Sun~~Benjamin Parks ~~Benjamin Parks~~ Summer Sun
DSS/SNPB	Thermal-Hydraulics	Leonard Ward Yuri Orechwa Anthony Attard
DSS/SNPB	Core Physics/Fuels	Paul Clifford Anthony Attard Mathew Panicker
DSS/SNPB	Computer Codes/Modeling	Leonard Ward Joshua Kaizer Mathew Panicker
DSS/SBPB	Spent Fuel Storage	Steve Jones Gerald Purciarello Edward Smith
DSS/SBPB	Flooding/Tornadoes	Edward Smith Steve Jones Stanley Gardocki
DSS/SCVB	Containment	Richard Lobel Ahsan Sallman Brian Lee
DSS/SCVB	Ventilation	Harold Walker Jerome Bettle Janak Raval
DSS/SBPB	Heavy Loads/Cranes	Steve Jones Gerald Purciarello Edward Smith
DSS/SBPB	Balance of Plant Systems	Greg Casto Steve Jones Stanley Gardocki Gerald Purciarello Edward Smith
DSS/SSIB	ECCs Sump Strainer Performance	Stewart Bailey ~~Ralph Architzel~~ Steve Smith ~~Steve Smith~~Ralph Architzel John Lehning

Primary Staffing Plan for DRA

Branch	Job Tasks/Specialty	Staff Member
DRA/AADB	Licensing: Radiological Accident Dose Assessment	John Parillo
DRA/AADB	Licensing: Radiological Accident Dose Assessment	Mark Blumberg
DRA/AADB	Licensing: Meteorological Assessment	Leta Brown
DRA/AFPB	Licensing: Licensing Actions Technical Analysis/Fire Protection	Daniel Frumkin
DRA/APLA	Licensing: Risk Analysis/Fire Protection	Ray Gallucci
DRA/AFPB	Licensing: Requests from Department of Navy/Fire Protection	Paul Lain
DRA/AFPB	Enforcement: Technical Reviews/Fire Protection	Alex Klein
DRA/AFPB	Inspection: Inspection/Fire Protection	Harold Barrett
DRA/APLA	Assurance of Safety while Responding to Licensee Exemption, Alternatives, and Relief Requests: Risk Assessment	Stephen Dinsmore Andrew Howe
DRA/APLA	Imposition of Added Requirements To Ensure Safety and Security: Risk Assessment	Stephen Dinsmore Ray Gallucci
DRA/APLA & APOB	Issuance of Enforcement Discretion for Temporary Exemptions from Regulations: Risk Assessment	Jeff Circle See-Meng Wong Andrew Howe
DRA/APOB	Relief of License Conditions: Performance of Risk Assessments in Support of Notices of Enforcement Discretion (NOEDs)	Jeff Circle Jeffrey Mitman Antonios Zoulis
DRA/APOB	Evaluation of Emergent Events: Risk Assessments in Support of Management Directive (MD) 8.3 and Manual Chapter 0309 events	Jeff Circle Jeffrey Mitman Antonios Zoulis
DRA/APOB	Evaluation of Events and Conditions: Risk Assessments for Use in the Significance Determination Process (SDP)	Jeff Circle Jeffrey Mitman Antonios Zoulis

Primary Staffing Plan for DPR

Branch	Job Tasks/Specialty	Current Staff Member
DPR/PLPB	NOED Process Lead	Sheldon Stuchell Dave Beaulieu John Jolicoeur
DPR/PGCB	Generic Communication Project Lead	Tanya Mensah Andrea Russell Thomas Alexion Stacey Rosenberg
DPR/PLPB	Pandemic NRR PM	Joseph Golla Andrea Russell Thomas Alexion Sheldon Stuchell
DPR/PRLB	Research and Test Reactor (RTR) Licensing	Alexander Adams Jessie Quichocho William Kennedy
DPR/PRLB	RTR Security	Duane Hardesty Alexander Adams Elizabeth Reed
DPR/PRLB	Navy Services	Alexander Adams Duane Hardesty Jessie Quichocho
DPR/PROB	RTR Inspections	Patrick Isaac Craig Bassett Johnny Eads Gary Morlang

Primary Staffing Plan for DIRS

Branch	Job Tasks/Specialty	Current Staff Member
DIRS/ITSB	Licensing: Review of Emergent Technical Specification Change Amendments	Gerald Waig Carl Schulten Matthew Hamm Ravi Grover Kristy Bucholtz
DIRS/IRIB	Inspections: Review of Baseline Inspection Scope Changes	Jim Isom Aron Lewin Jeremy Bowen Donald Norkin Ross Telson
DIRS/IHPB	Licensing: Human Factors and Fatigue Rule (10 CFR Part 26, Subpart I)	Michael Boggi Kamishan Martin

Primary Staffing Plan for DCI

Branch	Job Tasks/Specialty	Current Staff Member
DCI DCI/CSGB	Steam Generators	Kenneth Karwoski Emmett Murphy
DCI DCI/CPNB DCI/CVIB	Reactor Coolant System (RCS) Leakage Monitoring	Kenneth Karwoski Keith Hoffman Matthew Mitchell
DCI/CPNB DCI	Leak Before Break	John Tsao Robert Hardies
DCI/CPNB DCI/CVIB DCI	Operational Leakage	Tim Lupold Matthew Mitchell Kenneth Karwoski
DCI/CSGB	Containment Sump Chemical Effects	Paul Klein Matthew Yoder
DCI/CSGB	Coatings	Matthew Yoder Emma Wong
DCI/CSGB	Chemical Engineering	Matthew Yoder Emma Wong
DCI/CPTB	Valves	John Huang John Billerbeck
DCI/CPTB	Diesel Generators	Robert Wolfgang Michael Farnan
DCI/CPTB	Pumps	Robert Wolfgang Gurjendra Bedi
DCI/CPNB DCI DCI/CVIB	Corrosion	Dave Alley Robert Hardies Ganesh Cheruvenki
DCI/CPNB DCI DCI/CVIB DCI/CVIB	Welding	Jay Collins Robert Hardies Edward Andruszkiewicz Ganesh Cheruvenki
DCI/CPNB	American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) Code Nondestructive Examination (NDE)	Donald Naujock Tim Lupold Carol Nove
DCI/CPNB DCI/CPNB DCI/CVIB DCI/CVIB	ASME Code Flaw Evaluation	John Tsao Keith Hoffman Simon Sheng Matthew Mitchell
DCI/CVIB DCI/CVIB DCI/CVIB DCI DCI/CVIB	Reactor Pressure Vessel Materials, Inspection, Surveillance, Internals	Thomas McLellan Carolyn Fairbanks Ganesh Cheruvenki Robert Hardies Matthew Mitchell

Primary Staffing Plan for DE

Branch	Job Tasks/Specialty	Staff Member
	Headquarters Incident Response Team	Patrick Hiland
DE/EEEB	Diesel Generators	Gurcharan Matharu Matthew McConnell Vijay Goel
DE/EEEB	Grid Reliability/ Stability	Kenn Miller Gurcharan Matharu
DE/EECB	Battery	Matthew McConnell Prem Sahay
DE/EECB	Environmental Qualification	Matthew McConnell Prem Sahay
DE/EMCB	Mechanical Engineering	Alexander Tsirigotis Chakrapani Basavaraju William Jessup
DE/EMCB	Structural Engineering	Farhad Farzam George Thomas
DE/EICB	Analog Instrumentation & Control Engineering	David Rahn Rich Stattel Stephen Wyman
DE/EICB	Digital Instrumentation & Control Engineering	Norbert Carte Gursharan Singh Bernard Dittman
DE/AT	Allegations	Lois James Joseph Petrosino Paul Prescott Robert Pettis
DE/EQVB	Quality Assurance	Paul Prescott Robert Pettis Jonathan Ortega
All Branches	Support Staff	All Branches

Staffing Plan for DORL

DORL will use backup PMs according to the DORL roster, available on the NRC webpage. If backup PMs are not available, DORL will choose the most accessible and logical person (i.e., a person with exposure to the affected plant, branch chief, or acting person according to the order of succession).

Branch	Staff Member (PMs)
LPL1-2	Bamford, Peter
LPL3-1	Beltz, Terry
LPL 3-2	Billoch, Araceli
LPL1-1	Boska, John
LPL2-1	Boyle, Patrick
LPL3-2	Brown, Eva
LPL3-1	Chawla, Mahesh
LPL2-1	Cotton, Karen
LPL3-2	David, Marshall
LPL3-2	DiFrancesco, Nicholas
LPL1-2	Ennis, Rick
LPL3-1	Feintuch, Karl
LPL4	Gibson, Lauren
LPL2-2	Gratton, Christopher
LPL1-1	Guzman, Richard
LPL4	Hall, Randy
LPL1-2	Hughey, John
LPL4	Kalyanam, Kaly
LPL1-1	Kim, James
WB	Lamb, John
LPL2-2	Lingam, Siva
WB	Lyon, Fred
LPL3-2	Mahoney, Michael
LPL2-1	Martin, Robert
WB	Milano, Pat
LPL1-2	Miller, Ed
LPL1-1	Morgan, Nadiyah
LPL2-2	Mozafari, Brenda
LPL3-2	Norton, Charles
LPL2-2	Orf, Tracy
LPL2-2	Paige, Jason
LPL1-1	Pickett, Douglas
LPL4	Polickoski, James
WB	Poole, Justin
WB	Raghavan, L.
LPL2-2	Saba, Farideh
LPL1-2	Sanders, Carleen
LPL4	Singal, Balwant
LPL2-1	Sreenivas, V.
LPL2-1	Stang, John
LPL3-1	Tam, Peter
LPL4	Thadani, Mohan
LPL2-1	Thompson, Jon
LPL1-1	Vaidya, Bhalchandra

LPL4	Wang, Alan
LPL3-1	Wengert, Thomas
WB	Wiebe, Joel
LPL4	Wilkins, Lynnea

Primary Staffing Plan for PMDA

Branch	Job Tasks/Specialty	Staff Member
CMB	Enterprise Support Function: Contracts	Marianne Narick Bernard Grenier Karyn Hannum Richard Daniel Tamara Williams
BFEB	Enterprise Support Function: Budget Execution	Hong Le Carolyn Nguyen Sylvia Valencia Gary Tharpe
BFEB	Enterprise Support Function: Budget Formulation	Hong Le Karenina Newell Arlette Howard
ISB	Enterprise Support Function: Time and Labor	T.J. Gorham Makeeka Compton Tasheena Burton
BFEB	Enterprise Support Function: Travel	Hong Le Cynthia Dorsey Sylvia Valencia
ISB	Enterprise Support Function: Records Management	T.J. Gorham Leslie Hill Sandra Walker Patti Craver
ITB	Enterprise Support Function: Computer System Support	Bryan Champion Indu Konduri Gayathri Sastry

Appendix E Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation Order of Succession

Position	Order of Succession	Currently Filled by
Director, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR)	1. Deputy Director for Reactor Safety Programs 2. Deputy Director for Engineering and Corporate Support 3. Director, Division of Operating Reactor Licensing (DORL) 4. Director, Division of Inspection and Regional Support (DIRS)	1. Bruce Boger 2. Jack Grobe 3. Joseph Giitter 4. Frederick Brown
Deputy Director for Reactor Safety Programs	1. Director, DORL 2. Director, DIRS 3. Director, Division of Policy and Rulemaking (DPR) 4. Director, Division of License Renewal (DLR)	1. Joseph Giitter 2. Frederick Brown 3. Timothy McGinty 4. Brian Holian
Deputy Director for Engineering and Corporate Support	1. Director, Division of Safety Systems (DSS) 2. Director, Division of Component Integrity (DCI) 3. Director, Division of Engineering (DE) 4. Director, Division of Risk Assessment (DRA)	1. William Ruland 2. Michele Evans 3. Patrick Hiland 4. Mark Cunningham
Director, DRA	1. Deputy Director, DRA 2. Deputy Director for Fire Protection, DRA 3. Branch Chief, Probabilistic Risk Assessment (PRA) Licensing Branch A (APLA) 4. Branch Chief, Fire Protection Branch (AFPB) 5. Branch Chief, PRA Operational Support and Maintenance (APOB) 6. Branch Chief, Accident Dose Branch (AADB)	1. Samson Lee 2. Sunil Weerakkody 3. Donnie Harrison 4. Alex Klein 5. Veronica Rodriguez 6. Travis Tate

Position	Order of Succession	Currently Filled by
Director, DSS	1. Deputy Director, DSS 2. Branch Chief, Containment and Ventilation Branch (SCVB) 3. Branch Chief, Reactor Systems Branch (SRXB) 4. Branch Chief, Nuclear Performance and Code Review Branch (SNPB) 5. Branch Chief, Balance of Plant Branch (SBPB) 6. Branch Chief, Safety Issue Resolution Branch (SSIB)	1. Sher Bahadur 2. Anthony Ulses 3. Robert Dennig 4. Anthony Mendiola 5. Greg Casto 6. Stewart Bailey
Director, DE	1. Deputy Director, DE 2. Branch Chief, Electrical Engineering Branch (EEEB) 3. Branch Chief, Mechanical and Civil Engineering Branch (EMCB) 4. Branch Chief, Instrumentation and Controls Branch (EICB) 5. Branch Chief, Quality and Vendor Branch (EQVB) 6. Team Lead, Allegations Team (AT)	1. David Skeen 2. George Wilson 3. Meena Khanna 4. David Rahn, Rich Stattel, Norbert Carte 5. Martin Murphy 6. Lois James
Director, DCI	1. Deputy Director, DCI 2. Branch Chief, Vessels and Internals Integrity Branch (CVIB) 3. Branch Chief, Steam Generator Tube Integrity and Chemical Engineering Branch (CSGB) 4. Branch Chief, Piping and Nondestructive Examination (NDE) Branch (CPNB) 5. Branch Chief, Component Performance and Testing Branch (CPTB)	1. John Lubinski 2. Matthew Mitchell 3. Robert Taylor 4. Tim Lupold 5. Anthony McMurtray
Director, DORL	1. Deputy Director, DORL 2. Deputy Director, DORL 3. Branch Chief, Plant Licensing Branch (LPL) 1-2 4. Branch Chief, LPL 4 5. Branch Chief, LPL 1-1	1. Robert Nelson 2. Allen Howe 3. Harold Chernoff 4. Michael Markley 5. Nancy Salgado
Director, DIRS	1. Deputy Director 2. Deputy Director 3. Branch Chief, Reactor Inspection Branch (IRIB) 4. Branch Chief, Operating Experience Branch (IOEB) 5. Branch Chief, Performance Assessment Branch (IPAB)	1. Frederick Brown 2. Michael Cheok 3. Timothy Kobetz 4. John Thorp 5. Rani Franovich

Position	Order of Succession	Currently Filled by
Director, DPR	1. Director, DPR 2. Deputy Directors, DPR 3. Deputy Directors, DPR 4. Branch Chief, Generic Communications and Power Uprate Branch (PGCB) 5. Branch Chief, Licensing Processes Branch (PLPB) 6. Branch Chief, Rulemaking and International Project Branch (PRIB) 7. Branch Chief, Financial Analysis Branch (PFPB) 8. Branch Chief, Research and Test Reactor Licensing Branch (PRLB) 9. Branch Chief, Research and Test Reactors Oversight Branch (PROB) 10. Research and Test Reactor Project Branch (PRPB)	1. Tim McGinty 2. Tom Blount 3. Theodore Quay 4. Stacey Rosenberg 5. John Jolicoeur 6. Shana Helton 7. Christopher Regan 8. Jessie Quichocho 9. Johnny Eads 10. MaryJane Ross-Lee
Director, DLR	1. Deputy Director, DLR 2. Branch Chief, Projects Branch 1 (RPB1) 3. Branch Chief, Projects Branch 2 (RPB2) 4. Branch Chief, Aging Management of Reactor Systems and Guidance Update Branch (RARB) 5. Branch Chief, Aging Management of Plant Systems Branch (RAPB) 6. Branch Chief, Aging Management of Structures, Electrical, and Systems Branch (RASB)	1. Melanie Galloway 2. Bo Pham 3. David Wrona 4. Jerry Dozier 5. David Pelton 6. Raj Auluck
Director, Program Management, Policy Development, and Analysis (PMDA)	1. Deputy Director 2. Branch Chief, Information Technology Branch (ITB) 3. Branch Chief, Infrastructure Services Branch (ISB) 4. Branch Chief, Budget Formulation and Execution Branch (BFEB) 5. Branch Chief, Contracts Management Branch (CMB) 6. Branch Chief, Human Capital Branch (HCB)	1. Kimberly Ferrell 2. Bryan Champion 3. TaJuan Gorham 4. Hong Le 5. Marianne Narick 6. Rohn Brown

Deputy Directors	Order of Succession	Currently Filled by
Deputy Director, DRA	1. Deputy, Fire Protection 2. Branch Chief, APLA 3. Branch Chief, AFPB 4. Branch Chief, APOB 5. Branch Chief, AADB	1. Sunil Weerakkody 2. Donnie Harrison 3. Alex Klein 4. Veronica Rodriguez 5. Travis Tate
Deputy Director, DSS	1. Branch Chief, SCVB 2. Branch Chief, SRXB 3. Branch Chief, SNPB 4. Branch Chief, SBPB 5. Branch Chief, SSIB	1. Anthony Ulses 2. Robert Dennig 3. Anthony Mendiola 4. Greg Casto 5. Stewart Bailey
Deputy Director, DE	1. Branch Chief, EEEB 2. Branch Chief, EMCB 3. Branch Chief, EICB 4. Branch Chief, EQVB 5. Sr. Allegations Coord., AT	1. George Wilson 2. Meena Khanna 3. David Rahn, Rich Stattel, Norbert Carte 4. Martin Murphy 5. Lois James
Deputy Director, DCI	1. Branch Chief, CVIB 2. Branch Chief, CSGB 3. Branch Chief, CPNB 4. Branch Chief, CPTB	1. Matthew Mitchell 2. Robert Taylor 3. Tim Lupold 4. Anthony McMurtray
Deputy Director, DORL	1. Director, DORL 2. Deputy Director, DORL 3. Branch Chief, LPL1-2 4. Branch Chief, LPL4 5. Branch Chief, LPL1-1	1. Joseph Giitter 2. Robert Nelson, Allen Howe 3. Harold Chernoff 4. Michael Markley 5. Nancy Salgado
Deputy Director, DIRS	1. Deputy Director 2. Branch Chief, IRIB 3. Branch Chief, IOEB 4. Branch Chief, IPAB 5. Branch Chief, Technical Specifications Branch (ITSB)	1. Michael Cheok 2. Timothy Kobetz 3. John Thorp 4. Rani Franovich 5. Robert Elliott
Deputy Director, DPR	1. Director 2. Deputy Director, DPR 3. Deputy Director, DPR 4. Branch Chief, (PGCB) 5. Branch Chief, (PLPB) 6. Branch Chief, (PRIB) 7. Branch Chief, (PFAB) 8. Branch Chief, (PRLB) 9. Branch Chief, (PROB) 10.Branch Chief, (PRPB)	1. Tim McGinty 2. Tom Blount 3. Theodore Quay 4. Stacey Rosenberg 5. John Jolicoeur 6. Shana Helton 7. Christopher Regan 8. Jessie Quichocho 9. Johnny Eads 10. MaryJane Ross-Lee

Deputy Director, DLR	1. Branch Chief, RPB1 2. Branch Chief, RPB2 3. Branch Chief, RARB 4. Branch Chief, RAPB 5. Branch Chief, RASB	1. Bo Pham 2. David Wrona 3. Jerry Dozier 4. David Pelton 5. Raj Auluck
Branch Chiefs	**Order of Succession**	**Currently Filled by**
Branch Chief, APLA	1. Senior Risk Analyst 2. Senior Risk Analyst 3. Senior Risk Analyst	1. Andrew Howe 2. Stephen Dinsmore 3. Raymond Gallucci
Branch Chief, APOB	1. Senior Reliability Analyst 2. Senior Risk Analyst 3. Senior Reactor Analyst	1. Jeff Circle 2. Jeff Mitman 3. See-Meng Wong
Branch Chief, AADB	1. Senior Dose Analyst 2. Senior Dose Analyst 3. Dose Analyst 4. Meteorological Assessment	1. Mark Blumberg 2. John Parillo 3. Dylanne Duvigneaud 4. Leta Brown
Branch Chief, AFPB	1. Team Leader 2. Senior Fire Protection Engineer 3. Senior Fire Protection Engineer 4. Fire Protection Engineer	1. Daniel Frumkin 2. Paul Lain 3. Harold Barrett 4. Naeem Iqbal
Branch Chief, SRXB	1. Senior Reactor Systems Engineer 2. Senior Reactor Systems Engineer 3. Senior Reactor Systems Engineer	1. Sam Miranda 2. Summer Sun 3. Warren Lyon
Branch Chief, SBPB	1. Senior Plant Systems Engineer 2. Senior Plant Systems Engineer 3. Senior Plant Systems Engineer 4. Senior Plant Systems Engineer	1. Steve Jones 2. Gerard Purciarello 3. Stanley Gardocki 4. Edward Smith
Branch Chief, SCVB	1. Senior Engineer 2. Senior Engineer 3. Senior Engineer	1. Richard Lobel 2. Jerome Bettle 3. Ahsan Sallman
Branch Chief, SNPB	1. Senior Nuclear Engineer 2. Senior Reactor Engineer 3. Senior Engineer	1. Anthony Attard 2. Leonard Ward 3. Yuri Orechwa
Branch Chief, SSIB	1. Reactor Systems Engineer 2. Reactor Systems Engineer 3. Reactor Systems Engineer	1. Ralph Architzel 2. James Beall 3. Steve Smith
Branch Chief, EEEB	1. Team Leader (Senior Electrical Engineer) 2. Senior Electrical Engineer 3. Senior Electrical Engineer	1. Roy Mathew 2. Matthew McConnell 3. Kenn Miller

Branch Chief, EICB	1. Senior Instrumentation and Control Engineer 2. Senior Instrumentation and Control Engineer 3. Senior Instrumentation and Control Engineer	1. Norbert Carte 2. Richard Stattel 3. David Rahn
Branch Chief, EMCB Meena Khanna	1. Senior Structural Engineer 2. Senior Mechanical Engineer 3. Senior Mechanical Engineer	1. Farhad Farzam 2. Alexander Tsirigotis 3. Chakrapani Basavaraju
Branch Chief, EQVB	1. Senior Operations Engineer 2. Senior Reactor Systems Engineer 3. Senior Operations Engineer	1. Paul Prescott 2. Robert Pettis 3. Jonathan Ortega
Branch Chief, CPNB Tim Lupold	1. Senior Materials Engineer 2. Senior Materials Engineer 3. Materials Engineer 4. Materials Engineer 5. Materials Engineer	1. John Tsao 2. Jay Collins 3. Keith Hoffman 4. Donald Naujock 5. Carol Nove
Branch Chief, CVIB Matthew Mitchell	1. Senior Materials Engineer 2. Senior Materials Engineer 3. Senior Materials Engineer 4. Materials Engineer 5. Materials Engineer 6. Materials Engineer	1. Simon Sheng 2. Carolyn Fairbanks 3. Jeff Poehler 4. Thomas McLellan 5. Ganesh Cheruvenki 6. Patrick Purtscher
Branch Chief, CSGB Robert Taylor	1. Senior Materials Engineer 2. Senior Materials Engineer 3. Senior Chemical Engineer 4. Materials Engineer 5. Materials Engineer 6. Chemical Engineer	1. Emmett Murphy 2. Paul Klein 3. Matthew Yoder 4. Andrew Johnson 5. Prakash Patnaik 6. Emma Wong
Branch Chief, CPTB Anthony McMurtray	1. Senior Mechanical Engineer 2. Senior Mechanical Engineer 3. Senior Mechanical Engineer	1. Y.S. (John) Huang 2. Robert Wolfgang 3. Gurjendra Bedi
Branch Chief, LPL1-1 Nancy Salgado	1. Branch Chief 1-2 2. Branch Chief 2-1 3. Branch Chief 2-2 4. Branch Chief 3-1 5. Branch Chief 3-2	1. Harold Chernoff 2. Gloria Kulesa 3. Doug Broaddus 4. Robert Pascarelli 5. Robert Carlson
Branch Chief, LPL1-2 Harold Chernoff	1. Branch Chief 1-1 2. Branch Chief 2-1 3. Branch Chief 2-2 4. Branch Chief 3-1 5. Branch Chief 3-2	1. Nancy Salgado 2. Gloria Kulesa 3. Doug Broaddus 4. Robert Pascarelli 5. Robert Carlson
Branch Chief, LPL2-1 Gloria Kulesa	1. Branch Chief 2-2 2. Branch Chief 3-1 3. Branch Chief 3-2 4. Branch Chief 4 5. Branch Chief WB	1. Doug Broaddus 2. Robert Pascarelli 3. Robert Carlson 4. Michael Markley 5. Stephen Campbell

Branch Chief, LPL2-2 Doug Broaddus	1. Branch Chief 2-1 2. Branch Chief 3-1 3. Branch Chief WB 4. Branch Chief 4 5. Branch Chief 3-2	1. Gloria Kulesa 2. Robert Pascarelli 3. Stephen Campbell 4. Michael Markley 5. Robert Carlson
Branch Chief, LPL3-1 Robert Pascarelli	1. Branch Chief 3-2 2. Branch Chief 1-2 3. Branch Chief 4 4. Branch Chief WB 5. Branch Chief 1-1	1. Robert Carlson 2. Harold Chernoff 3. Michael Markley 4. Stephen Campbell 5. Nancy Salgado
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Branch Chief, LPL4 Michael Markley	1. Branch Chief WB 2. Branch Chief 2-2 3. Branch Chief 1-2 4. Branch Chief 2-1 5. Branch Chief 1-1	1. Stephen Campbell 2. Doug Broaddus 3. Harold Chernoff 4. Gloria Kulesa 5. Nancy Salgado
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Branch Chief, IOEB John Thorp	1. Senior Staff 2. Senior Staff 3. Senior Staff	1. Eric Thomas 2. Mark King 3. Steve Pannier
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Branch Chief, ITSB Robert Elliot	1. Senior Staff 2. Senior Staff 3. Senior Staff	1. Gerald Waig 2. Carl Schulten 3. Matthew Hamm
Branch Chief, IOLB John McHale	1. Senior Staff 2. Senior Staff 3. Senior Staff	1. John Munro 2. Timothy Kolb 3. Dave Muller
Branch Chief, IHPB Undine Shoop	1. Senior Staff 2. Senior Staff 3. Senior Staff	1. Roger Pedersen 2. Steven Garry 3. Michael Boggi

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From: (b)(6)
To: Grobe, Jack
Subject: (b)(6)
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:48:39 PM

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From: Boger, Bruce
To: Brown, Frederick
Subject: RE: SENSITIVE - DIRS BWR folks
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:49:00 AM

Perfect, thanks.

From: Brown, Frederick
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:44 AM
To: Boger, Bruce
Subject: RE: SENSITIVE - DIRS BWR folks

BWR Shift Manager and SRO (Quad Cities), resident inspector, BWR chief examiner.

From: Boger, Bruce
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:33 AM
To: Brown, Frederick
Cc: Westreich, Barry
Subject: RE: SENSITIVE - DIRS BWR folks

I'm going with Tim, for a variety of reasons. Can you amplify somewhat on his background? Inspector, examiner, qualified, SRO?, ...Thanks.

From: Brown, Frederick
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:28 AM
To: Leeds, Eric; Boger, Bruce
Cc: Westreich, Barry
Subject: SENSITIVE - DIRS BWR folks
Importance: High

Tim Kolb – currently working in Ops Center as BWR specialist, have not confirmed interest. Would be reliable.

Kristy Bucholtz – have not been able to talk to her (on leave), but recently licensed SRO at Peach Bottom.

Larry Vick – interested (not recommended by DIRS).

John Munro – not comfortable with the role.

From: (b)(6)
To: [redacted]
Subject: (b)(6)
Date: [redacted]

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From: (b)(6)
To: Lubinski, John
Subject: (b)(6)
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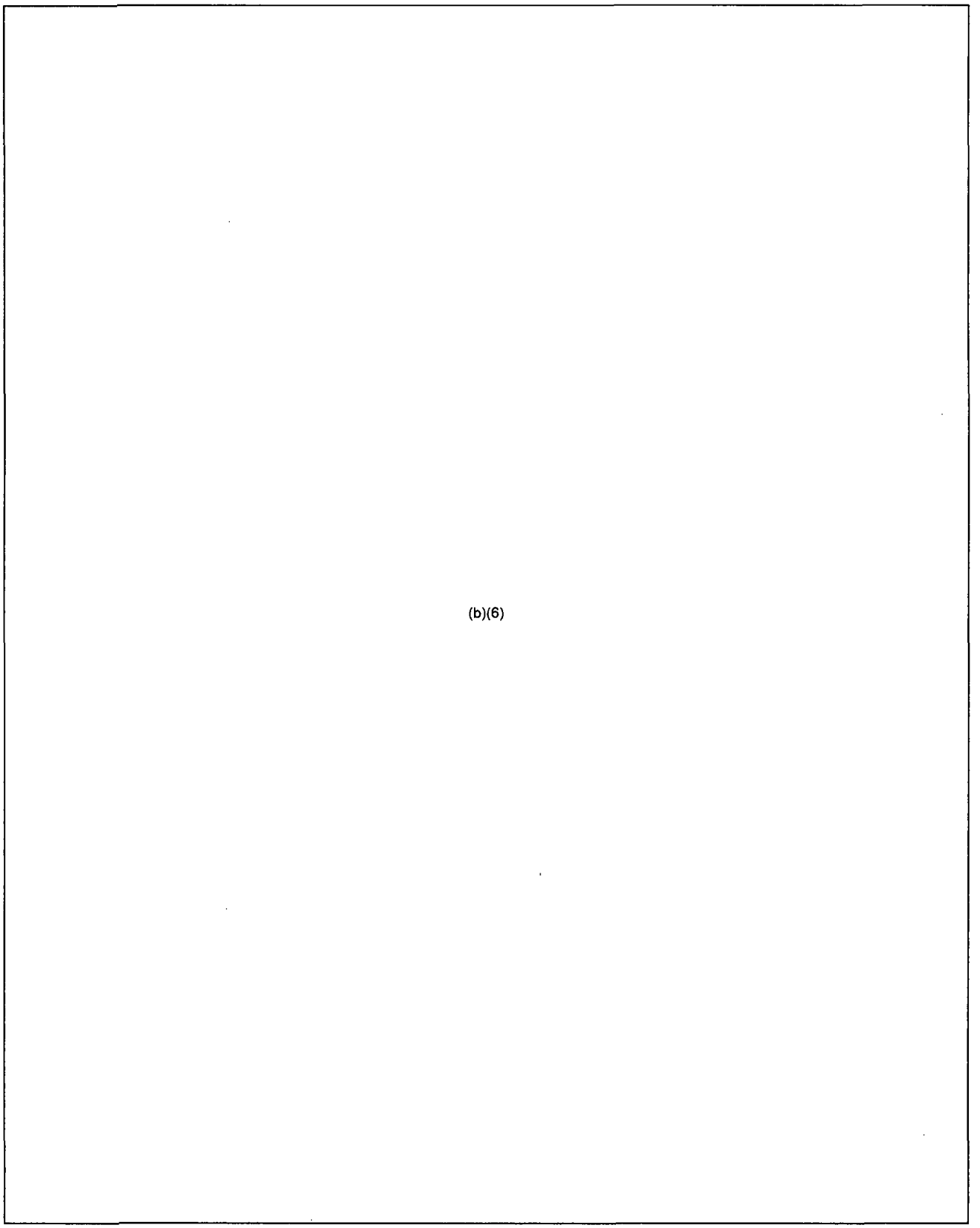
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To: Lubinski, John
Subject: NRC Customer Support Center: Your Password Will Expire in 8 Days
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From: Boger, Bruce
To: Givvines, Mary
Cc: Moore, Toye
Subject: FW: Scheduling Call Agenda - March 14, 2011
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:56:00 AM
Importance: High

Mary, I understand you've agreed to take the call today, in view of other "stuff" going on. Thanks. Bruce

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From: Taylor, Renee
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:51 AM
To: Abraham, Susan; Akstulewicz, Brenda; Andersen, James; Ash, Darren; Baker, Pamela; Belmore, Nancy; Bettis, Ashley; Boger, Bruce; Borchardt, Bill; Boyce, Thomas (OIS); Boyd, Lena; Brenner, Eliot; Brown, Milton; Buckley, Patricia; Campbell, Andy; Casby, Marcia; Casto, Chuck; Cianci, Sandra; Cohen, Miriam; Collins, Elmo; Crawford, Carrie; Crouch, Nicole; Cullison, David; Dambly, Jan; Dapas, Marc; Darby, Krystal; Deegan, George; Delligatti, Mark; Dembek, Stephen; Doolittle, Elizabeth; Dorman, Dan; Dubose, Sheila; EDO Distribution; Ficks, Ben; Flory, Shirley; Garland, Stephanie; Givvines, Mary; Golder, Jennifer; Grobe, Jack; Gusack, Barbara; Harris, Natasha; Hasan, Nasreen; Hayden, Elizabeth; Higginbotham, Tina; Holahan, Gary; Holahan, Patricia; Hopkins, Rhonda; Howard, Patrick; Howell, Art; Jaegers, Cathy; Kaplan, Michele; Kelley, Corenthis; Krupnick, David; Landau, Mindy; Lee, Pamela; Lew, David; Mamish, Nader; Matakas, Gina; McCrary, Cheryl; Miles, Patricia; Mitchell, Reggie; Moore, Scott; Muessle, Mary; ODaniell, Cynthia; Owen, Lucy; Pederson, Cynthia; Poland, Catherine; Powell, Amy; Pulliam, Timothy; Quesenberry, Jeannette; Raynor, Kathleen; Reynolds, Steven; Rheaume, Cynthia; Riddick, Nicole; Ronewicz, Lynn; Ross, Brenda; Ross, Robin; Salus, Amy; Santiago, Patricia; Satorius, Mark; Schaeffer, James; Schmidt, Rebecca; Schum, Constance; Schumann, Stacy; Schwarz, Sherry; Shah, Maria; Shay, Jason; Smith, Beverly; Somerville, Glenda; Sprogeris, Patricia; Stewart, Sharon; Tannenbaum, Anita; Taylor, Renee; Tomczak, Tammy; Tracy, Glenn; Uhle, Jennifer; Veltri, Debra; Virgilio, Martin; Walker, Dwight; Weber, Michael; Wert, Leonard; West, Steven; Williams, Barbara; Wyatt, Melissa; Zimmerman, Roy; Seltzer, Rickie; Arildsen, Jesse
Subject: Scheduling Call Agenda - March 14, 2011
Importance: High

Good morning,

The topics for today's scheduling call are as follows:

Topics for Scheduling Call – March 14, 2011

1. Op Center Support Priority
2. Strategic Acquisition SRM & Interim POC Process – Rickie Seltzer
3. Profiling OIG Report Recommendation Status Correspondence in ADAMS for Public Availability – Jesse Arildsen
4. Commission Meeting Presentation Feedback – Jim Andersen

Please feel free to come to Mary's office (O-17H20) for the meeting. The bridge line for this call is 1-800-857-0150, pass code (b)(6) #.

Thank you,
Renee Taylor

Administrative Assistant to the Executive Director for Operations
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
(301) 415-1701

From:	Cunningham, Liza
To:	NRR_DIRS_IOEB Distribution
Cc:	Brown, Frederick; Cheok, Michael; Sanchez, Chanel; Tobe, Celestia; Kobetz, Timothy; Shoop, Undine; Franovich, Rani; Elliott, Robert; McHale, John; Thorp, John
Subject:	Acting BC March 15 - 16, 2011 for IOEB
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 10:56:04 AM
Importance:	High

While John is out of the office, Steve Pannier has been designated as acting branch chief. He can be reached at 301-415-4083.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact him directly.

This information can be viewed in DIRS Calendar and the DIRS SharePoint site.

Thanks,
Liza

Satorius, Mark

From: Sirius Integrator, Inc [john@siriusintegrator.com]
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:58 AM
To: Satorius, Mark
Subject: .Sirius Integrator Partners with SolarStik - Offers new Hybrid Remote Power System

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From: NMSSBOX Resource
To: NMSS Distribution
Subject: Thanks for Supporting the Spring Renewal Raffle!
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:00:16 AM

The NRC Chapter of Blacks In Government would like to thank everyone who participated and supported the Spring Renewal Raffle!

At 12:00 pm on Thursday, March 10, we had our raffle drawing and the winners of the prizes are as follows:

$25 Visa Gift Card – Shirley Price
Gift Certificate for a Manicure and Pedicure – Vanessa Cox
$50 Gift Card to White Flint Mall – Kim Morgan Butler
Aromatherapy Gift Basket – Sharon Stewart-Clark

We congratulate our winners! Again, our chapter THANKS each and every one of you for your participation in our Raffle!

Sincerely,

Haile K. Lindsay, Ph.D.

From: Andersen, James
To: Boger, Bruce; Grobe, Jack
Cc: Wittick, Brian; Muessle, Mary
Subject: FW: Tracking List Update
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:01:10 AM
Attachments: Comments on Tracking List.docx

Bruce/Jack,

Any thought on priority for potential Commission meetings in July? The Chairman's office has suggested the following:

GEIS for License Renewal (NRR)
IRRS Action Plan (NRR)
Licensing Medical Isotope Production (NRR)
RTR License Renewal (NRR)
Level 3 PRA and SOARCA (RES)

From: Bavol, Rochelle
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:42 AM
To: Andersen, James
Subject: FW: Tracking List Update

Jim,

I spoke briefly with Angela this morning about agenda planning for July meetings...

She'd like to know staff's views on the order of priority for July meetings if we can't do them all:

GEIS for License Renewal
IRRS Action Plan
Licensing Medical Isotope Production
RTR License Renewal
Level 3 PRA and SOARCA

Since the Level 3 PRA paper coming July 7th will include options on how to proceed with both SOARCA and Level 3 PRA activities, she thought it might be good to have a Commission meeting to inform Commission voting on the paper. We had this on the list for a meeting in July, then moved it to later. Would you please ask staff to put together a scheduling note and ask their thoughts on such a Commission meeting in July.

We're still going to try to meet with Angela this Thursday, 3/17 at 10, since pre-agenda with the Chairman is moved to 3/22.

Rochelle

The FSME, NSIR, and NRR items due in March have been issued.

Changes to April and Beyond:

NSIR

NSIR item on 4/8 (EP Final Rule) should be NRR lead

NRR

NRR item on 4/14 (50.46(b)); extension request submitted to 3/14/12

NRO

NRO items on 7/5 and 7/19 (Vogtle and Summer papers), they recommend deleting the word "Information" since they require Commission action.

FSME

Insert FSME item due on 6/30/11. Final rule - US/Australia Agreement to amend 10CFR40 to implement the Agreement between USA and the Government of Australia concerning peaceful uses of nuclear energy.

10/3 Item - Insert note for this item. Staff planning to request an extension because the proposed rule won't be published until May, 2011.

2/25/12 should be 2/15/12

RES

For the SOARCA tasking (200700117/200800373, due 7/7/11), we should add a note indicating that an extension request will be submitted (e.g., "Extension request to be submitted.") The TAs were already informed of this during a briefing a few weeks ago.

For the Level 3 PRA tasking (201000119, due 7/7/11), please revise the title of the paper to this: "Provide options for proceeding with Level 3 probabilistic risk assessment (PRA) activities which include costs and perspectives on future uses for Level 3 PRAs (SRM M100218 – ML100780578)." The language is a little different than what's in CTS now, but it reflects the actual way the SRM was written.

Also for the Level 3 PRA tasking, revise the note to read like this: "For potential Commission meeting in 2011 on SOARCA and Level 3 PRA. This paper will include options and the staff's recommendation regarding whether and how to proceed with both SOARCA and Level 3 PRA studies. [Note: Staff briefed ACRS Subcommittee on Reliability & PRA on Level 3 PRA considerations on 11/17/10. ACRS plans to issue letter after Full Committee meeting in May 2011 in which staff will present options and its recommendation regarding both SOARCA and Level 3 PRA.]"

P/EDO/Comments on Tracking List

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Subject: RWMC-44: Bureau debriefing
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:01:34 AM

Dear Bureau members,

If it is possible for you stay after the meeting, we would hold a debriefing session just after closure on Day 2. In that case we would organise some refreshments as we did last year.

Could you please let us know whether this will be possible for you or not.

Best regards,

John

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From: John.STEIN@oecd.org
Subject: RWMC-44: Item 14 - revised Vision Document [NEA/RWM(2011)6/REV1]
Date: Friday, March 18, 2011 12:03:56 PM
Attachments: Item 14a - NEA-RWM_2011_6_REV 1_RKM Vision_OLIS.pdf

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MESSAGE SENT ON BEHALF OF CLAUDIO PESCATORE

Dear RWMC members and participants in the RWMC-44,

Please find attached the revised Vision Document for Item 14 [NEA/RWM(2011)6/REV1]. The previous document was incomplete.

You may also obtain the document from the meeting website as of tomorrow
http://www.oecd-nea.org/download/rwmc/
If you have any questions about accessing the website please contact john.stein@oecd.org

Kind regards on behalf of the RWMC Chair and the NEA Secretariat.

Claudio Pescatore

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Vision for the RWMC Project on "Preservation of RK&M Across Generations"

In this document a vision for the RWMC project on "Preservation of RK&M across generations" is described covering the period 2011-2014. The document represents the shared vision of the project members as of March 2010 and incorporates learning in the project so far. It is understood that it will be necessary to update this document regularly in the course of the project.
This REV1 document cancels and replaces the earlier document of 4 March, 2011.

Please send any queries regarding this document to claudio.pescatore@oecd.org

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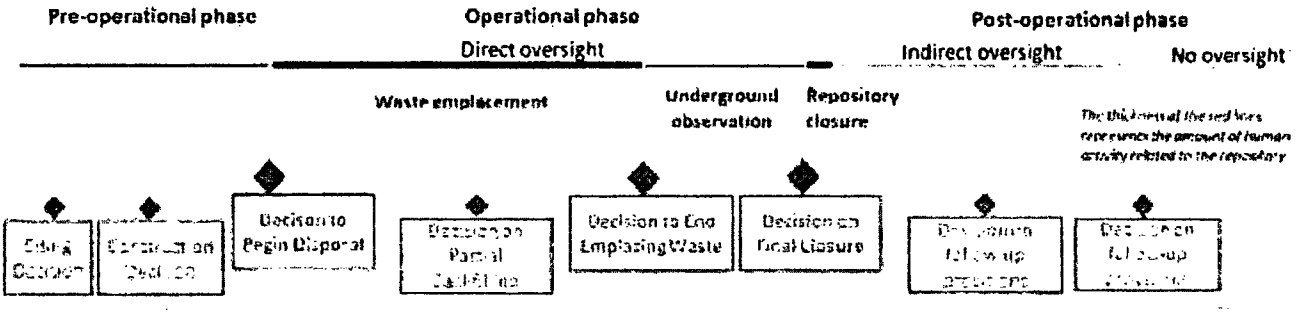
Preamble

Disposal of long-lived radioactive waste in engineered facilities built in stable, deep geological formations is the reference means for permanently isolating the waste from the biosphere. Although this management method is conceived to be intrinsically safe and final, i.e., not depending on the presence and intervention of man for fulfilling its safety goal, there is no intention to forgo, at any time, knowledge and awareness either of the repository or of the waste that it contains. As repository development is reaching industrial maturity, means are being studied to maintain indirect forms of oversight once the repository is closed including monitoring, applying safeguards according to international agreements, maintaining records, and ultimately maintaining memory. Institutional arrangements need be integral part of those provisions, as continuity of records, knowledge and memory (RK&M) will require, in the first place, identifying a chain of responsibilities. At the same time, novel methods ought also to be studied and applied that are less vulnerable to changes in socio-economic conditions and may be less reliant on institutional presence. Overall, this is a multidisciplinary work area in which much learning is expected over the coming years.

CONTINUITY OF RK&M; CONTINUITY OF RESPONSIBILITIES

Preservation of RK&M across generations is a cross-cutting issue and set of themes. It applies across timescales. Namely, to the relatively long period of operation of a repository – which may extend to a couple hundred years; to the longer term, possibly many hundreds of years, when the repository is closed and in a state of indirect oversight; and even to the period when oversight may falter and knowledge of the repository may need to be reconstructed. (Fig. 1)

Repository life phases and examples of major decision points:



Preservation of RK&M is the responsibility of many different players with a different role to play over time. Namely: implementers, regulators and governments. Affected municipalities have also voiced a strong interest in this area and may become long-term actors in the preservation of RK&M. Key questions for the institutional actors are:

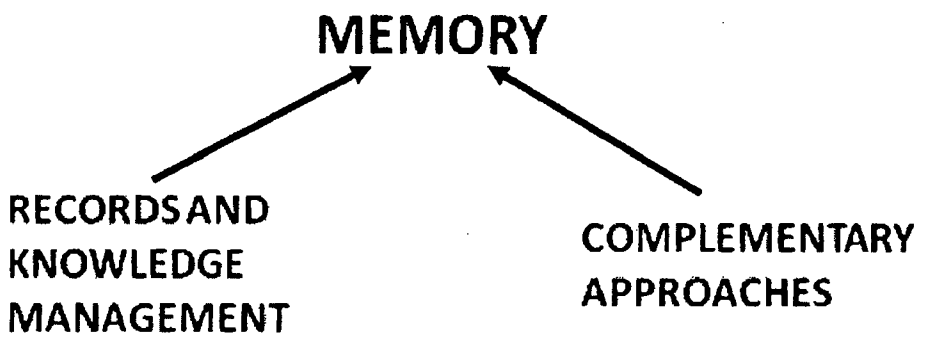
- Which records and what kind of information need to be maintained?
- For what purpose?
- Over which timescales?
- By whom?
- For whom?

- What can be done now – from a managerial, technical, legal, regulatory viewpoint – to provide maximum continuity of records, of message, and accessibility?

- How much effort and of what kind is it reasonable to invest, now or later?

While continuity of records and knowledge and continuity of institutional presence and attention as long as possible is one important path towards memory keeping, avenues that rely on complementary approaches ought also to be explored, e.g., building a relationship between the host region and the facility, or devising, from early on, special markers with specific functions. (Fig 2) Both strategies should be investigated in order to build robust and proportionate solutions on the various timescales.

Fig. 2 Complementary strategies to memory keeping



THE RWMC PROJECT

Because of the experience accumulated by the advanced national programmes represented within the RWMC and the breadth of its high-level initiatives, the Committee is uniquely placed internationally to combine resources and help form state-of-the-art understanding and guidance. The multi-affiliation forum provided by RWMC offers an important venue for exploring and helping to develop guidance on regulatory, policy, managerial, and technical aspects of long-term preservation of RK&M that are germane to waste disposal programmes. It is understood, however, that the RWMC has to reach even wider than in the past, as the new reflections must incorporate lessons learnt in sciences not typically represented in waste management organisations, such as history and philosophy, or even biology.

In the context of fostering knowledge consolidation and transfer (KCT), the RWMC has indentified – in its reference document[1] – the area of *inter-generational* transfer of knowledge as an area needing developing.

Setup and modus operandi

The programme of work is installed as a series of projects or lines of actions opened by the RWMC and supervised by its Bureau. Each is set up to require meeting at most twice a year; emphasis is on inter-sessional work as much as possible. In this approach, an advisory group proposes direction of work along

[1] NEA/RWM(2009)7: Preserving information and memory across generations: proposal for a dedicated initiative and a specific project, NEA/RWMC, 5 March, 2009.

the indications of the RWMC; the work is co-ordinated by the NEA Secretariat and steered by the RWMC Bureau; one or more consultants to the Secretariat are hired; findings are reported and discussed within the project and at RWMC meetings and thereafter documented. A budget is determined for each working period of one or more years. The amount of the needed financial contribution per organisation depends on the number of participants and on programme of work. At the same time organizations also engage themselves to perform in-house work as agreed within the project.

In organising the programme of work, the projects should be practice-oriented where possible.

- Current experience should be examined with a view to identify strengths and weaknesses, and gaps in knowledge
- Practical suggestions such as peer reviews, joint memory networks, etc. should be considered
- Agreed results/statements are important deliverables
- Concrete recommendations are welcome
- Visibility of products vis-à-vis all publics will be important

In organizing the work programme, it must be accepted as well that addressing and trying to master, in its entirety, is a too ambitious task. The system of RK&M preservation over the various time scales of interest is a task that requires a large degree of abstraction that, in turn, can only take inspiration from a well-established practice, which does not exist today.

Initially, it appears a good working method to scope the issue of preserving RK&M across generations and then organise a series of workshops, e.g., to investigate specific themes deeper while, at the same time, bringing-in additional audiences to those in the project. This will require project members to prepare documents and presentations in view of those workshops, sometimes working in small groups. Distilling lessons will be done in project meetings; consultants will help prepare the relevant documents and discussions.

Advantage will also need to be taken of other groups, within the NEA and outside, that are working on similar themes. Of special relevance, is the work of the Forum on Stakeholder Confidence in the area of building a sustainable relationship between a facility and its locality and surrounding region.

Deliverables

The main, tangible deliverable of the project is a "Menu-driven document that will allow people to identify the elements of a strategic action plan for RK&M preservation". This document will also contain recommendations to countries on useful practices as well as new suggested follow-on activities for the project. Target date for this document is end 2013-beginning 2014.

In proposing this document as its main deliverable, the project acknowledges the suggestion by the RWMC that an action plan for preservation of RK&M across generations – as indentified in document NEA/RWM(2009)7 - is likely to be an important management tool that all institutional actors will need to develop at one time or another. The project will support the development of such an action plan.

Additionally, it is expected that national programmes will benefit from the shared, broad-based and documented understanding that will be achieved regarding the range of available methods, concepts, and projects on the preservation of RK&M across generations. Such understanding – technical, managerial, institutional, societal and culture-specific – could be used as a reference for those national programmes that are involved in siting and licensing repositories, or that are involved in other long-term projects. Such understanding will also foster the development of more robust strategies and regulations for national

radioactive waste management programmes, as well increased stakeholder confidence, whatever the stage of repository development.

Specific actions and products over the period 2010-2014

Phase–1 (2010 - mid 2011): Scoping of the issue

- Responses to the questionnaire distributed at the March 2010 meeting of the RWMC will be completed and an analysis provided. The questionnaire deals with issues that RWMC organisations face in this area.
- A glossary of terms will be started to provide common vocabulary and support project activities. The glossary may contain references for how the same term is used in the different programmes, but only one definition will be used for the current project.
- A survey will be started of the literature on long-term preservation of records, knowledge and information. The scope of the survey is limited to nuclear waste disposal.
- A draft collective statement (CS) will be produced on fundamental questions that are faced in this area, in order to build agreement amongst technical specialists and organisations in the waste area. This two page text will serve as a manifesto of the project. Intention is to eliminate/address some of the current ambiguities by identifying the important questions/topics and providing the current answers, fully recognizing that some/many of them will require further development during Phase 2 (see below). The CS would also show that the technical people are realistic in their approaches and expectations and are listening to the public voices. Reasons for and against RK&M keeping, e.g., on the subject of markers, ought to be acknowledged.
- A draft progress report will be prepared. Main observations so far are in the main body of the present text, as well as in the current draft collective Statement.

It should be possible to achieve all this before the start of the second phase of the project workshop in September/October 2011.

Phase–2 (2011 - mid 2012): Improving our understanding, thanks also to outside specialists

This second phase will be based on two project-workshops and on inter-sessional work by all members to prepare and that workshop and/or for intermediate documents. The project-workshop will take place:

- In September/October 2011
- In April 2012

It is understood that colleagues will prepare for the workshop utilising expertise also from outside the project and that experts from other fields will participate in these workshops.

Main items of the inter-sessional work till the 1st project workshop.

- Glossary: more work on defining Short-, Medium- and Long-term, as well as Marker.
- Bibliography: Updating will continue. Criteria for selecting records will be elucidated. The bibliography will be analysed for coverage of subjects also as a function of time. Goal is to have a document with analysis in it that will inform the future work of the project and that can be released publicly even if it will continue to be a working/updateable document.
- Questionnaire 1: three important questions will serve to identify who is responsible and for what on RK&M keeping in the project countries and whether current institutional arrangements/provisions are clear.

- Questionnaire 2: Colleagues will provide examples of RK&M loss and retention. In presenting histories from the past, they will also present suggested remediation. This information will be collated by the NEA in preparation of the Project's next meeting. (see later)
- Collective Statement: Finalisation
- Progress report 2010-2011: Finalisation

Main items of the inter-sessional work till the 2nd project workshop

These items will be identified at the 1st project-workshop.

Phase–3 (2012 - early 2014): Consolidating the lessons learnt and reaching out to different communities

Goal is to produce a "Menu-driven document that will allow people to identify the elements of a strategic action plan for RK&M preservation". This document will also contain recommendations to countries on useful practices as well as new suggested follow-on activities for the project. Target date for this document is end 2013-beginning 2014.

In order to arrive at that document the project will hold

- An open workshop early in 2013
- A project workshop, middle 2013

All these meetings will be preceded by inter-sessional work.

FUNDING

A project funding of € 7,000.00 per year per organization is foreseen, to be borne by a majority of participating organisations. In-kind contributions may also be envisioned. More resources may be needed in order to hold the open workshop early 2013.

The NEA will elicit a grant per organization or country according to its established practice.

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To:	Haney, Catherine; deputebirraux@orange.fr; jp.minon@nirond.be; Johan.Anderberg@ssm.se; mcrl@csn.es
Cc:	mkrauth@assemblee-nationale.fr
Subject:	RWMC-44: Presentations in Item 13
Date:	Friday, March 18, 2011 1:43:31 PM
Attachments:	Item_13b_Zuloaga_Ruiz.pdf Item_13d_Anderberg.pdf

MESSAGE SENT ON BEHALF OF CLAUDIO PESCATORE

Dear Collegues,

Please find the presentations received so far, from Spain and Sweden.

Kind regards,

Claudio

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From:	MARION, Alex
To:	Boger, Bruce
Subject:	RE: NEI Meetings with Eric Leeds and Jack Grobe
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 11:11:19 AM

Yes if that's okay. We are swamped here with the Japanese accidents. When we do get together would like to discuss the IRRS recommendations, etc.

From: Boger, Bruce [mailto:Bruce.Boger@nrc.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:02 AM
To: MARION, Alex
Subject: RE: NEI Meetings with Eric Leeds and Jack Grobe

I have you down for tomorrow. Pass?

From: MARION, Alex [mailto:axm@nei.org]
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:00 AM
To: Nguyen, Quynh
Cc: Schwarz, Sherry; Cohen, Shari; Grobe, Jack; Leeds, Eric; Boger, Bruce; MINAHAN, Stewart; RINCKEL, Jeannie; WALTERS, Doug
Subject: RE: NEI Meetings with Eric Leeds and Jack Grobe

I was going to send them an email suggesting postponement but haven't had an opportunity it has been Things have been quite hectic here. Thanks!

From: Nguyen, Quynh [mailto:Quynh.Nguyen@nrc.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:53 AM
To: MARION, Alex
Cc: Schwarz, Sherry; Cohen, Shari; Grobe, Jack; Leeds, Eric
Subject: NEI Meetings with Eric Leeds and Jack Grobe

Alex,

I just called and left you a message. Given the recent events in Japan, I recommend that we postpone your status periodic with Eric Leeds and Jack Grobe (both occurring on March 16).

I believe you are scheduled to meet with Jack on March 30th.

Can you confirm receipt of cancellations? Meeting on 30th?

Thanks,
Quynh

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Hergenroder, Dan

From: Collins, Elmo
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:13 AM
To: Hays, Myra
Subject: RE: Any Word on a continued CR????

Thanks for checking
Elmo

From: Hays, Myra
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:12 AM
To: Collins, Elmo
Subject: FW: Any Word on a continued CR????

HQ CFO has nothing more than what is being said in the news, that being a three week CR ending Apr8. Nothing is in stone of course.

From: Williams-Johnson, Patrice
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:03 AM
To: Hays, Myra
Subject: RE: Any Word on a continued CR????

Hi Myra,

I believe everyone is hearing in the news talks of a three week CR. We will put out communication as soon as something has been confirmed as moving forward for the President's signature.

Patrice

From: Hays, Myra
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:48 AM
To: Williams-Johnson, Patrice
Subject: Any Word on a continued CR????

From:	Brown, Frederick
To:	Dudes, Laura; Tappert, John
Cc:	Boger, Bruce; Westreich, Barry; Franovich, Rani; Kobetz, Timothy; McHale, John; Thorp, John; Rivera-Varona, Aida
Subject:	DCIP retreat
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 11:14:25 AM

Laura, John:

With regrets, I'm going to have to cancel my participation in the retreat – as you know I've got Ops Center duty on Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

The DIRS BCs are still planning on attending.

Fred

From: Catherine Haney
To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: Re: FW: Selections from Sample Archive
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:19:42 AM

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From: Andersen, James
To: Cianci, Sandra; Virgilio, Martin; Williams, Shawn
Subject: FW: Joint Task Force meeting
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:22:41 AM

FYI, the meeting in Vienna is still on.

Jim A.

From: Schwartzman, Jennifer
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:20 AM
To: Andersen, James
Subject: Joint Task Force meeting

Jim,

I have confirmed with the U.S. Mission in Vienna that the Joint Task Force meeting will go on as planned. I would anticipate that there may be some participants who opt not to attend (that's what I'm hearing is the case for other scheduled meetings this week), but it will occur.

Let me know if you need any additional information.

Thanks,
Jen

Jennifer Schwartzman Holzman
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jennifer.schwartzman@nrc.gov

NOTE: Please note new email address above. My old email address, jks1@nrc.gov, will no longer work on this system. Please update your contact lists accordingly.*

From: Ordaz, Vonna
To: Walker, Dwight; Haney, Catherine
Subject: "Final" DEDO Presentation
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:23:01 AM
Attachments: SFST DEDO 20110309.ppt

Dwight – please confirm whether Cathy received the hard copy that Michele sent down on Friday.

Thanks,
Vonna

From: Sampson, Michele
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 11:45 AM
To: Haney, Catherine; Weaver, Doug; Ordaz, Vonna
Subject: FW: "Final" DEDO Presentation

Attached are the revised slides for the DEDO presentation. I will also provide a hard copy.

Thank you,
Michele Sampson

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From: Chen, Yen-Ju
Sent: Wednesday, March 09, 2011 10:19 AM
To: Bajwa, Chris; BowdenBerry, Elva; Garner, Douglas; Horn, Merri; Huang, Daniel; Pearson, Jim; Sampson, Michele; Wharton, Raynard; Wheatley, Wanda
Subject: "Final" DEDO Presentation

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Subject: Your Digital Edition of Federal Computer Week is Available!
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From:	Boger, Bruce
To:	Ruland, William
Cc:	Leeds, Eric; Grobe, Jack
Subject:	FW: Rotation Selection for Commissioner Apostolakis
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 11:22:49 AM

Bill, For LT feedback. Thanks for gathering the NRR list. Bruce

From: Muessle, Mary
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:12 AM
To: Grobe, Jack; Boger, Bruce; Holahan, Gary; Uhle, Jennifer; Andersen, James
Cc: Weber, Michael; Virgilio, Martin; Sheron, Brian; Johnson, Michael; Leeds, Eric
Subject: Rotation Selection for Commissioner Apostolakis

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Gary
FYI. I received the news via email over the weekend, and I do not know if Belkys or the Commissioner has said anything yet to Nan.
Mary

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From: American Nuclear Society
To: Boger, Bruce
Subject: American Nuclear Society 2011 election login information below
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:25:05 AM

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Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:31:00 AM

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From: Golla, Joe [mailto:Joe.Golla@nrc.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:28 AM
To: (b)(6)
Subject: (b)(6)

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Joe Golla, Project Manager
US Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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301-415-1002

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From: Virgilio, Martin
To: (b)(6)
Subject: Re: Information re: Comp Time for GG-15
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:31:00 AM

We are asking it the cap can be lifted. Maybe beyond our authority

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From: (b)(6)
To: Ward, Julie; Moorin, Laurette
Cc: Turtil, Richard; Piccone, Josephine
Sent: Mon Mar 14 11:04:44 2011
Subject: RE: Information re: Comp Time for GG-15

Thanks much, Julie and Laurette. Rich and I just heard back from Dawn Powell, HR, who was able to address our Q.

According to HR, there is a Grade 15/10 cap. Using a particular calculation, HR is able to provide employees the number of hours they can put in for paid overtime or compensatory time off; after 6 pay periods, the comp time reverts to paid time.

From: Ward, Julie
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:44 AM
To: (b)(6)
Subject: Information re: Comp Time for GG-15

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I spoke to Laurette and she said it would be best for you to claim Credit Hours or Comp Time because your pay would be minimal. I have added guidance below but from the management directive but don't think it specifically answers your question.

Our HR person is Vivian Dean. Above her is Gillian Martin.

According to Management Directive 10.42:

"A salaried employee whose rate of basic pay equals or exceeds the maximum step rate for GG-15 is not allowed to earn or use compensatory time"

" A salaried employee whose rate of basic pay is less than the maximum step rate for grade GG-15, may earn and use comepnsatory time only to the extent that, if such overtime were to be paid at the applicable premium rates provided for in the basic salary tables, the employee's pay for the particular pay period in which the overtime services were rendered would not exceed the maximim step rate for grade GG-15 (37 Comp. Gen. 362). ...."

From:	Hackett, Edwin
To:	Muessle, Mary; Grobe, Jack; Boger, Bruce; Holahan, Gary; Uhle, Jennifer; Andersen, James
Cc:	Weber, Michael; Virgilio, Martin; Sheron, Brian; Johnson, Michael; Leeds, Eric
Subject:	RE: Additional information Rotation Selection for Commissioner Apostolakis
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 11:32:00 AM

Thanks Mary

From: Muessle, Mary
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:23 AM
To: Muessle, Mary; Grobe, Jack; Boger, Bruce; Holahan, Gary; Uhle, Jennifer; Andersen, James
Cc: Weber, Michael; Virgilio, Martin; Sheron, Brian; Johnson, Michael; Leeds, Eric; Hackett, Edwin
Subject: Additional information Rotation Selection for Commissioner Apostolakis

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Nan is aware of her selection.

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From: Casto, Chuck
To: Boger, Bruce
Cc: McCree, Victor
Subject: RE: Casto Bio & Pic
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:32:39 AM

Thanks, Nadar called to say that the Chairman approved...

From: Boger, Bruce
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:32 AM
To: Casto, Chuck
Cc: McCree, Victor
Subject: RE: Casto Bio & Pic

Unofficial, but for what it's worth, Eric just popped his head in the door and indicated you'd be going.

From: Casto, Chuck
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:30 AM
To: Mamish, Nader
Cc: Virgilio, Martin; Brenner, Eliot; Leeds, Eric; Monninger, John; Boger, Bruce; McCree, Victor
Subject: Casto Bio & Pic

Folks, Victor suggested that I send you a Bio.....attached....

casto

From: Schwarz, Sherry
To: Cheok, Michael; Givvines, Mary; Hiland, Patrick; Lubinski, John; Nguyen, Quynh; Ruland, William
Subject: Time Sheets on My Desk Ready for Signature - EOM
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:35:30 AM

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Administrative Assistant to Eric J. Leeds
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From: Kevin Jackson
To: Cheok, Michael
Subject: Electronic Health Records, Open Computing Alliance and the National Press Club
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:42:02 AM

March 14, 2011

Cloud Musings Direct

Who Is Protecting Your Health Care Records?

Patient Privacy in Jeopardy
By Dirk Zwart

Patient Privacy in Jeopardy
How important is a patient's privacy? If your organization is a health care facility, the instinctive answer that comes to mind is "Very important!" After all, a patient's privacy is the basis upon which the doctor/patient relationship is based. Right?

But the real answer, when it comes to patient data, may surprise you. According to a study released by the Ponemon Institute, "patient data is being unknowingly exposed until the patients themselves detect the breach."

Health Care RecordsThe independent study, entitled "Benchmark Study on Patient Privacy and Data Security" published in November of 2010 examined the privacy and data protection policies of 65 health care organizations, in accordance with the mandated Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health (HITECH) Act of 2009. HITECH requires health care providers to provide stronger safeguards for patient data and to notify patients when their information has been breached. MORE

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Government IT Examines Cloud Computing to Cut Costs

Government and Industry Experts to Speak Out at National Press Club

By Liz McMillan

Federal agencies are likely to experience major cuts in their budgets for the next several years, but there is one area where cost savings can be made and which would result in significant increased efficiencies: cloud computing.

The U.S. government is the world's largest consumer of information technology (IT), spending more than $76 billion annually on more than 10,000 different systems - more than $600 billion over the past decade. Fragmentation of systems, poor project execution, and the drag of legacy technology in the federal government have presented barriers to achieving the productivity and performance gains found when technology is deployed effectively in the private sectors.

The Obama Administration has asked all agencies to look to cloud computing to cut costs and solve many of the problems that have plagued government IT deployment for decades. However, that poses many issues for senior government IT managers - from developing business case analysis to which standards to adopt and which best practices to follow. MORE

Cloud Computing's Trillions & Trillions of Transactions

Open Computing Alliance's Michael Mudd Explains

By Roger Strukhoff

"We are already beyond the hype and

Application Framework

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  - Cloud Storage
  - Cloud Computing
  - Application Hosting
  - Transport
  - Enterprise Management
  - Cyber Assurance
  - Cloud Brokering

into the adoption cycle for cloud computing, with hundreds of companies and thousands of developers delivering products now," said Michael Mudd from the Open Computing Alliance at a recent Asian Cloud event at the Dusit Thani hotel in Makati City, Metro Manila, Philippines.

Citing Gartner figures, Mudd spoke of a 25% CAGR for Cloud worldwide through the year 2020--"this means there will be more than 2 trillion financial transactions alone, running on 31 billion devices and 25 million applications," he said.

Mudd added that Gartner estimates there will be 4 billion people attached to the Internet by then, and that according to an IDC/EMC study, the Cloud will require 1.7 zettabytes of storage-that's 1.7 billion terabytes. MORE

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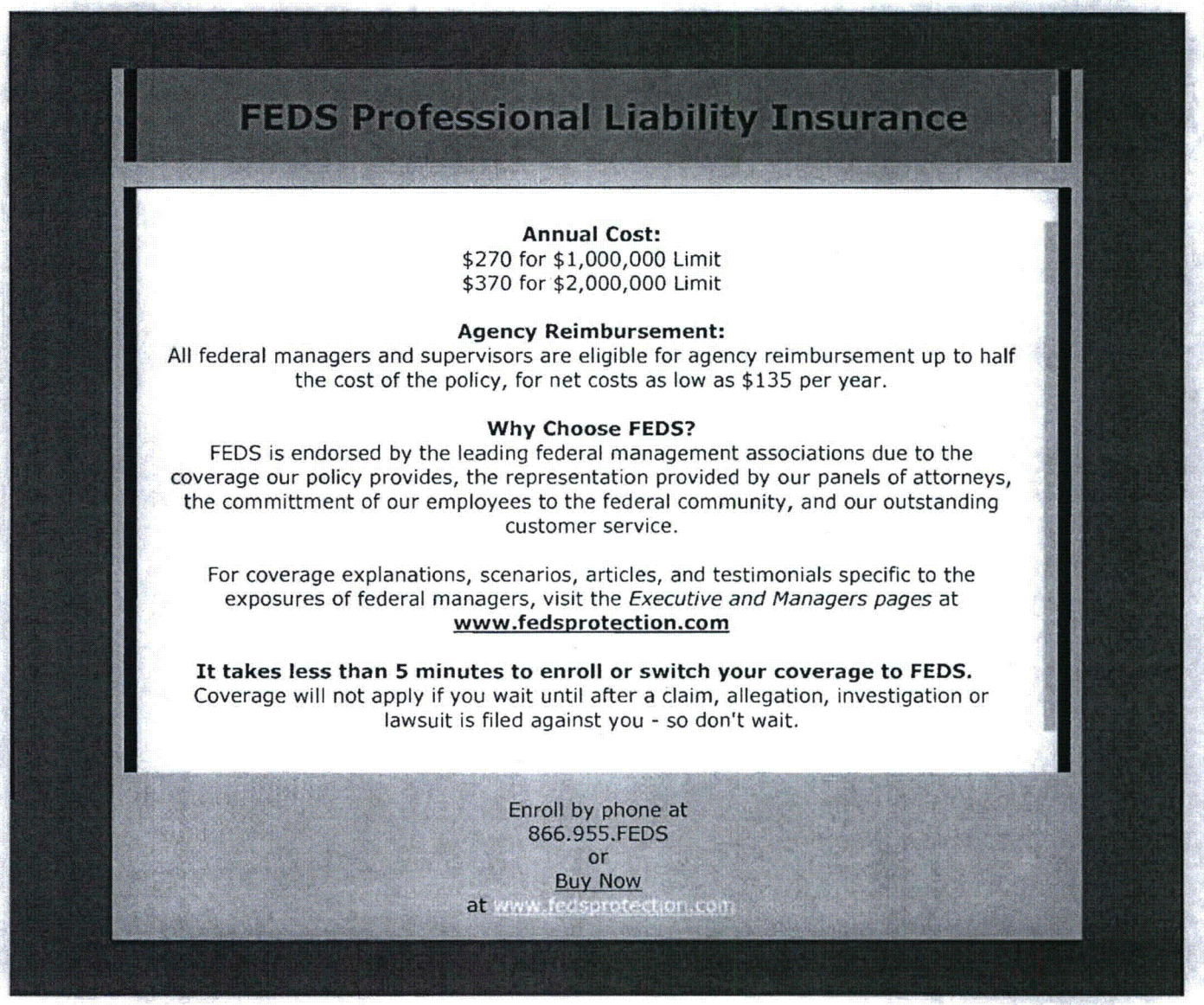

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Dean, Bill

From: lisa.makosewski@gsa.gov
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:49 AM
Subject: Soliciting for CFC Application Reviewers

To all,

The mission of the Combined Federal Campaign (CFC) is to promote and support philanthropy through a program that is employee focused, cost-efficient, and effective in providing all federal employees the opportunity to improve the quality of life for all. In 2009, federal employees pledged over $282 million through the campaign. Federal employees in the Southeastern Pennsylvania and Lehigh Valley Campaign area contributed just over $2.9 million of the 2009 total.

It is my understanding that the Philadelphia FEB has not had a formal Local Federal Coordinating Committee (LFCC) for several years, although most of the responsibilities have been met. According to the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR Title 5, part 950), one of the key responsibilities of the LFCC is "Determining the eligibility of local organizations that apply to participate in the local campaign. This is the exclusive responsibility of the LFCC and may not be delegated to the PCFO (Principal Combined Fund Organization)."

Applications of organizations wishing to participate in the campaign are already arriving, and by April 1, I expect over 200 applications to be here. Each of these applications will require review to ensure that the applicant meets the criteria for participation. A reasonable estimate of the time per review per application is about 30 minutes, so you can see that the application review will take one person about 100 hours.

So far, I have one person lined up to assist with this process. I need more.

If eight additional organizations were able to provide one person to assist, this process could be shortened for all, and would take no more than three days total for each participant.

The training for the application review is scheduled for Tuesday, March 29, at 9:30 AM in the Federal Building, Room 3456. The review is scheduled to begin on Tuesday, April 5 and must be completed by Tuesday, April 26.

Please forward the names and e-mail addresses of someone from your organization who will participate in reviewing the applications. I would appreciate having these names by COB Wednesday, March 23, 2011.

Many thanks for your continued support.

Lisa

Lisa C. Makosewski
Executive Director
Philadelphia Federal Executive Board
Federal Building, Room 3456
600 Arch Street
Philadelphia, PA 19106

215-861-3665
215-861-3667 (fax)

From: Narick, Marianne
To: Boger, Bruce
Subject: Out of Office: ECS/PMDA-Div. Safety Cult. Action Plans
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:50:39 AM

I will be out of the office Mar 14, 2011

If you need immediate assistance, please contact Dee Taylor at 301-415-4055 or Bernie Grenier at 301-415-2726.

Thank you,

Marianne Narick

From: etravelservices@carlson.com
To: Boger, Bruce; Ross, Robin
Subject: Voucher (Trip ID: 2660921, Voucher ID: 1) is pending your approval
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 12:12:59 PM

Dear eTravel Approver,

The traveler has completed his/her voucher and is now awaiting your approval. Please access E2 and approve or return the claim.

Actual Voucher Expenses: $ 1,302.20
Total Trip Estimated Cost: $ 1,317.40

Trip ID : 2660921
Voucher ID : 1
Traveler : GIITTER, JOSEPH
Destination: KNOXVILLE, TN
TDY Type : TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT
Purpose : Visit UT
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Murphy, Martin

From: Hall, Victor
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 12:13 PM
To: Murphy, Martin
Subject: RE:

I haven't. (b)(5)
-Vic

From: Murphy, Martin
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 12:12 PM
To: Hall, Victor
Subject: FW:

FYI

Quick question on a slightly different subject, have you seen or are all the votes in on the Safety Culture Policy?

From: Hiland, Patrick
Sent: Monday, March 07, 2011 12:41 PM
To: Wilson, George; Murphy, Martin; Khanna, Meena; Mathew, Roy; Skeen, David
Cc: Manoly, Kamal; Arndt, Steven
Subject: FW:

fyi

From: Dudes, Laura
Sent: Friday, March 04, 2011 3:57 PM
To: Hiland, Patrick
Subject:

Pat,
Sorry I missed you this week, will try to call early next week.
Attached is a draft document regarding some of the center of excellence ideas we discussed with Fred Brown. I would like to chat with you to get your thoughts on some of these ideas.

Thanks,
Laura

Laura A. Dudes
Director, Division of Construction Inspection and Operational Programs
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Satorius, Mark

From: Linn, Linda
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 12:30 PM
To: Satorius, Mark; Orth, Steven; Buckley, Patricia; Tomczak, Tammy; Stricklin, Rebecca; Shaughnessy, Patrice; White, Joan; Holt, BJ; Sotiropoulos, Dina; Bayliff, Shirley; Doornbos, Roger; Rubic, Mark; Clay, Jim; Murray, Jenny; Reynolds, Steven; Louden, Patrick; Pelke, Patricia; Bloomer, Tamara; Lipa, Christine; Schmidt, Colleen; Pirok, Donna; Bucholz, Margaret; West, Steven; Shear, Gary; Lara, Julio; Skokowski, Richard; Ring, Mark; Cameron, Jamnes; Kunowski, Michael; Riemer, Kenneth; Burza, Justine; Sellers, Loretta; Olteanu, Carmen; Boland, Anne; OBrien, Kenneth; Hills, David; Daley, Robert; Stone, AnnMarie; Duncan, Eric; Dickson, Billy; Peterson, Hironori; Frazier, Cassandra
Cc: Ariano, Carole
Subject: T&L FOR MONDAY 3/14/11 - Completed

Importance: High

Hello.

Time & Labor for Region III, PP #7 is complete. Please do not "un-approve" an employee's time for any reason. Changes to the already approved T&L will need to be submitted as Prior Period Adjustments.

Your cooperation with the process is appreciated.

Thank you,

Linda S. Linn
NRC/RIII/DRMA FRB
Program Analyst,
Funds Certifying Official,
Alt. T&L Coordinator,
Alt. Fees Coordinator
630.829.9555

Satorius, Mark

From: Satorius, Mark
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 12:44 PM
To: Tomczak, Tammy
Subject: FW: EOC public mtgs

Topic for princ staff tomorrow

From: Reynolds, Steven
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 12:41 PM
To: Heck, Jared; West, Steven; Satorius, Mark; Pederson, Cynthia; Shear, Gary
Subject: RE: EOC public mtgs

Include me in the mix ☺

From: Heck, Jared
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 12:05 PM
To: West, Steven; Satorius, Mark; Pederson, Cynthia; Shear, Gary; Reynolds, Steven
Subject: RE: EOC public mtgs

I second that.

Jared K. Heck
Regional Counsel &
Government Liaison Team Leader
NRC Region III
Tel. 630-829-9653
Fax 630-515-1096

From: West, Steven
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 12:04 PM
To: Satorius, Mark; Pederson, Cynthia; Shear, Gary; Reynolds, Steven; Heck, Jared
Subject: RE: EOC public mtgs

I don't know how to answer your question because I don't have the context. As a next step, could we discuss as a group?

From: Satorius, Mark
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:22 AM
To: Pederson, Cynthia; Shear, Gary; Reynolds, Steven; West, Steven; Heck, Jared
Subject: FW: EOC public mtgs

Is this something we should consider?

From: Dean, Bill
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:09 AM
To: Satorius, Mark; Collins, Elmo; McCree, Victor
Subject: RE: EOC public mtgs

Fyi, I had a call with one of my FEMA RAs today, and we talked about having them participate in our EOC meetings. He seemed amenable.

Bill

From: Satorius, Mark
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 8:52 AM
To: Collins, Elmo; McCree, Victor; Dean, Bill
Subject: EOC public mtgs

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From: OPM's Federal Executive Institute & Management Development Centers
To: Check, Michael
Subject: [OPM] Reminder: Register Now for New Courses to Improve Your Leadership Skills and Your Agency's Performance
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 12:48:51 PM

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Washington, DC 20415

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From: Boger, Bruce
To: Casby, Marcia
Subject: RE: Charlie tried calling you but got your voicemail
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 12:49:00 PM

Thanks. We connected.

From: Casby, Marcia
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 12:45 PM
To: Boger, Bruce
Subject: Charlie tried calling you but got your voicemail

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From:	Herbert, Tiana
To:	Frazier, Alan; Habighorst, Peter; Allen, Linda; Sieracki, Diane; Vias, Steven; Gody, Tony; Caldwell, Robert; Kinneman, John; Wiggins, Jim; Zimmerman, Roy; Haney, Catherine
Cc:	FCSS_Document_Processing Resource
Subject:	E-DISTRIBUTION: SAFETY CULTURE AND CONFIGURATION MANAGEMENT IMPROVEMENT OVERSIGHT PANEL"S "LESSONS LEARNED" FOR NUCLEAR FUEL SERVICES, INC.
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 12:52:39 PM

Date signed: March 9, 2011

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TIANA HERBERT, SECRETARY
OFFICE OF NUCLEAR MATERIAL SAFETY AND SAFEGUARDS
DIVISION OF FUEL CYCLE SAFETY AND SAFEGUARDS
301-492-3104

From: Billings, Sally
To: Boger, Bruce
Subject: Out of Office: FOOD FOR THOUGHT As you make the lists MEDICAL SCREEN???
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 12:53:31 PM

I will be out of the office until March 14, 2011. If you need immediate assistance, please contact my Branch Chief, Jane Marshall. I will check e-mail while on work at home status days.

From: Wiggins, Jim
To: Boger, Bruce
Subject: Out of Office: FOOD FOR THOUGHT As you make the lists MEDICAL SCREEN???
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 12:53:31 PM

I am out of the office. I will return on Monday, 3/21/11.

Since I just can't bring myself to completely shutdown, I'll be occasionally checking messages via Blackberry and CITREX. However, if you need something done in the office, please call Michele Evans or Amy Salus (415-7476).

Satorius, Mark

From: Tomczak, Tammy
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 1:03 PM
To: Satorius, Mark; Pederson, Cynthia; Heck, Jared; Holt, BJ; Sotiropoulos, Dina; Rubic, Mark; Boland, Anne; Louden, Patrick; West, Steven; Shear, Gary; Reynolds, Steven; OBrien, Kenneth
Subject: Principal Staff PAL for 3/15/11 (starting at 1:00p)

Happy Monday!

Please forward any potential items for the Principal Staff PAL to me by 11:00 a.m., Tuesday (03/15/11).

Thanks, and have a great day!

From: Jones, Sam
To: Weaver, Doug
Cc: Benner, Eric; Pulliam, Timothy; Ordaz, Vonna; DuBose, Brenda; Fitch, Karen; Haney, Catherine; Dorman, Dan
Subject: RE: nmss retreat
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 1:06:42 PM

Doug:

Thanks for the e-mail.

Hotels are very limited in Baltimore this time of year. Many are sold out, at full cost rates. Some hotels I have met with have already called me back and told me they are **now** not available. We need to get RFP to hotel **ASAP**. Also, we have changed both contractor and hotels once already.

I am going forward with these dates (May 9,10 and 11), unless Cathy or Dan redirects.

Thanks again,
Sam

From: Weaver, Doug
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 8:51 PM
To: Jones, Sam
Cc: Benner, Eric; Pulliam, Timothy; Ordaz, Vonna
Subject: nmss retreat

Sam,

SFST would like to point out that the dates now being discussed for the retreat (2nd week of May) conflict with our regional inspector counterpart meeting.

Doug

From: Graham, Camillea
To: Cheok, Michael
Subject: Message
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 1:07:38 PM

Hi Mike,

I know you are not in today ☺ But, Gary Peet from INPO called and asked if you could give him a call. 770-644-8704.

Camillea Graham
Administrative Assistant
Division of Risk Assessment (DRA)
301-415-2884

From: Haney, Catherine
To: Ordaz, Vonna
Cc: Walker, Dwight
Subject: RE: Friday, 3/18
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 1:19:00 PM

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thanks

From: Ordaz, Vonna
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 12:11 PM
To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: Friday, 3/18

I'm available to cover for you/Dan on Friday, if needed.

Vonna

From: Haney, Catherine
To: Pulliam, Timothy
Subject: RE: Follow up
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 1:19:00 PM

Not good. Take care of yourself.

-----Original Message-----
From: Pulliam, Timothy
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 12:45 PM
To: Haney, Catherine; Dorman, Dan
Subject: Follow up

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Sent from an NRC Blackberry
Timothy I. Pulliam
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From: Haney, Catherine
To: (b)(6)
Subject: FW: NEWS CLIPS - 03/14/2011
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 1:25:00 PM
Attachments: image001.png

See first article. This is the memo I was working on and I'm the one that had to respond to the dissenters.

From: Mehrhoff, Vivian
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:07 AM
To: Ahn, Tae; Albert, Michelle; Alferink, Beth; Andersen, James; Bahadur, Sher; Bailey, Marissa; Bielecki, Jessica; BowdenBerry, Elva; Brach, Bill; Bradbury, John; Brooks, David; Bupp, Margaret; Campbell, Andy; Campbell, Larry; Camper, Larry; Cao, Tianqing; Cermeno, Andrea; Chang, Kien; Ciocco, Jeff; Coleman, Neil; Collins, Elmo; Comar, Manny; Compton, Keith; Cuadrado, Jose; Damon, Dennis; David Turner; Davis, Jack; Dricks, Victor; Eubanks-White, Darlene; Everett, Vincent; Fedors, Randall; Fetter, Allen; Firth, James; Ford, William; Francis, Karin; Freeman, Denise; Garcia-Santos, Norma; Gendelman, Adam; Glenn, Chad; Gray, Anita; Guttmann, Jack; Gwo, Jin-Ping; Hair, Christopher; Hamdan, Latif; Haney, Catherine; Higgs, Gloria; Howell, Art; Hull, John; Jagannath, Banad; John Stamatkos; Johnson, Robert; Kobetz, Timothy; Kokajko, Lawrence; Kotra, Janet; Latta, Robert; Lee, Mike; Leeds, Eric; Lenehan, Daniel; Leslie, Bret; Lewis, Robert; Maier, Bill; Markley, Christopher; Matula, Thomas; McCartin, Timothy; McIntyre, David; McKenney, Christepher; Misenhimer, David; Mohseni, Aby; Mullins, Alicia; Nataraja, Mysore; Ordaz, Vonna; Parker, Nicole; Parrott, Jack; Pineda, Christine; Powell, Amy; Rahimi, Meraj; Rivera, Carmen; Roach, Kevin; Rubenstone, James; Salomon, Stephen; Sampson, Michele; Schlapper, Gerald; Self, Stephen; Silvia, Andrea; Spitzberg, Blair; Stablein, King; StAmour, Norman; Staub, Janet; Sulima, John; Tannenbaum, Anita; Trifiletti, Sue; Uselding, Lara; Valencia, Jennifer; Virgilio, Rosetta; Wastler, Sandra; Waters, Michael; Weaver, Doug; Weber, Michael; Whaley, Sheena; White, Bernard; Willoughby, Leonard; Young, Mitzi
Subject: NEWS CLIPS - 03/14/2011

Las Vegas Review-Journal, 03/11/2011

NRC senior staffers protest Yucca Mountain shutdown

By Steve Tetreault
STEPHENS WASHINGTON BUREAU
Posted: Mar. 11, 2011 | 2:01 p.m.

WASHINGTON -- Three senior staff members at the Nuclear Regulatory Commission signed written dissents to the agency's ongoing shutdown of the Yucca Mountain project, according to documents made public Friday.

The documents show that the controversial directive from NRC chairman Gregory Jaczko last October to halt publication of a license report on the proposed Nevada nuclear waste repository continues to reverberate at the nuclear safety agency.

The staffers in January and early February signed protests to an update prepared by the Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards detailing the ongoing termination of the Yucca program.

The status report did not "adequately characterize the confusion, chaos and anguish occasioned by the chairman's unilateral decision to disrupt the orderly process of SER

development," wrote King Stablein, a project branch chief in the division of high-level repository safety.

The SER is the safety evaluation report that would have contained staff recommendations on whether a repository at Yucca Mountain, 100 miles northwest of Las Vegas, could safely store thousands of tons of high-level nuclear waste. Volumes of the report were made public by the NRC last month, with the recommendations redacted.

Senior project manager Janet Kotra and Aby Mohseni, deputy director for licensing, also signed dissents, which were released by the NRC.

According to Stablein, staff on the high-level waste project recommended to Jaczko at an Oct. 12, 2010, meeting that completing the licensing report would benefit the nation and "would be by far the most efficient and effective use of resources."

Jaczko replied that "it would look more political to publish the SER volumes with findings" than to issue them without the recommendations, according to Stablein.

Jaczko had no comment on the meeting. The staffer's memo could add more logs to a fire surrounding Jaczko, a former science adviser to chief Yucca Mountain foe Sen. Harry Reid, D-Nev. Critics have accused Jaczko of politicizing the agency's handling of the nuclear waste issue.

The dissents are filed with Jaczko and the four other NRC commissioners, but there has been no indication of further action on them.

COMMENTS: 10 Reader Comment(s)
LINK: http://www.lvrj.com/news/nrc-senior-staffers-protest-yucca-mountain-shutdown-117825588.html

Las Vegas Sun: 03/14/2011

Japan's nuclear meltdown prompts talk of safety, Yucca Mountain's role

By *Karoun Demirjian* (contact)

Sunday, March 13, 2011 | 8:22 p.m.

Sun Coverage

- Earthquake rattles Las Vegas residents with family in Japan (3-11-11)

Sun coverage

- Yucca Mountain

WASHINGTON - The partial meltdown of several nuclear power plants around Japan as a result of a tsunami that wrought untold havoc there over the weekend is forcing a discussion about nuclear safety in the United States that could have big consequences for Nevada.

Development of nuclear as an energy alternative has been getting a huge political push in

recent months, with both the Obama administration and the new Republican majority in the House favoring investment in the field, including restarting construction on nuclear power plants that have been waiting in the wings since the Three Mile Island incident in the '70s.

That new attention has, in turn, raised the question of what's to happen with Yucca Mountain -- Nevada's potential waste-dump site that hasn't yet been approved by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, but hasn't been scratched either.

Yucca Mountain has been off the agenda under the Obama administration's last few budget requests, but now that Republicans are dictating much of the process, it's back on. Last month, House leadership made sure to include a prohibition against using federal funds to wind down operations at the site in their fiscal 2011 budget reduction bill, on the rationale that the nuclear industry can't expand until there is a place to dump spent waste.

While the Obama administration hasn't taken the same tack on Yucca, there does seem to have been an inevitability about the issue for the last few months. "Clean" power nuclear energy is the one area in which the Obama administration's renewable-friendly and the Republicans' oil-and-gas friendly energy priorities seem to intersect, meaning a broad roll-out of nuclear power facilities was to be a likely fulcrum of any greater energy deal.

But the Japan incident already seems to be giving many in Washington pause about just how great an idea that nuclear roll-out might be.

Independent Sen. Joe Lieberman, who has been a backer of nuclear, said Sunday on "Face the Nation" that he thinks the U.S. should abandon its plans for nuclear expansion for now.

"I think we've got to kind of quietly, quickly put the brakes on until we can absorb what has happened in Japan," he said.

Other senators in both parties have said the meltdown should only push the United States to direct more attention to developing safety and security measures for new facilities.

But to date, discussion about the potential for nuclear accidents in the United States has centered around problems of transportation, faulty machinery and human error -- not the kind of cataclysmic natural disasters that nobody can predict, fully safeguard against or control.

While much of the United States is susceptible to tsunamis, there are several active fault lines and areas of volcanic activity not far from where existing nuclear power plants, nuclear reactors for research purposes and other proposed commercial sites are located. The West Coast is the worst: in California, home to some of the country's oldest licensed nuclear power plants, there are at least two full-scale commercial plants near the San Andreas fault, the country's most earthquake-prone region.

While nuclear experts have argued that the plants in the U.S. have been built with the utmost attention to earthquake resistance, it's also the case that the nuclear power plants currently in operation in the United States all date back, in part or in whole, to construction dates of more than 30 years ago.

But now that the issue is on the table, it appears the fear of an accident that has gripped Nevadans for several years is now spreading to other states' representatives as they wait to see the full extent of the damage that will result from the Japanese crisis -- and decide if for them, too, the risks of nuclear power hit too close to home. If they do, it could be the final nail in the nuclear Yucca project that so many Nevadans have waited for.

Comments: 7 Reader Comment(s)
Link: http://www.lasvegassun.com/news/2011/mar/13/japans-nuclear-meltdown-prompts-talk-safety-yucca-/

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"Death is not the greatest loss in life. The greatest loss is what dies inside us while we live." ...Norman Cousins

From: Adams, Alexander
To: NRR_DPR_Distribution
Subject: thank you from the bottom of my heart
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 1:28:15 PM

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Al

From: Pedersen, Roger
To: Boger, Bruce
Subject: Out of Office: FOOD FOR THOUGHT As you make the lists MEDICAL SCREEN???
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 1:29:40 PM

I'm out of the office 3/7/2011 to 3/18/2011. If you need assistance contact my Branch Chief, Undine Shoop.

From: Government Executive Events
To: Boger, Bruce
Subject: Wikileaks: Lessons Learned
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 1:35:35 PM

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Federal Cybersecurity Briefings

What has the Wikileaks incident taught us about information-sharing and data security?

WikiLeaks: Lessons Learned

Wednesday, March 30, 2011
7:30am - 9:30am
Ronald Reagan Building
The Rotunda - 8th Floor, North Tower
1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC

The publication of classified State Department cables in late 2010 -- and denial-of-service attacks launched by loosely connected "hactivists" in the aftermath -- made clear that cloud security can be an issue of national security. WikiLeaks taught us that the leak of confidential documents can be embarrassing at best and dangerous at worst, but what have we learned about information sharing and data security?

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From: Broadwater, Lynne
To: All R1 Users
Subject: Solicitation of Interest - Temporary Resident Inspector/Peach Bottom
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 1:44:24 PM

The Division of Reactor Projects (DRP) has a temporary reassignment opportunity for the Resident Inspector position at the **Peach Bottom Resident Office**, Projects Branch 4. The opportunity will be from March 27, 2011 through July 16, 2011.

Site: Peach Bottom Resident Office
Location: Delta, Pennsylvania
Supervisor: Paul Krohn, Chief, Projects Branch 4, DRP

Area of Consideration: This opportunity is open to Region I employees, Appendix 'A' qualified in the 800 engineering series.

Brief Statement of Duties: The incumbent will be responsible for inspections during startup, operation, and participation in planning the scope of inspections, preparing reports which contain an assessment of observations made and conclusions reached regarding conformance with NRC requirements, operation license, and applicable industry codes and standards.

Questions concerning the technical aspects of this temporary reassignment opportunity should be directed to Paul Krohn, Branch Chief, Projects Branch 4, DRP.

Interested employees should discuss their interest with their supervisor and submit an email indicating interest to Paul Krohn, with a cc to both Lynne Broadwater, HR Staff, and your supervisor, by COB Monday, March 21, 2011.

From: Ordaz, Vonna
To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: No need for a ride back...thanks
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 1:53:02 PM

From: Frumkin, Daniel
To: Cheok, Michael; Klein, Alex; Graham, Camillea; Lee, Samson
Subject: Discuss Changes to Fire Protection Triennial Inspection

When: Monday, March 14, 2011 2:00 PM-2:30 PM (GMT-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada).
Where: O10H1

Note: The GMT offset above does not reflect daylight saving time adjustments.

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Mike,

I would like to set up this meeting to briefly discuss one specific change to the fire protection inspection procedure.

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Dan

Murphy, Martin

From: Frye, Timothy
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 2:02 PM
To: Tabatabai, Omid; James, Lois
Cc: Tappert, John; Shuaibi, Mohammed; Murphy, Martin
Subject: RE: INFO: Early Warning...

Omid

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From: Tabatabai, Omid
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 1:20 PM
To: Frye, Timothy
Cc: Tappert, John
Subject: INFO: Early Warning...

Tim,

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From: Heida, Bruce
To: Susco, Jeremy
Cc: Cheok, Michael; Tate, Travis
Subject: RE: ACTION: please review RNWL-100, Rev 2 by 3/15
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 2:09:40 PM

Jeremy,

Attached is marked up copy of RNWL-100 with comments from DRA. In summary, the changes are as follows:

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The new reference should assist future reviewers identifying the requirements for SAMA reviews.

Thank you,

Bruce Heida
US NRC
NRR/DRA
(301) 415-3221

From: Susco, Jeremy
Sent: Thursday, March 03, 2011 3:26 PM
To: Titus, Brett; Cusumano, Victor; Roquecruz, Carla; Heida, Bruce; Valentine, Nicholee; Cartwright, William; Meighan, Sean
Subject: ACTION: please review RNWL-100, Rev 2 by 3/15

ACTION: Please review Rev 2 to RNWL-100 for DD concurrence and provide comments and/or recommend concurrence. The update is attached. You can use track changes or provide me paper comments.

DUE DATE: 3/15

TAC: MD5473

Thanks,
Jeremy

Satorius, Mark

From: OBrien, Kenneth
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 2:11 PM
To: Holt, BJ
Cc: Satorius, Mark; Reynolds, Steven; Pederson, Cynthia
Subject: 2nd Floor Turnover

BJ

My apologies for us getting together on Friday to conduct a face to face turnover for the second floor.

The good news is that all is going very well and you should have a relatively quiet next 4 weeks as Phase 2a (the reception area), and Phase 2b, (the new main conference room storage space are completed.

A short timeline of work to come for your information and use.

Phase 2a:

This week, 3/14, should be spent as follows:
a) 3/14-Paint lobby ceiling, continue taping, install glass sidelights, install acoustical tiles.
b) 3/15-Level floors, HVAC work, Acoustical tiles, painting.
c) 3/16- Fire protection, carpet, painting.
d) 3/17- Repair wall covering in corridors, Millwork delivery
e) Millwork installation/electrical work continues.

The week of 3/21, should be spent completing the millwork instillation, moving the glass doors (expected on 3/25), and clean up of the area for NRC takeover approximately on the end of the month.

Final check out and City of Lisle review of the space for occupancy is scheduled for the week of 3/28.

NRC assumption of the Phase 2a area will depend on city of Lisle Occupancy Review, installation of 4 key cards for the entry into and 3 exits from the reception area, IT activation of the necessary communication tools for the area, installation of necessary office furniture in the new office spaces, and removal of the two temporary walls separating the new second floor space and the RA space from the new reception area. Of course we will need to install and address the x-ray, metal detector, and other items once these arrive. The general contractor has already placed the necessary connections to support these pieces of equipment along with both the reception and guard desks. Mike King and Tom Magee are working with Dina relative to operation of the reception desk for a few days after the glass doors are moved and before the receptionist can move into the new space.

We should not have to make any changes to the plans for the area prior to completion based upon my reviews and discussions with the general contractor, Mike King, and Tom Magee on Friday.

Phase 2b:

This work should proceed quickly and for the most part involves only a couple of items that will need to have close oversight. The first is the installation of the new doors into the main conference room and the second is the installation of a new entry point into the hallway that is adjacent to the OI space. I have walked thru the timing and logistics for this with the general contractor, Mike and Tom so there should not be any significant issues with is effort. If snags come up, Tom and Mike will be should to get with you.

This work should be fully completed and the space turned over to use no later than 4/15.

Finally, on a budgetary note, the 75% payment should be completed this week and we will need to authorize payment to GSA through DOI prior to the end of the month. I have reviewed the bill as submitted to GSA and concur with the charges as appropriate. GSA has already processed the bill for payment to the building this week.

Thanks

Ken

Kenneth G. O'Brien
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From: ForefrontServerSecurity@R1MS02.com
To: R1 Antivirus; Shaw, Timothy; NOC Members; HQ Antivirus
Subject: Microsoft Forefront Server Security realtime scan timed out and recovered
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 2:14:16 PM

Timeout occurred while scanning 10:00-10:30-IRC Modifications Mtg./TEW/MD/LW in folder R1DRMCAL RESOURCE/Calendar. Please contact Microsoft.

Owen, Lucy

From: Robles, Jesse
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 2:24 PM
Subject: New OpE Forum COMM Posting - Callaway - SIT Due To Loss of Lubrication to the Turbine Driven Auxiliary Feedwater Pump (TDAFWP) Bearing

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March 10, 2011

MEMORANDUM TO: Victor M. McCree
Regional Administrator

FROM: Anthony T. Gody, Director */RA/*
Division of Fuel Facility Inspection

SUBJECT: BRANCH CHIEF REPORTS

Enclosed are the branch chief reports and one liners for the Division of Fuel Facility Inspection (DFFI). The highlights of these reports are provided below.

SAFETY:

- Robert Prince provided supplemental resident inspector coverage at NFS
- Management decided to initiate a special inspection at Global Nuclear Fuels on March 14, 2011 to review the circumstances surrounding an event in which mass control was lost on a process.

SECURITY: Routine

OPENNESS:

- Issued Licensee Performance Review letters and meeting announcements for Nuclear Fuel Services, Westinghouse, Global Nuclear Fuels – America, Louisiana Energy Services, Paducah, and Honeywell.

EFFECTIVENESS:

- The Division of Fuel Facility Inspection supported the NRC Regulatory Information Conference.

MANAGEMENT: None

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SIGNIFICANT SPO ITEMS: None

ACTIVITIES FOR NEXT WEEK:

- Global Nuclear Fuels – America special inspection.

Enclosures: As stated

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NOTE TO: Anthony T. Gody, Director, Division of Fuel Facility Inspection

FROM: *JMPelchat acting for* Steven J. Vias, Chief, Fuel Facility Inspection Branch 1

SUBJECT: FFIB1 WEEKLY REPORT & ACTIVITIES PLANNED FOR MARCH 7 - 11, 2011

I. Planned Inspections, Rotations, and Significant Travel for Next Week

- Steve Vias and Manuel Crespo along with other DFFI staff members will be participate in the PI&R and SCIPA inspection exit at NFS in Erwin, TN
- Bob Prince will be participating in an operations inspection at LES in Hobbs, NM

II. Qualification Status and Training Conducted/Scheduled

- Steve Vias and Galen Smith attended "Critical Thinking" training

III. Other Significant Activities Planned Through Next Week

- Finalize AARM slides for regional review and approval prior to forwarding to NMSS
- Documentation of PI&R and SCIPA inspection results
- Issue NFS Oversight Panel lessons learned memo

IV. Other Significant Activities Planned for Next Four Weeks

- Continued development of the Matrix for the NFS "Safety Culture Improvement Plan" and SCuBA2 report
- Planning for the upcoming RRAT5 inspection (postponed until early May 2011)
- Continue preparations for the NFS AARM recommendation.
- Finalize NFS Communication Plan
- Prepare for the public LPR meeting at NFS (April 7)
- On March 21, Bob Prince will begin an eight week rotation as the senior resident inspector at the Paducah Gaseous Diffusion Plant.

V. Significant Accomplishments

SAFETY - Protection of public health and safety and the environment

- Robert Prince provided supplemental resident inspector coverage at NFS

SECURITY - Secure use and management of radioactive materials

- Routine

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OPENNESS - Openness in our regulatory process

- Issued LPR letters for NFS and notified internal and external stakeholders.

EFFECTIVENESS - NRC actions are effective, efficient, realistic, and timely

- Routine

March 10, 2011

NOTE TO: Anthony T. Gody, Director, Division of Fuel Facility Inspection

FROM: Joe Calle, Chief, Fuel Facility Inspection Branch 2 (FFIB2)

SUBJECT: FFIB2 Weekly Report & Activities Planned For March 14 – March 18, 2011

I. Planned Inspections, Rotations, and Significant Travel

Leonard Pitts is participating in a 95002 inspection at VC Summer.

Sandra Mendez-Gonzalez is on rotation to DRP through June 3.

On March 15, David Hartland will accompany Tony Gody on a visit to GNF-A/GLE.

II. Qualification Status and Training Conducted/Scheduled

The following personnel are currently working towards completing their qualifications as a Fuel Facility Inspector:

- Sandra Mendez-Gonzalez (Basic Inspector Qualified) (6/11).
- Nick Peterka (12/11)
- Regina Russell (2/12)
- Matthew Toth (9/12)

III. Other Significant Activities Next Week

None.

IV. Significant Accomplishments/Items/Findings for This Week

SAFETY

Mathew Toth accompanied Mary Thomas on a Plant Operations inspection at GNF.

EFFECTIVENESS

Joe Calle attended the RIC.

Sandra Mendez and Nick Peterka attended the PRA Basics for Regulatory Application (P-105) course to be held in RII.

Honeywell, Paducah, and LES LPR letters and meeting notices were issued.

OPERATIONAL EXCELLENCE

Routine

OPENNESS

Routine

SECURITY

Routine

March 10, 2011

NOTE TO: Tony Gody, Director, Division of Fuel Facility Inspection

FROM: Omar R. López for Marvin D. Sykes, Chief, Fuel Facility Inspection Branch 3 (FFIB3)

SUBJECT: FFIB3 ACTIVITIES PLANNED FOR MARCH 14 THROUGH MARCH 18, 2011

I. Planned Inspections, Rotations, and Significant Travel for Next Week:

- Special Inspection Team (SIT) at GNF-A to inspect and assess the facts and circumstances surrounding the failure to maintain mass control within the of UO_2 Sinter Test Grinding Station HEPA filter enclosure (EN 46650).
- Michelle Romano to NFS to participate in PI&R inspection exit meeting.
- Carmen Rivera on work at home
- Gregg Goff on rotation to B&W facility

II. Qualification Status and Training Conducted/Scheduled:

- Gregg Goff is pursuing qualification – March 2011
- Patricia Glenn is pursuing qualification – April 2011
- Nicole Coovert is pursuing qualification – December 2011
- Carmen Rivera is pursuing qualification – January 2012

III. Other Significant Activities Planned for Next Week:

- None

IV. Other Significant Activities Planned for Next Four Weeks:

- Branch 3 monthly staff meeting scheduled for March 31, 2011, 2:00 pm.

V. SIGNIFICANT ACCOMPLISHMENTS FOR THIS WEEK

SAFETY

- Mary Thomas performed Operations inspection at GNF-A and followed up with EN 46663.
- Jose Díaz performed MC&A inspection at NFS.

EFFECTIVENESS

- Westinghouse and GNF-A LPR letters and meeting notices were issued.
- Marvin Sykes accompanied inspector at B&W.

OPERATIONAL EXCELLENCE

- Routine

OPENNESS

- Routine

SECURITY

Routine

Plant Status

1. Fuel Facilities

a. American Centrifuge Plant

The licensee has demobilized its construction activities. There are no engineering, procurement or construction activities ongoing. There are a limited number of ongoing activities associated with quality assurance audits of a few suppliers and vendors. However, design work for the feed and withdrawal facility by the EPC contractor (Fluor) is scheduled to begin early this year.

b. Areva NP – Lynchburg

Process Area – The final bundle was assembled yesterday, February 22, 2011, with the final fuel shipment in March. The licensee submitted their decommissioning plan to the NRC; it is in FSME for review. The licensee stated that they have yet to receive any feedback regarding the decommissioning plan. The licensee plans to enter "decommissioning" prior to April 1, 2011, as this is the annual fee cut-off date.

Off Normal Event –

Management Changes – None

Media/Public Inquiries – None

Visitors - state/local/federal – None

Inspection(s) in progress – None

c. Areva NP – Richland

Process Area –

UCAR:

- **DCF** is down for maintenance and inventory preparations (restart is expected 3/28/2011)
- **BLEU Powder Preparation** is not scheduled until July
- **ADU** is operating until Thursday when it will be down for maintenance and inventory preparations (restart is expected 3/28/2011)
- **ELO** is operating until Thursday when it will be down for maintenance and inventory (restart is expected 3/24/2011).
- **Ash recovery** is down for maintenance.
- **UF6 Cylinder Wash** is operating until Friday when it will be down for maintenance and inventory preparation (restart is expected 3/24/2011).

Ceramics

- **UO2** is scrapping and preparing for inventory (restart is expected 4/4/2011)
- **BLEU** is down (restart of grinding operations is expected 7/25/2011)
- **NAF** is grinding pellets expect to go down today (restart is expected 5/9/2011)

Rod and Bundles-

- **T&W**—Standard shipments to customers
- **UF6 Cylinder Recertification**— is operating

Off Normal Events – None

Management Changes – None

Media/Public Inquiries – None

Visitors - state/local/federal – None

Inspection(s) in progress – None

d. B&W Nuclear Operations Group

(~~OUO~~ –PI) Routine fuel manufacturing operations are ongoing in the fuel and element manufacturing areas of the plant and in the Research and Test Reactors and Targets (RTRT) area. Uranium Recovery (UR) operations have remained down since removal of Raschig-ring filled tanks and installation of favorable geometry vessels in their place will continue in the UR area through late-March 2011. UR Operations has revised their plans to have the facility up and running by early April 2011.

(~~OUO~~ –PI) As followup on Event Notification (EN) # 46589 made to the NRC on February 3, 2011 for an unfavorable geometry container found in the UR container control area (CCA) which resulted in a failure to meet the performance requirements of 10 CFR 70.61, the licensee issued their 30-day written report as required by 10 CFR 70 Appendix A. The SRI will be reviewing their internal investigation report and NRC-required report for adequacy of causal analysis and corrective action identification.

e. GE Hitachi Laser

(~~OUO~~-PI) Enrichment runs on the bench-top experiment to verify that scalability results are consistent with Silex predictions are ongoing. The licensee has installed and has begun operation of another bench-scale model that doesn't

enrich UF6 but tests the compatibility of different materials with process gas. Operation of that model is on hold pending implementation of new IROFS in response to a previous reportable event.

The licensee continues installation and testing of test loop process equipment. The licensee does not plan to introduce carrier gas to the test loop until sometime next year. Plans to introduce UF_6 to the test loop are on hold pending further evaluation.

f. GNF-A

Process Area –

All three DCP conversion lines, Ceramics, and bundle Assembly were shut down as a result of EN 46663 on Tuesday for communication and training purposes. The process areas restarted Wednesday (~13:30) upon completion of stand-downs.

Off Normal Event:

EN 46650

At approximately 3:00 pm on Tuesday, March 1st, it was reported that 15.3kg of UO2 powder was removed from the UO2 Sinter Test Grinding Station High Efficiency Particulate Air (HEPA) filter housing transition. This clean-out was performed as a response to routine radiological surveys that indicated the presence of uranium. It was determined that this material was present during prior filter replacement in early February in which 30.9 kg of UO2 powder was removed. The total amount of UO2 powder present in the housing was therefore approximately 46 kg, which is greater than a safe mass of 31 Kg.

Failure to maintain mass control resulted in a loss of double contingency for the filter housing. The double contingency controls required include (1) mass control and (2) moderation control. Moderation control, the 2nd leg of double contingency remained in place, was effective, and was not challenged. As a result, no unsafe condition existed.

The licensee shut down the UO_2 Sinter Test Grinding Station and the others grinders in the facility. The licensee conducted an extent of condition on the other grinders and reviewed historical dp data for all of the HEPA enclosures. The licensee did not observe any additional problems. The others grinders have a different design that included specific equipment to catch the grinding dust.

Since, the licensee did not identify any problems with the others grinders they were put back in operations, but the UO_2 Sinter Test Grinding Station remained shutdown. The licensee is in the process of conducting a root cause evaluation.

EN 46663

On Monday, March 7th, the licensee was conducting an audit of waste containers and identified that a can of powder was present on a conveyor in the UO2 press feed area without the required material control transaction. The can contained three vacuum bags of powder. The transaction is one criticality control (moderation control) for the conveyor to ensure only authorized dry materials are stored.

The second controlled parameter (mass of uranium in each can) was maintained at all times. As a result, no unsafe condition existed. The total amount of UO2 powder in the improperly stored can was approximately 13.6 kg (mass limit for the container is 25 kg).

The licensee properly performed the material control transaction and the can was transferred to an approved storage location. The licensee ceased SNM movements pending investigation, extent of condition review, and implementation of additional corrective actions. In addition, the licensee conducted a stand down with the operations staff to discuss the event.

Management Changes: None

Media/Public Inquiries: None

Visitors: None

Inspection(s):

- March 7 – 11, 2011 - Operations (Mary Thomas / Matthew Toth) - Currently in progress
- March 14-18, 2011 – Special Inspection Team to review EN 35788.

g. Honeywell

Honeywell's hourly employees remain locked-out from the facility. Negotiations with representatives of USW Local 7-669, representing the plant's hourly operations and maintenance staff, showed no progress toward a resolution. They are scheduled to continue negotiations on March 21-22, 2011.

Honeywell continues to conduct licensed activities, including the production of uranium hexafluoride (UF6) and UF6 product cylinder filling. The licensee continues to ship UF6 cylinders. Oil Preparation is up and the licensee is running two mud boilers. Both Green Salts A and B are in service. Fluorinators are up

and running. Operations are routine and the licensee recorded one injury in which an employee accidently cut himself on the left wrist while removing an agitator from U-13 tank in wet processing. The employee received 8 stitches. No contamination was detected on the employee or the wound. The agitator indicated 500 dpm/100 cm_2 removable.

h. Lead Cascade

The licensee has removed Cascade 3 from service plans to begin assembly of new machines with the latest design in April and resume cascade operation by January of next year.

The licensee has completed some design changes and testing to Cascade 1 that will allow up to 25 AC-100 machines to operate individually with gas in those positions to accumulate some run time. Assembly and installation of those machines was completed after the licensee implemented a column design upgrade in response to a machine that crashed while operating at partial speed, and operation of some machines with process gas has begun. The licensee has scheduled its annual MC&A inventory for the week of March 21.

i. LES

(~~OUO-PI~~) NRC authorization of Cascade 3 is pending resolution of issues identified during the recent onsite commercial grade dedication inspection (i.e., readiness review) involving the licensee's disposition (as-is) of weld defects on Cascade 4 upper steel works. The NRC's completed its review of the licensee's documented basis for deviating from the applicable code requirement and have no further issues from a technical standpoint. However, the NRC is currently reviewing whether the licensee needs to submit the code deviation for our approval as an amendment request. Operation of Cascades 1 and 2 continues without incident. The ORR inspection for autoclave operations is scheduled for May of this year.

j. NFS

Naval fuel production continued normal operations.

BPF: U-Oxide, solvent extraction, and down-blending continued normal operations.

UF6 operations in Building 301 remain shutdown per the Confirmatory Action Letter (CAL) issued on January 7, 2010.

On March 1 it was announced that B&W NOG President Winfred Nash would be retiring. Sandy Baker was named as his replacement.

During the week of March 7, Jose Diaz and David Ditto were on site performing a routine MC&A inspection and Robert Prince was on site performing follow-up inspection activities related to radiation health monitoring concerns.

On March 8, NFS restarted processing UF4.

k. Paducah

The PGDP is producing a product assay of 4.4% and plans to maintain power at approximately 1,650 MW. The plant has had routine operations.

l. Portsmouth

No reportable events or other significant issues were reported. The certificate holder officially turned over the cascade and autoclave building back to DOE effective October 1. Therefore, those facilities are no longer under NRC regulatory jurisdiction. The only activities remaining under NRC jurisdiction that are processing licensed materials are the uranium recovery, laboratory, and waste storage facilities.

~~(OUO-PI)~~ USEC issued a 60-day lay-off notice to employees, as the cold shutdown contract with DOE expires at the end of March. USEC is working with Fluor, DOE's site decommissioning contractor, on a transition plan. Most employees are expected to be retained by Fluor. A meeting between the NRC and DOE is being held on March 10, regarding the possible termination of Portmouth's NRC certificate.

m. Westinghouse

Process Area – Four lines in conversion, four lines in pelleting, IFBA, three lines in ADU Rods, final assembly, and packing are in operation.

Off Normal Events – None

Management Changes – Permanent Status for Scott Armstrong was announced.

Media/Public Inquiries – None

Visitors – None

Inspection(s) in progress – None

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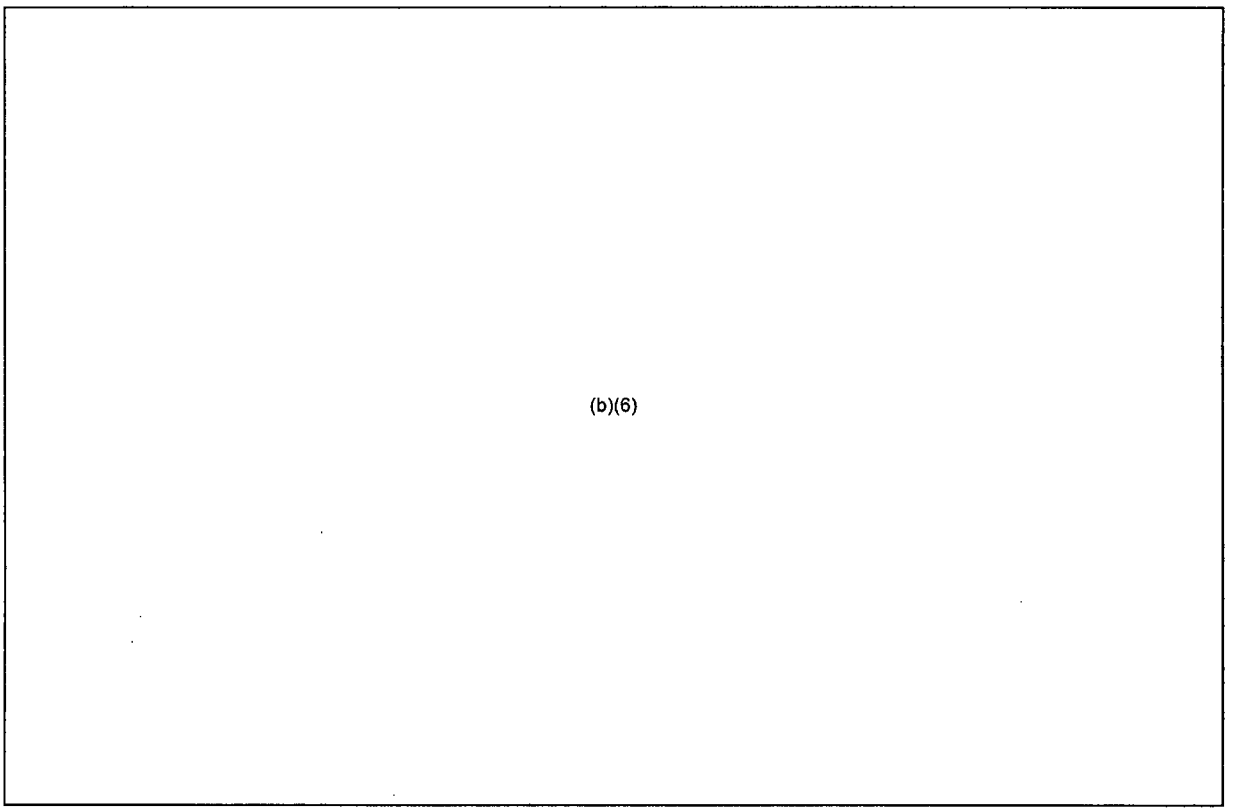
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I would like to thank each NMSS team member for their commitment to truly fostering a work environment that embraces diversity. By embracing the diverse backgrounds and viewpoints of each NMSS employee, we all share in the benefits of greater creativity; greater innovation, and higher quality regulatory products.

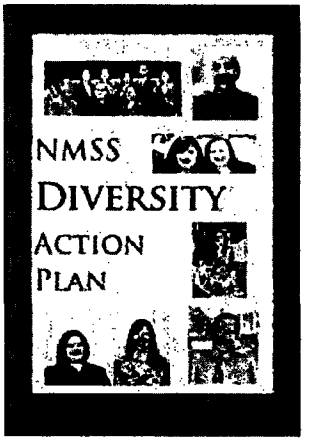
I invite each employee to review the NMSS Diversity Plan (see attached). The specific goals of the plan are to enhance recruitment, hiring, career development, and advancement and to maintain an open and collaborative workplace and engaged workforce. The NMSS plan is aligned with the agency's Comprehensive Diversity Management Plan (CDMP). The overall goals of the NMSS plan are to highlight existing diversity activities and identify new diversity activities for the upcoming year.

I encourage each of you to e-mail any comments you may have to Kim Jones (kimberly.jones@nrc.gov) by March 23rd. In your review of this plan, please identify the things we are doing regarding diversity that (1) we want to continue or enhance, or (2) we could be doing that we are not currently doing.

We plan to celebrate the roll out of our Diversity Plan on April 12th. More information will follow at a later date.

Thank you.

Cathy Haney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All,

On **March 18th from 12:30-2:00pm**, Laura Holgate and Glen Sweetnam will host another Nuclear Energy IPC in EEOB room 439. An agenda for the IPC is forthcoming. Attached is the Summery of Conclusions from the IPC which was held on 2/25.

Also attached to this email is the entire set of interagency comments to the slides on barriers to civil nuclear energy growth which were presented on 2/8, State EUR's Nuclear Energy Score Card for Central Europe, and a letter to Secretary Locke from the Civil Nuclear Trade Advisory Committee.

For those planning to attend the meeting on 3/18, please send your clearance information (full name, date of birth and social security number) to Sonyia Matthews (b)(6) by COB on 7/17. When sending you clearance information please include the date and time of the meeting. And please also let us know if there are colleagues in your own or other agencies who need to be included in this process.

Thank you,
Laura Holgate & Glen Sweetnam
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Friends,

Many thanks for joining our inaugural meeting of the Nuclear Energy Strategy IPC. Attached is the Statement of Conclusions for yesterday's meeting, as well as the two briefings that were presented.

As we discussed, your inputs to the barriers/opportunities spreadsheets are due February 18. You are welcome to provide these in any form that is convenient, but if you wish to actually edit the spreadsheets as they were presented, I am told that you can simply cut and paste the spreadsheets from the briefing charts into whatever editing program you wish to use.

We have scheduled the next meeting for Friday, February 25 at 4-5:30 pm in EEOB Room 445. Please send your clearance information (full name, date of birth and social security number) to Sonyia Matthews ((b)(6)) by COB on 2/23. When sending you clearance information please include the date and time of the meeting. And please also let us know if there are colleagues in your own or other agencies who need to be included in this process.

We look forward to working with you on this important project!

Laura Holgate & Glen Sweetnam

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Nuclear Energy Strategy IPC Meeting: Tuesday, February 8, 2011 from 1:30 – 3:00 pm in EEOB 445

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For those needing clearance into the EEOB, please send your DOB and SSN to Jeff Gelman (b)(6)

Thank you,
Laura Holgate and Glen Sweetnam

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CINTAC

Civil Nuclear Trade Advisory Committee

September 16, 2010

The Honorable Secretary Gary Locke
U.S. Department of Commerce
1401 Constitution Ave., NW
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Dear Secretary Locke,

As the Charter for the current Civil Nuclear Trade Advisory Committee (CINTAC) is about to end, the Committee and its sub-committees have consolidated and prioritized multiple recommendations for your consideration.

The underlying basis of these recommendations is the urgency and importance of quickly restoring a robust commercial nuclear industry in the United States that can compete fairly on a worldwide basis. The CINTAC believes a strong commercial nuclear infrastructure is critical to our energy and national security and ultimately to our economic prosperity. We believe it is important to create commercial nuclear jobs in the U.S. It is also critical to support U.S. technologies and companies to establish an effective export market that will drive the highest level of job creation in the U.S., ensuring our Nation's continued long-term relevance in the nuclear arena. A vibrant commercial nuclear supplier presence overseas is a matter of national security and significantly contributes to the U.S. government's non-proliferation positions. Its absence undermines U.S. non-proliferation goals.

It is clear that other countries recognize the importance of export markets to the success of their domestic nuclear industries. In many cases those nuclear companies are state enterprises, with the state acting as an integrated investor, insurer, dealmaker and often customer. In other instances the state is teaming up with its domestic industry to assist with, offer and promote new products worldwide and support overseas investments by state enterprises to assure raw materials. While fair and open markets are the ideal, in their absence the U.S. government (USG) needs a coordinated response to preserve and promote the U.S. industry and leverage uncompetitive market participants back onto a level playing field.

Based upon this underlying review of the global characteristics of nuclear trade the CINTAC recommendations are:

1. Create a team of U.S. industry, government, academia, and research labs - which is technology neutral - to advance the U.S. nuclear industry's interests. This team will focus on U.S. economic growth and jobs by creating and supporting domestic and international commercial nuclear opportunities and working to level the international playing field by opening markets and encouraging consistent commercial practices world-wide.

The team should be chaired by a White House/National Security Council Nuclear Ombudsman - a new position responsible for: guiding U.S. and international companies through the USG nuclear nonproliferation and export control programs, treaties, and regulations; coordinating with U.S. industry

in leveraging USG for international bids; leading USG and industry efforts in identifying and resolving priority trade issues; identifying countries and regions that represent significant commercial opportunities for U.S. companies; and developing a mechanism to ensure transparency and to solicit industry input as the USG negotiates and implements treaties for civil nuclear cooperation.

2. Establish a policy in coordination with the Departments of Energy (DOE) and State, and with the U.S. Trade Representative to encourage international companies that are owned, controlled or subsidized by their national governments to eliminate unfair competitive structures/financing and closed overseas markets and to develop specific criteria required to qualify for funding by the U.S. Treasury for programs such as DOE's loan guarantees for new nuclear projects in the United States.

3. Work with the U.S. Treasury to encourage international lending institutions, (e.g., World Bank, OPIC) to lift prohibitions of support for nuclear projects.

4. Continue to support and enhance efforts (including direct Department of Commerce support, strong USG alignment, and close State Department involvement) to encourage other nations to adopt, ratify and deposit the Convention on Supplementary Compensation for Nuclear Damages.

5. Spearhead an inter-agency and industry joint effort to create specific policies to expand workforce training to meet the high demand for workers skilled in nuclear plant design, construction and operation to enhance the U.S. industry's ability to compete globally.

6. Accelerate and simplify the commercialization of advanced nuclear technologies from the national laboratories to U.S. companies by rebuilding industry's relationship with government-funded research programs and establishing a decade-long "Nuclear Technology Competitiveness Initiative" focused on near-term development and innovation to increase U.S. industry's competitiveness and create jobs.

7. Continue the USG's strong support of international trade missions to facilitate U.S. industry's entry into the global commercial nuclear market and increase its leverage of geo-political relationships to ensure open markets and consistent fair play in commercial nuclear tenders and bidding processes.

8. Develop a road map/toolkit (in both printed and web form) directed at foreign governments and industry to help them understand the treaties, regulations and processes required for foreign nations and industry to cooperate and trade with the U.S. industry.

Documents supporting these recommendations have been provided to your staff for future reference.

On behalf of the CINTAC, I wish to express our sincere appreciation for your leadership in support of the nuclear industry, and for renewing the charter for this industry-based Federal Advisory Committee.

Sincerely, and on behalf of the members of CINTAC,

Craig S. Hansen

Craig S. Hansen
Chairman
Civil Nuclear Trade Advisory Committee
Vice President; Nuclear Manufacturing; Babcock & Wilcox Nuclear Energy, Inc.

Cc: Members of the CINTAC

Mr. Edward Wolbert; President/CEO, Transco Products Inc.
Mr. Anthony Greco; Senior Vice President, Westinghouse Electric Company
Mr. Daniel Roderick; Senior Vice President, GE Hitachi Nuclear Energy
Dr. Thomas Sanders; President, American Nuclear Society
Mr. Seth Grae; President & CEO, Lightbridge Corporation
Dr. William Woodward; Senior Vice President, Holtec International
Mr. Scott Campbell; President, American Council on Global Nuclear Competitiveness
Ms. Carol Berrigan; Senior Director, Industry Infrastructure, Nuclear Energy Institute
Mr. Bruce T. Landrey; Chief Marketing Officer, NuScale Power, Inc.
Mr. Jeffrey A. Benjamin, Sr. Vice President, Commercial Nuclear Power, CH2M Hill
Mr. Jack Edlow; President, Edlow International Company
Mr. Michael Whitehurst; Director, Business Development, American Centrifuge, USEC Inc.
Mr. Steve Casadevall; Engineering Manager, ASCO Valve Inc.
Mr. Scott Melbye; President, Cameco Inc.
Mr. Ganpat Mani; President & CEO, ConverDyn
Mr. John D. Moran; General Counsel, GrafTech International

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From: Leeds, Eric
To: Thomas, Eric
Cc: Thorp, John; Brown, Frederick; Nguyen, Quynh; Cheok, Michael; McDermott, Brian; Boger, Bruce
Subject: ACTION: Ops Center help in PRA
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:05:10 PM

Please let the Op Center know that Marty Stutzke will take Mike Cheok's place on the RST watch bill on 3/16.

Eric J. Leeds, Director
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
301-415-1270

From: Uhle, Jennifer
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 2:06 PM
To: Leeds, Eric
Cc: Stutzke, Martin; Coyne, Kevin; Sheron, Brian
Subject: Ops Center help in PRA

Eric,

Marty Stutzke is available. He cannot stay much past normal time today, say 6 pm but is available 3-11 on the 16th.

Thanks,

Jennifer

From: (b)(6)
To: Boger, Bruce
Subject: Out of Office: Mentoring (b)(6)
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:11:39 PM

I am out of the office and will return Thursday morning. Thank you.

From: McHale, John
To: NRR_DIRS Distribution
Subject: Delegation of Authority - IOLB
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:18:57 PM

While I am away from the office on Tuesday and Wednesday, March 15 & 16, 2011, I have designated John Munro as the acting Chief, Operator Licensing and Training Branch. John is located in room O7A03A and may be reached at extension 415-1097.

Jack McHale, Chief
Operator Licensing & Training Branch
Division of Inspection & Regional Support
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
(301) 415-3254
John.McHale@nrc.gov

From:	Borchardt, Bill
To:	Muessle, Mary
Subject:	RE: Draft Contingency Plans for Agency Operations in the Absence of Appropriations
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 3:32:00 PM

Please do. Thanks

From: Muessle, Mary
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:26 PM
To: Borchardt, Bill
Subject: Re: Draft Contingency Plans for Agency Operations in the Absence of Appropriations

I am happy to serve as the EDO rep if you would like me to.

Sent from NRC BlackBerry
Mary Muessle
(b)(6)

From: Dyer, Jim
To: Burns, Stephen; Borchardt, Bill
Cc: Rothschild, Trip; Itzkowitz, Marvin; Muessle, Mary; Batkin, Joshua; Golder, Jennifer; Brown, Milton
Sent: Mon Mar 14 15:22:07 2011
Subject: RE: Draft Contingency Plans for Agency Operations in the Absence of Appropriations

Steve, thanks. If you need to set up a call on short notice; OCFO contacts would be me, Milton and Jennifer in that order. Jim

From: Burns, Stephen
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 2:49 PM
To: Dyer, Jim; Borchardt, Bill
Cc: Rothschild, Trip; Itzkowitz, Marvin; Muessle, Mary; Batkin, Joshua
Subject: FW: Draft Contingency Plans for Agency Operations in the Absence of Appropriations

Jim / Bill – this looks like a standard request being sent out by the OMB GC to agency GC's on implementation of possible shutdown plans. I am going to suggest that they use me as their contact. When they schedule a call it may be useful to have a CFO and / or EDO rep with me.
I realize this is the least of our worries today!

Steve

From: Kadakia, Pooja [mailto:Pooja_Kadakia@omb.eop.gov] **On Behalf Of** Bansal, Preeta D.
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 1:32 PM
To: Burns, Stephen
Cc: Bansal, Preeta D.; Kadakia, Pooja; Taransky, Naomi Stern; McDonald, Christine
Subject: Draft Contingency Plans for Agency Operations in the Absence of Appropriations

Dear Stephen:

OMB has received your agency's draft contingency plan for operations in the absence of appropriations, attached hereto. To help agencies prepare plans containing sufficient operational

detail such that execution of a shutdown, if necessary, can proceed within a matter of hours, every agency's draft plan is directed to include all of the required information listed in OMB Circular A-11, Section 124 ("Agency Operations in the Absence of Appropriations"). OMB will not "approve" or "disapprove" agency plans; we simply will tee up issues for your agency's consideration.

To facilitate this collaboration, please designate (as soon as possible, and preferably within one day) one attorney from your staff to serve as OMB OGC's primary point of contact on your agency's plan, and send the name of and appropriate contact information for your designee to Pooja Kadakia (pkadakia@omb.eop.gov). An attorney from my office will reach out shortly to schedule a conference call with your designee. To help prepare for this call, I list below a variety of topics with which we hope your designee can be familiar and prepared to discuss. The purpose of this call will be talk through and identify certain legal and practical issues, if any, that may benefit from your further consideration.

Agency Functions:

- What agency operations will continue during a period of lapsed appropriations, especially in the first 2 to 3 days of such a period?
- Under what Antideficiency Act exception(s), as outlined in the OLC opinion of August 16, 1995, would those activities continue?
- What agency operations will be closed during a period lapsed appropriations?

Personnel:

- Which categories of personnel have you classified as necessary to perform "excepted" functions, and have you made preliminary determinations as which employees which will expected to report to work and which will be initially furloughed?
- Is this information clearly stated in your draft plan?

Outstanding Legal Issues:

- With respect to legal determinations your office has made in recent weeks on which agency functions are "excepted", are there any remaining "gray areas" you have yet to resolve or may benefit from further analysis?
- Are there any legal issues pertaining to the draft plan that you would like to discuss further with OMB or OLC?

Deviations from the 1995 submitted plan:

- In what ways does your current draft plan deviate from the actual shutdown experience of your agency in 1995?
- What are the justifications for these deviations, if any?
- To what extent did you rely on your 1995 plan or 1995 experience in developing your current draft plan?

We look forward to discussing these issues with you. Where helpful and to the extent practical staff from OMB's Resource Management Offices may also join these calls.

Please contact my office with any questions or concerns you may have.

Preeta D. Bansal
OMB General Counsel and Senior Policy Advisor
395-5044

From: Bearde, Diane
To: Trapp, James
Subject: GETS Card
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:32:05 PM

Jim,

Do you have your GETS card with you?

Diane Bearde
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Division of Reactor Safety
(610) 337-5191

From: Hecht, Bruce
To: Azeem, Almas; Carpenter, Brian
Cc: Check, Russell; Titus, Brett
Subject: RE: Action: Review MD 9.27 due by COB 3/18/2011
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 12:40:03 PM

Almas,

I have no comments from DRA for MD 9.27.

Comments from DRA for DH 9.27 are as follows:

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Please contact me if you need any additional information.

Thank you.

Bruce Hecht
US NRC
NRR/DRA
(301) 415-3221

From: Azeem, Almas
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 2:41 PM
To: Nguyen, Quynh; Cartwright, William; Cusumano, Victor; Hekia, Bruce; Mahoney, Michael; Meighan, Sean; Roquecruz, Carla; Susco, Jeremy; Titus, Brett; Valentine, Nicholee; Wertz, Trent
Cc: Ferrell, Kimberly
Subject: Action: Review MD 9.27 due by COB 3/18/2011

Hi TAs,

As I mentioned last week, I have uploaded the draft Management Directive 9.27 and the Handbook for your review at the TA SharePoint site. Here's the link:

http://operations.nrc.gov/edo/nsr/NRR%20TA%20Shared%20Documents/Forms/AllItems.aspx?RootFolder=%2fedo%2fnsr%2fNRR%20TA%2fShared%20Documents%2fMD%209.x%27s%20Organization%20and%20Functions%2c%20NRR&FolderCTID=&View=%7b3164BA60%2d4142%2d4E05%2d9BD23B1daAC2%7d&InitialTabId=Ribbon%2eDocument&VisibilityContext=WSSTabPersistence

The current MD 9.27 was last updated in 1989. The Office and Director functions are mandated by 10CFR. As such, I have not made a lot of changes to the MD itself and don't expect a lot of changes from you other than it's no longer valid (though, I think the office functions and the office director authority sections are somewhat redundant. I am open to any creative suggestions from you in that regard).

The MD 9.27 Handbook reflects the NSR organization structure at the Director, Deputy Directors, and Division Directors level. However, for the last three pages, I am debating to include them or not as they are cut and paste from the web with the exception of ET roles and responsibilities that I gathered from the ET/NRR Branch Chiefs Meet 'n Greet meeting handouts.

I'll go over the document with you on Monday (3/14/2011). Your comments are requested to me by COB 3/18/2011.

Next steps:

Milestone/Activities	Activity Lead	Due Date
TAs comments	All Divisions	3/18/2011
Incorporate TA comments and resolve issues/comments from Divisions	Almas	3/22/2011
Prepare package and provide to all divisions for concurrence	Toye	3/23/2011
Divisions concurrence	All Divisions	4/6/2011
Resolve/Incorporate all comments and send for ET concurrence	ET	4/13/2011

Thanks!

Almas Azeem
Technical Assistant
Division of Program Management
Policy Development and Analysis
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
301-415-1884

From: [redacted]
To: [redacted]
Cc: [redacted]
Subject: [redacted]
Date: [redacted]

Eric -

I will take care of this

I will give him the information requested but I do not plan to raise any big issues in particular that he needs to bring up. I know Fukushima will be a big issue in the coming year, but I do not think Charlie needs to tell NEA that. They should already know.

Heather Ashwood
International Team Leader
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
301-415-1076

From: Casby, Marcia
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:43 PM
To: Sheron, Brian; Leeds, Eric; Johnson, Michael; Doane, Margaret; Haney, Catherine
Cc: Cool, Donald; Virgilio, Martin; Williams, Shawn; Sangineto, Donna-Marie; Henderson, Karen; Abrams, Charlotte; Schwartzman, Jennifer; Tobin, Jennifer; Camper, Larry; Cullingford, Michael; Hopkins, Jon; Holahan, Vincent; Smith, Shawn; Dehn, Jeff; Jacobson, Jeffrey; Weber, Michael; Williams, Donna; Matzky, Peter; Ashwood, Heather; Rosales-Cooper, Cindy; Lewis, Robert; Holahan, Vincent; Bush-Goddard, Stephanie
Subject: ACTION ITEM: Background Information Requested by 4/7

The Nuclear Energy Agency Steering Committee for Nuclear Energy will meet in Paris, France on 28 - 29 April 2011. The draft Agenda is attached. The documents referenced in the agenda have not yet become available from NEA, but will be posted to the FSME International Activities SharePoint site once they are issued

http://portal.nrc.gov/edo/fcme/IA/1%20Meetings%20by%20Organization/[redacted]

In preparation for that meeting, as has been done previously, I am respectfully requesting the following background information:

1. Background on the most recent meeting of each of the committees: Radioactive Waste Management Committee, Committee on Radiation Protection and Public Health; Committee on the Safety of Nuclear Installations; Committee on Nuclear Regulatory Activities, and any specific issues that may be raised from these committees' activities

2. Background related to the topics in the enclosed agenda. Part cularly, information related to:

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3. Any other topics that may be points of discussion related to the meeting

I would appreciate your input no later than April 07, 2011, with a copy to Dr. Donald A. Cool, the Office of Federal and State Materials and Environmental Management Programs' International Liaison. We, in coordination with the Office of International Programs, have been requested to provide the necessary briefing sheets to the Department of State.

Thank you.

Charlie

From: Haney, Catherine
To: Doolittle, Elizabeth; Kokajko, Lawrence; Waters, Michael
Subject: RE: Reply Requested: 201000286
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 3:39:00 PM

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From: Doolittle, Elizabeth
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:42 PM
To: Kokajko, Lawrence; Waters, Michael
Cc: Haney, Catherine
Subject: FW: Reply Requested: 201000286

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Beth

From: Frazier, Alan
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:17 PM
To: Doolittle, Elizabeth
Subject: RE: Reply Requested: 201000286

Thanks Beth. (b)(5)

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From: Doolittle, Elizabeth
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:07 PM
To: Frazier, Alan
Subject: RE: Reply Requested: 201000286

Alan, some additional information.....

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Let us know if you need more.

Beth

From: Frazier, Alan
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:07 PM
To: Doolittle, Elizabeth
Cc: Waters, Michael; Weaver, Doug; Ordaz, Vonna; Haney, Catherine; Dorman, Dan
Subject: FW: Reply Requested: 201000286
Importance: High

Beth,

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Alan

From: Shea, Pamela
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:38 AM
To: Frazier, Alan
Cc: Bavol, Rochelle; Laufer, Richard
Subject: Reply Requested: 201000286
Importance: High

Alan,

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Question:

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Thank you,
Pam

Satorius, Mark

From: Satorius, Mark
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:39 PM
To: Tomczak, Tammy
Cc: Orth, Steven; Pederson, Cynthia
Subject: FW: Safety Culture support from OE
Attachments: OE support memo ML1036100769.pdf

Aits to EICS to develop input to OE on internal safety culture implementation resource needs. due date march 30, or if a different date is more appropriate, EICS to propose.

From: Sieracki, Diane
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 4:22 PM
To: Miller, Charles; Haney, Catherine; Johnson, Michael; Leeds, Eric; Wiggins, Jim; Dean, Bill; Reyes, Luis; Satorius, Mark; Collins, Elmo
Cc: Piccone, Josephine; Flannery, Cindy; Firth, James; Dorman, Dan; Witt, Kevin; Pasquale, Daniel; Frye, Timothy; Jimenez, Jose; Brown, Frederick; Shoop, Undine; Keefe, Molly; Holahan, Patricia; Albert, Ronald; Zimmerman, Roy; Campbell, Andy; Solorio, Dave; Schwartz, Maria; Fries, Eric; Thompson, Catherine; Cai, June; Pedersen, Renee
Subject: Safety Culture support from OE

Good Afternoon,

I have attached a copy of a memo which each of you received in late December. The Office of Enforcement (OE) is asking for your input into what resource needs you may have for OE in the areas of external safety culture as well as internal safety culture and OCWE. With the issuance of SRM 11-005 related to our Safety Culture Policy Statement, we would ask that you consider what your needs will be for that effort and provide your input to our office. As many of you are aware, we have a steering committee meeting scheduled for March 30, 2011, and we plan to include this topic as an agenda item at that meeting. If you have input prior to that meeting, please don't hesitate to provide us with your thoughts. We look forward to working with you as we move into the "next steps" phase of the SCPS.

Please remember to include any needs you might have for our internal safety culture team, including OCWE, as well.

Thank you,

Diane J. Sieracki
Sr. Safety Culture Program Manager
Office of Enforcement
301 415-3297

From: (b)(6)
To: Lubinski, John
Subject: (b)(6)
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:46:23 PM

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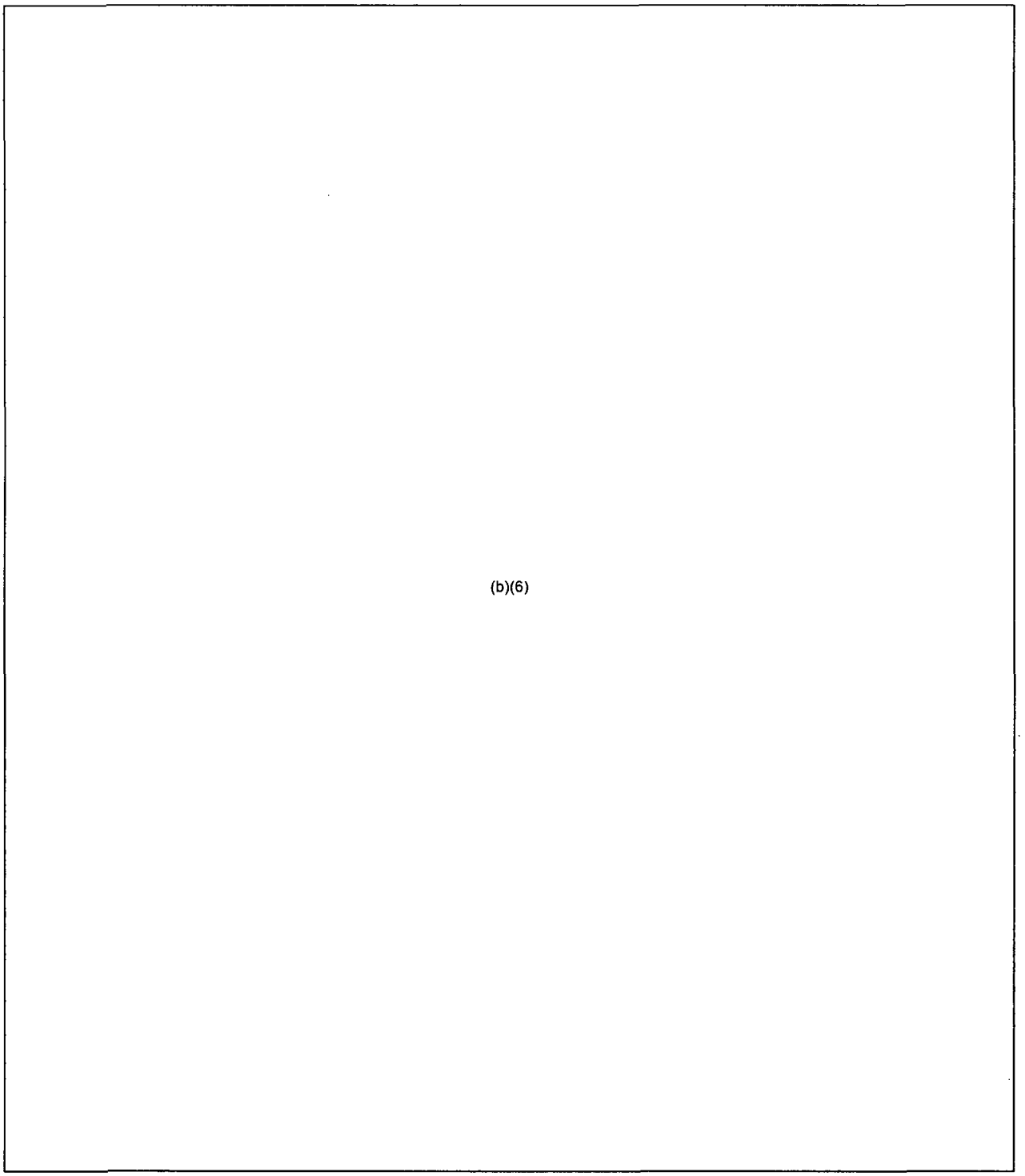
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To: Lubinski, John
Subject: (b)(6)
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:46:51 PM

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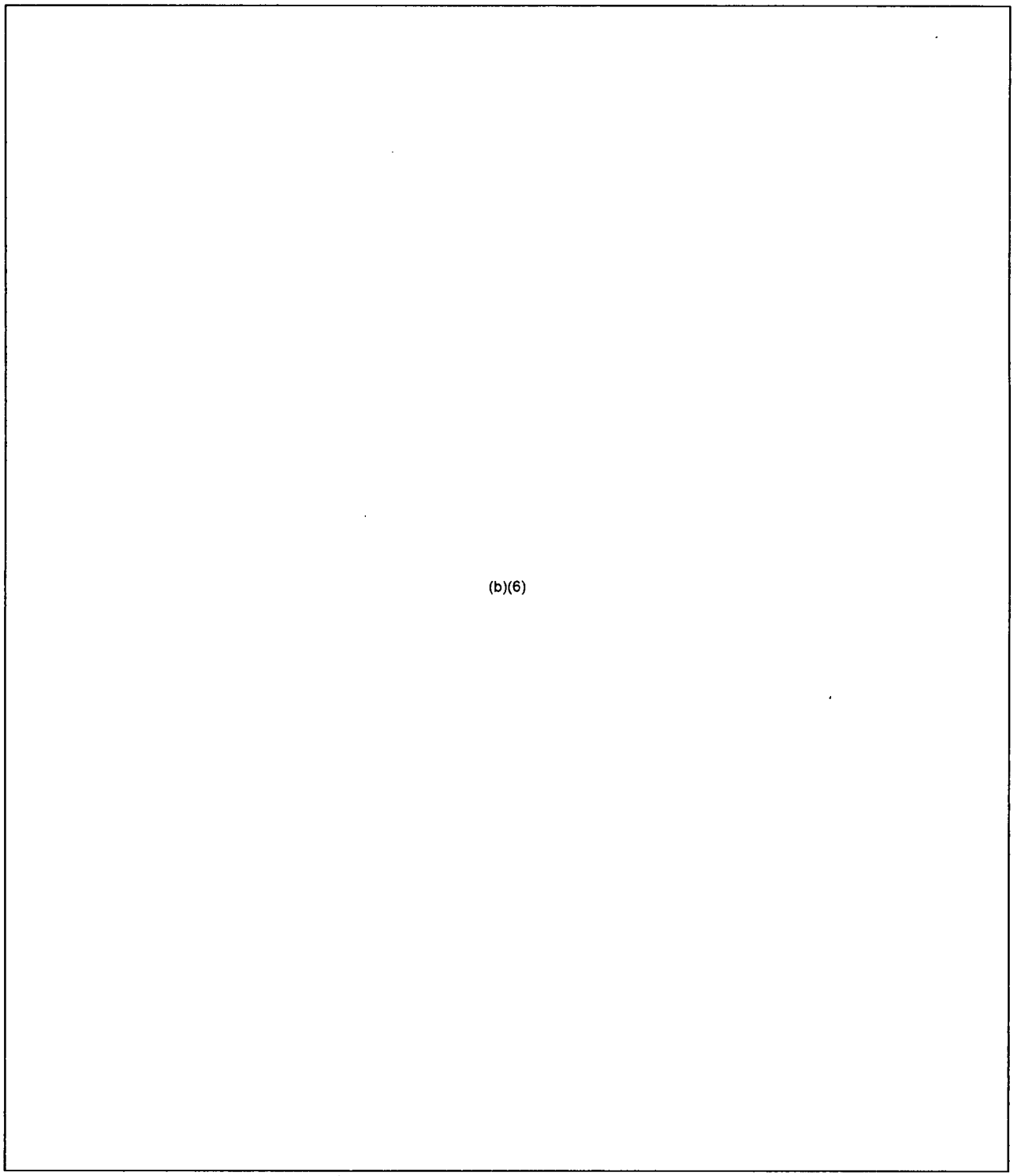
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From:	Heida, Bruce
To:	Harrison, Donnie; Klein, Alex; Rodriguez, Veronica; Tate, Travis
Cc:	Cheok, Michael; Lee, Samson
Subject:	FW: ACTION: G20110156 - Due: 3/28/2011
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 3:56:33 PM
Attachments:	ACTION G20110156.msg

The Information Digest is being updated (see attached). I have reviewed the draft updated Digest. Most of the information provided is generic. I don't see anything pertaining to DRA that requires any changes or updates. If you are aware of any changes or corrections, please let me know by Thursday, March 24.

Thank you,

Bruce Heida

-----Original Message-----
From: Meighan, Sean
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 2:24 PM
To: Azeem, Almas; Titus, Brett; Cusumano, Victor; Roquecruz, Carla; Heida, Bruce; Susco, Jeremy; Meighan, Sean; Cartwright, William; Valentine, Nicholee; Mahoney, Michael
Subject: ACTION: G20110156 - Due: 3/28/2011

Please see attached tasking for FY2011 update of Info Digest.

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-----Original Message-----
From: RidsNrrMailCenter Resource
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 2:21 PM
To: Meighan, Sean
Subject: FW: ACTION: G20110156 - Due: 3/28/2011

-----Original Message-----
From: RidsNrrMailCenter Resource
Sent: Tuesday, March 08, 2011 11:22 AM
To: RidsNrrOd Resource
Cc: Meighan, Sean; Nguyen, Quynh
Subject: ACTION: G20110156 - Due: 3/28/2011

Attached is a green ticket on Update of the Information Digest, due 03/28/11.

I will issue the green ticket once the TAC has been assigned.

Thanks,
Patti

-----Original Message-----
From: Jaegers, Cathy
Sent: Tuesday, March 08, 2011 8:58 AM
To: RidsNrrMailCenter Resource; RidsNroMailCenter Resource; Berry, Lee; RidsNsirMailCenter Resource; Wimbush, Andrea; RidsFsmeOd Resource; Tressler, Patricia; Fleming, Barbara; RidsNmssOd Resource; Walker, Dwight; Rodgers, Mary; RidsResPmdaMail Resource; Johnson, Kevin; RidsOiMailCenter Resource; Boyd, Lena; RidsOeMailCenter Resource; Riddick, Nicole; RidsAdmMailCenter Resource;

Clarke, Deanna; RidsHrMailCenter Resource; Thomas, Loretta; RidsSbcrMailCenter Resource; Cooper, Kiona; RidsCsoMailCenter Resource; Daniels, Stanley; Moore, Mary; RidsOIS Resource; Fry, Jeannie; RidsRgn1MailCenter Resource; Matakas, Gina; RidsRgn2MailCenter Resource; Miles, Patricia; RidsRgn3MailCenter Resource; Buckley, Patricia; RidsRgn4MailCenter Resource; Owen, Lucy; RidsAcrsAcnw_MailCTR Resource; RidsAslbpMailCenter Resource; RidsOipMailCenter Resource; Kreuter, Jane; RidsOcaMailCenter Resource; Belmore, Nancy; RidsOcaaMailCenter Resource; Warner, MaryAnn; RidsOcfoMailCenter Resource; Hudson, Sharon; RidsSecyMailCenter Resource; Wright, Darlene
Subject: ACTION: G20110156 - Due: 3/28/2011

Attached is the action green ticket for agency offices/regions. The ADAMS version will be sent after DPC processes.

Attachment ACTION G20110156.msg (2560 Bytes) cannot be converted to PDF format.

From:	Borchardt, Bill
To:	Mamish, Nader; Muessle, Mary
Subject:	FW: ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (EDO)
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 3:57:00 PM
Importance:	High

I would like to give you 2 the first chance to inform the 2 selectees. If possible, I would appreciate being present.

From: Picon-Colon, Reinaldo
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:51 PM
To: Borchardt, Bill
Cc: Cohen, Miriam; Tracy, Glenn; Shay, Jason
Subject: ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (EDO)
Importance: High

Good Afternoon Mr. Borchardt!

The Commission has approved this year's Distinguished & Meritorious awards recipients.

STEP 1:
Notify your award recipients immediately. Their names are:

- **Arildsen, Jesse** - Meritorious Service Award
- **Kasputys, Clare** - Distinguished Service Award

STEP 2:
Reply to me by e-mail as soon as you have been able to notify them.

Once I receive your confirmation, I will then contact them to coordinate the follow-up process regarding photography, travel arrangements for family, etc. Usually, this process takes a significant amount of time, and it is required in order to prepare the Certificates, Special Lapel Pins, and brochures. So, I need to begin this process immediately.

Your prompt response will be greatly appreciated.

Our 34th Annual Awards Ceremony will be held on ***Tuesday, June 14, 2011***, at the Bethesda North Marriott Hotel and Conference Center

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Pre-Ceremony Reception. (This is for awardees, their guests, Commissioners, and Office Directors)
2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	34th Annual Awards Ceremony (This is for all employees)
3:00 pm - 4:30 pm	Post Ceremony Reception

(This is for all employees)

Thank you in advance for your quick response.

Reinaldo "Rey" Picón-Colón
Project Manager & Coordinator of the Annual Awards Ceremony (***June 14, 2011***)
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC)
Office of Human Resources (HR)
Program Management, Policy Development
and Analysis Staff (PMDA)

"We can't solve problems by using the same kind of thinking we used when we created them."
--Albert Einstein

Reinaldo.Picon-Colon@nrc.gov
1 (301) 492-2272 (office)
1 (301) 492-2241 (fax)

From: Pavlechko, Frank
To: [redacted]
Cc: [redacted]
Subject: Use of Force Update March 2011
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:58:48 PM

Security Team

An assortment of articles for this March installment of Use of Force.

One thing is for sure...if Force is applied incorrectly the results can have grave consequences.

Stay Safe.

Frank L. Pavlechko
USNRC TTC
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Virginia: 2 deputies shot dead, suspect killed. The shooter was reportedly armed with a high-powered rifle. http://www.wvva.com/Global/story.asp?S=14242668 http://www.nbcwashington.com/news/local/Several-Dead-in-Shooting-Spree-in-Virginia-117908909.html Sniper kills two officers from long range; later shot in VA.. One officer killed and three others shot by man taking aim at police from rural VA. Mountain http://www.cbsnews.com/stories/2011/03/13/national/main20042667.shtml Questions haunt friendly-fire fatality http://www.nypost.com/p/news/local/questions_haunt_friendly_fire_fatality_HPKINBwuI70EWmC40eHp6I

New York: Nassau cop shot dead by MTA officer in tragic accident http://www.nypost.com/p/news/local/nassau_cop_shot_dead_by_mta_officer_tufZuvikCSdhBO9gjLb3IO#ixzz1GZwGyxXH Police tight-lipped about officers accidental shooting in New York http://www.cnn.com/2011/CRIME/03/13/new.york.police.shooting/

Alabama: Huntsville Council agrees to pay man shot by police $500,000 http://www.waff.com/Global/story.asp?S=14230576

Arizona: 7 cops fired 53 shots, killed driver at complex http://azstarnet.com/news/local/crime/article_247ad2e3-3c7f-5990-8a92-41ba2ff6315c.html

California: 68-year-old man is shot with Taser, beanbag gun after he allegedly tries to attack LAPD officers http://latimesblogs.latimes.com/lanow/2011/03/68-year-old-man-confronts-lapd.html

California: Oakland police to reinstate officer fired for shooting unarmed man http://www.mercurynews.com/breaking-news/ci_17552820?nclick_check=1

Louisiana: Shreveport Police Officer loses loaded gun http://www.ksla.com/Global/story.asp?S=14197409

North Carolina: Suspect shot after Oxford holdup had BB gun http://www.wral.com/news/news_briefs/story/9224250/

Winchester Recalls Ranger Law Enforcement Ammo http://www.shootingwire.com/story/232755

Seattle: Police report says force rarely used, often without injuries http://www.seattlepi.com/local/436707_police08.html

Maryland: Prince George's police shoot, kill man who threatened residents with gun http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/content/article/2011/03/07/AR2011030704414.html

New Mexico: Albuquerque officer not qualified on gun used to shoot man http://www.therepublic.com/view/story/4927ed99c50d42d7b105a207f00c01d1/NM--Police-Shooting-Gun/

Oregon: (video) Suicidal man used scoped rifle to shoot at police. 2 officers wounded, one rescued by his brother officers http://southeastportland.katu.com/news/crime/police-suicidal-man-allegedly-used-scoped-rifle-shoot-police/438944

UK: Trained for something I hope never to do – shoot to kill http://www.thisisleicestershire.co.uk/news/Trained-hope-8211-shoot-kill/article-3325592-detail/article.html

Mexico: Wanted: Officers to Retake Mexico http://www.nytimes.com/2011/03/13/world/americas/13mexico.html?_r=1&ref=world&pagewanted=all

Washington: Man shot by Stevens Co. deputy was armed http://www.seattlepi.com/local/6420ap_wa_stevens_county_shooting.html Man shot by deputy

denies being armed. "I woke up with my body hit like a freakin' target," said Trinidy C Lopez http://www.spokesman.com/stories/2011/mar/07/man-shot-by-deputy-denies-being-armed

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Attached are pictures of our Kennedy Space Center SWAT/ERT team.

National Patrol Rifle Conference & Competition http://www.centermassinc.com/1032188.html

From: Lubinski, John
Subject: (b)(6)
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:03:21 PM

From: Virgilio, Martin
To: Cianci, Sandra
Subject: FW: LPP Extension
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:11:00 PM

Sandy

Please note for the calander

From: Chin, Allison
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 10:11 AM
To: Burns, Stephen; Dyer, Jim; Doane, Margaret; Virgilio, Martin; Weber, Michael; Ash, Darren; Greene, Kathryn; Boyce, Thomas (OIS); Wiggins, Jim; Johnson, Michael; Leeds, Eric; Haney, Catherine; Miller, Charles; Sheron, Brian; Dean, Bill; McCree, Victor; Satorius, Mark; Collins, Elmo
Cc: Cohen, Miriam; Gallagher, Johanna; Johns, Nancy; Tallarico, Alison
Subject: LPP Extension

Hello All:

The deadline for reviewing your LPP packages and turning in your quartile rankings and vote sheets has been extended to April 8, 2011.

The expanded ERB meeting will take place on April 22, 2011.

Thanks,

ALLISON CHIN, HR SPECIALIST
REACTOR PROGRAM SUPPORT BRANCH, OHR
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Satorius, Mark

From: Dickson, Billy
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:12 PM
To: West, Steven; Satorius, Mark; Pederson, Cynthia; Shear, Gary; Reynolds, Steven; OBrien, Kenneth
Subject: Commissioner's Assistant briefing scheduled for 1630 CDT

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From: Heida, Bruce
To: Cheok, Michael; Lee, Samson; Harrison, Donnie; Klein, Alex; Rodriguez, Veronica; Tate, Travis
Subject: FW: Reimbursable Travel
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:12:56 PM

Please pass the following on to members of your staff as needed.

Thanks,

Bruce Heida

From: Astwood, Heather
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 6:50 PM
To: Azeem, Almas; Cartwright, William; Cusumano, Victor; Fields, Leslie; Heida, Bruce; Meighan, Sean; Nguyen, Quynh; Roquecruz, Carla; Susco, Jeremy; Titus, Brett; Valentine, Nicholee
Cc: Dorsey, Cynthia; Regan, Christopher; McGinty, Tim; Boger, Bruce; Quinones, Lauren; Hopkins, Jon; Cullingford, Michael
Subject: Reimbursable Travel

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   Taiwan Reimbursable Travel – N7447
   Other Foreign Country Reimbursable Travel – J7026

Thanks,
Heather Astwood
International Team Leader
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
301-415-1075

From:	ISS Webinar
To:	Chcok, Michael
Subject:	LEA/IC Training: Successful Use of Online Social Media in Criminal Investigations
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 4:13:47 PM

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Satorius, Mark

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To: (b)(6); Satorius, Mark
Subject: (b)(6)

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From: Haney, Catherine
To: Kinneman, John; Tschiltz, Michael; Bailey, Marissa
Subject: FW: ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (NMSS)
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:20:00 PM
Importance: High

Good News!!!

Please let Dave know of the award. I was just upstairs and he was at his desk but I didn't say anything to him.

From: Picon-Colon, Reinaldo
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:08 PM
To: Haney, Catherine
Cc: Cohen, Miriam; Tracy, Glenn; Shay, Jason; Weber, Michael
Subject: ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (NMSS)
Importance: High

Good Afternoon Ms. Haney!

The Commission has approved this year's Distinguished & Meritorious awards recipients.

STEP 1:
Notify your award recipients immediately. Their names are:

- **Hornseth, Geoffrey** - Meritorious Service Award
- **Mullins, Alicia** - Meritorious EEO Service Award
- **Tiktinsky, David** - Meritorious Service Award

STEP 2:
Reply to me by e-mail as soon as you have been able to notify them.

Once I receive your confirmation, I will then contact them to coordinate the follow-up process regarding photography, travel arrangements for family, etc. Usually, this process takes a significant amount of time, and it is required in order to prepare the Certificates, Special Lapel Pins, and brochures. So, I need to begin this process immediately.

Your prompt response will be greatly appreciated.

Our 34th Annual Awards Ceremony will be held on ***Tuesday, June 14, 2011***, at the Bethesda North Marriott Hotel and Conference Center

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Pre-Ceremony Reception. (This is for awardees, their guests, Commissioners, and Office Directors)
2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	34th Annual Awards Ceremony

(This is for all employees)

3:00 pm - 4:30 pm Post Ceremony Reception
(This is for all employees)

Thank you in advance for your quick response.

Reinaldo "Rey" Picón-Colón
Project Manager & Coordinator of the Annual Awards Ceremony (***June 14, 2011***)
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC)
Office of Human Resources (HR)
Program Management, Policy Development
and Analysis Staff (PMDA)

"We can't solve problems by using the same kind of thinking we used when we created them."
--Albert Einstein

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From: Haney, Catherine
To: Catherine Haney
Subject: Schedule
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:23:00 PM

On June 14th I will be getting an agency award. The pre-ceremony is from 1 to 2, ceremony from 2 to 3 and post ceremony from 3 to 4:30. It would be great if you can come.

From: Haney, Catherine
To: Michael Evanko
Subject: RE: Selections from Sample Archive
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:25:00 PM

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From:	Rand, Jennifer
To:	Jacobs-Baynard, Elizabeth
Cc:	Fitch, Karen; Pulliam, Timothy; Kokaiko, Lawrence; Mohseni, Aby; Davis, Jack; Kuk, Jennifer; Ordaz, Vonna; Weaver, Doug; Berry, Rollie; Bailey, Marissa; Tschiltz, Michael; Kinneman, John; Sakadales, Antoinette; Smith, James; Haney, Catherine; Dorman, Dan
Subject:	RE: Action Pls: FY 2012 Budget in Preparation for Upcoming Congressional Hearings
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 4:27:22 PM
Attachments:	Fuel Facilities Summary FY 2012 CBJ - 31411.docx Spent Fuel Storage and Transportation Summary FY 2012 CBJ - 31411.docx High-Level Waste Repository Summary FY 2012 CBJ - 31411.docx

Liz,

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Please give me a call if any of the responses require further clarification.

Thank you,

Jennifer Rand
Senior Program Analyst
Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
(301) 492-3368

From: Jacobs-Baynard, Elizabeth
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:50 AM
To: Rand, Jennifer
Cc: Fitch, Karen; Pulliam, Timothy; Jacobs-Baynard, Elizabeth
Subject: RE: Action Pls: FY 2012 Budget in Preparation for Upcoming Congressional Hearings

I just received word that the briefing has been cancelled for today, however, I would like to receive any comments or changes from NMSS' perspective. Thanks for looking into this effort.

Liz

From: Rand, Jennifer
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:40 AM
To: Jacobs-Baynard, Elizabeth
Cc: Fitch, Karen; Pulliam, Timothy
Subject: RE: Action Pls: FY 2012 Budget in Preparation for Upcoming Congressional Hearings

I will get back to you as soon as possible.

Thank you,

Jennifer

From: Jacobs-Baynard, Elizabeth
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:38 AM
To: Rand, Jennifer
Cc: Fitch, Karen; Pulliam, Timothy; Jacobs-Baynard, Elizabeth
Subject: FW: Action Pls: FY 2012 Budget in Preparation for Upcoming Congressional Hearings
Importance: High

Jennifer:

See the attached charts for NMSS' review that I provided to Karen Fitch. I need a response from NMSS as to whether any changes are need, particularly to the drivers. See the charts for Fuel Facilities, Spent Fuel Storage and Transportation, and High Level-Waste. Cathy Haney (and Scott Moore) is attending the briefing with the Chairman this afternoon (1pm).

Please let me know. Thanks.

From: Jacobs-Baynard, Elizabeth
Sent: Sunday, March 13, 2011 4:46 PM
To: Fitch, Karen; Green, Jamie
Cc: Weber, Michael; Muessle, Mary; Andersen, James; Pulliam, Timothy; Delligatti, Mark; Neff, Deborah; Jacobs-Baynard, Elizabeth; Kasputys, Clare
Subject: Action Pls: FY 2012 Budget in Preparation for Upcoming Congressional Hearings
Importance: High

Karen/Jamie:

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Please provide me any changes by **10:30am, 3/14/11**. Let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,

Liz

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Owen, Lucy

From: Conly, John [John.Conly@luminant.com]
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:29 PM
To: Aitken, Diane; Barrie, Ashley; Bell, Russ; Bird, Bobby; Borsh, Gina; Buschbaum, Denny; Bywater, Russell; Caldwell, Jan; Carver, Ronald; Certrec; Ciocco, Jeff; Clouser, Tim; Collins, Elmo; Conly, John; Cosentino, Carolyn; Degeyter, Brock; Evans, Todd; Flores, Rafael; Frantz, Steve; Freitag, Al; Hamzehee, Hossein; Hoshi, Masaya; Ishida, Mutsumi; Johnson, Michael; Kawanago, Shinji; Keithline, Kimberley; Kellenberger, Nick; Koenig, Allan; Kramer, John; Lucas, Mitch; Madden, Fred; Matthews, David; Matthews, Tim; McConaghy, Bill; Monarque, Stephen; Moore, Bill; ComanchePeakCOL Resource; Onozuka, Masanori; Paulson, Keith; Plisco, Loren; Reible, Robert; Rund, Jon; Simmons, Jeff; Singal, Balwant; Sirirat, Nan; Sprengel, Ryan; Takacs, Michael; Tapia, Joe; Tindell, Brian; Turner, Bruce; Volkening, David; Vrahoretis, Susan; Williamson, Alicia; Willingham, Michael; Woodlan, Don
Cc: Hill, Craig
Subject: Rescheduled Regulatory Commitments
Attachments: TXNB-11013 Resked Seismic Reg Comm.pdf

Luminant has submitted the attached letter to the NRC that consolidates and reschedules four regulatory commitments addressing seismic margin analysis. If there are any questions regarding this submittal, please contact me or contact Don Woodlan (254-897-6887, Donald.Woodlan@luminant.com).

Thanks,

John T. Conly

COLA Project Manager

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March 14, 2011

U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Document Control Desk
Washington, DC 20555
ATTN: David B. Matthews, Director
Division of New Reactor Licensing

SUBJECT: COMANCHE PEAK NUCLEAR POWER PLANT, UNITS 3 AND 4
DOCKET NUMBERS 52-034 AND 52-035
RESCHEDULED REGULATORY COMMITMENTS

Dear Sir:

Luminant Generation Company LLC (Luminant) hereby notifies the NRC that four regulatory commitments addressing the site-specific seismic margin analysis (SMA) have been consolidated and rescheduled. The four commitments are:

6481	ML092720676 ML101460210	Plant high confidence of low probability of failure (HCLPF) values for the plant-specific SSCs, such as cooling towers, will be confirmed with a calculation using EPRI TR-103959 methodology after completion of seismic design and stress analysis of the SSCs.
6491	ML092720676 ML101460210	When the seismic margin analysis for the design certification is available, we will confirm that the analysis envelopes the plant-specific design.
6631	ML093200501 ML101460210	With regard to the application of more recent guidance for probabilistic risk assessment - based SMA methodology as applicable to the site-specific features of the COLA, Luminant plans to revise the COLA to incorporate the EPRI TR-1002988, "Seismic Fragility Application Guide" in response to the draft Interim Staff Guidance (ISG-20), which is expected to prescribe detailed items that should be included in the FSAR. EPRI TR-1002989, "Seismic Probabilistic Risk Assessment Implementation Guide" may also be incorporated into the FSAR.
6641	ML093200501 ML101460210	Luminant will revise the FSAR to include a description of the site-specific SMA results, including makeup water and seismically-driven common failure mode considerations for the UHS mechanical draft cooling towers, in response to ISG-20.

The Mitsubishi US-APWR SMA has been delayed by the Design Certification application seismic review. Thus, the SMA for Comanche Peak Units 3 and 4 has been delayed beyond the current commitment completion date of March 30, 2011 as well.

Luminant has combined the four closely-related commitments into a single commitment to simplify tracking and completion, as follows, which effectively completes the four commitments:

8256 Luminant commits to complete the site-specific SMA and update Final Safety Analysis Report Chapter 19 accordingly within four months of completion of the US-APWR SMA. The site-specific SMA will include evaluation of the site-specific structures using the guidance of ISG-20.

Should you have any questions regarding these commitments, please contact Don Woodlan (254-897-6887, Donald.Woodlan@luminant.com) or me.

The only new commitment in this letter is #8256 addressed above.

I state under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on March 14, 2011.

Sincerely,

Luminant Generation Company LLC

Donald R. Woodlan for

Rafael Flores

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March 14, 2011

SUBJECT: OPEN HOUSE WITH MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

FACILITY: River Bend Station

DOCKET: 50-458

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, April 6, 2011
4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

LOCATION: River Bend Station Training Center
5485 US Hwy 61
St. Francisville, LA 70775

PURPOSE: This is the end-of-cycle public meeting between the NRC and River Bend Station to present and discuss performance results for the period of January 1 through December 31, 2010.

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To:	Picon-Colon, Reinaldo
Cc:	Cohen, Miriam; Tracy, Glenn; Shay, Jason; Kelley, Corenthis; Virgilio, Martin
Subject:	RE: ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (NRO)
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 4:30:40 PM

Thanks! Great news. I am attempting to contact them now.

From: Picon-Colon, Reinaldo
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:12 PM
To: Johnson, Michael
Cc: Cohen, Miriam; Tracy, Glenn; Shay, Jason; Kelley, Corenthis; Virgilio, Martin
Subject: ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (NRO)
Importance: High

Good Afternoon Mr. Johnson!

The Commission has approved this year's Distinguished & Meritorious awards recipients.

STEP 1:
Notify your award recipients immediately. Their names are:

- **Donoghue, Joseph** - Meritorious Service Award
- **Harbuck, Craig** - Meritorious Service Award
- **Rivera-Varona, Aida** - Meritorious EEO Service Award (*nominated by SBCR*)

STEP 2:
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From: (b)(6)
To: Golla, Joe
Subject: (b)(6)
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:33:02 PM

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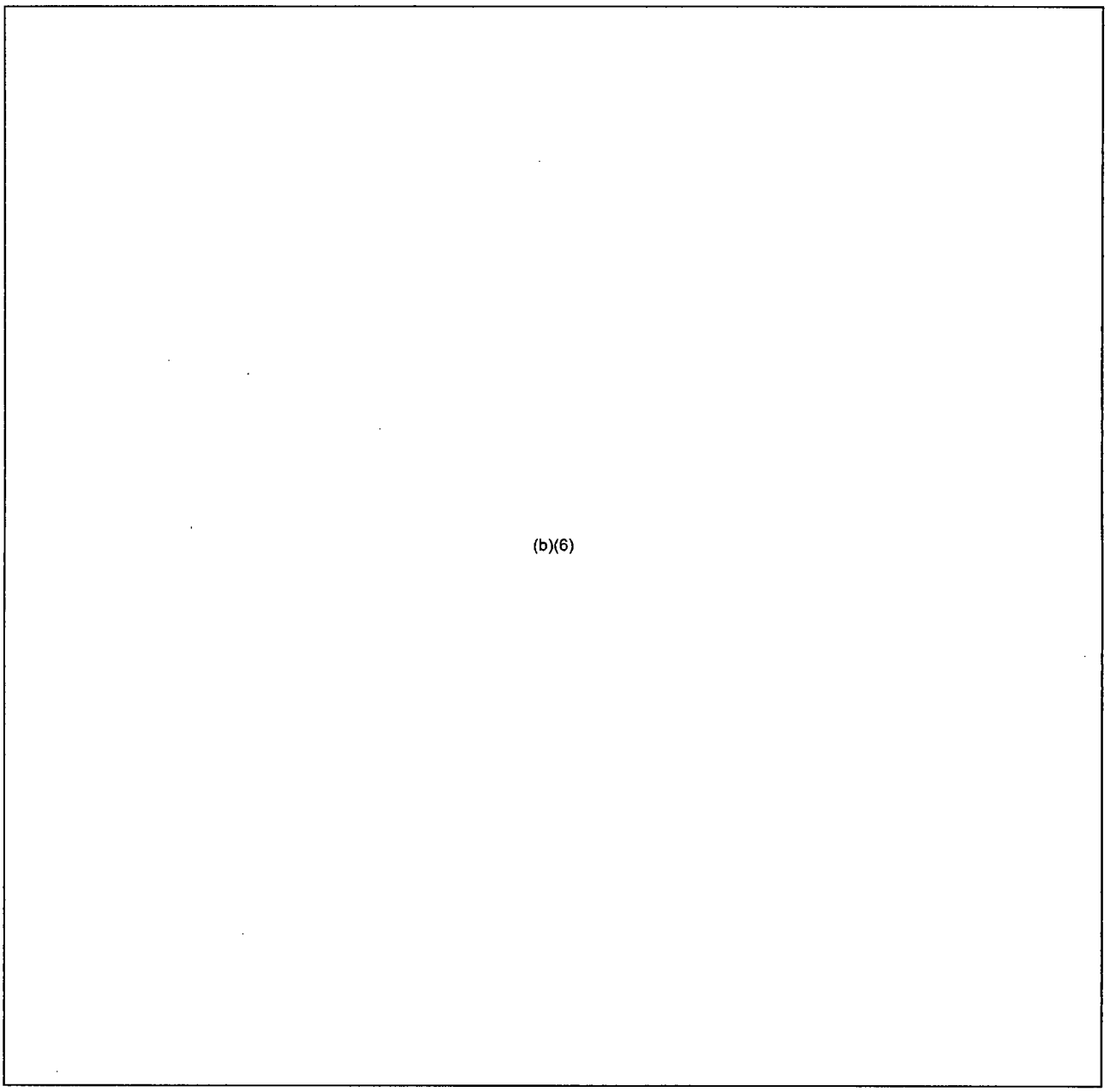
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From:	Picon-Colon, Reinaldo
To:	Evans, Michele
Cc:	Cohen, Miriam; Tracy, Glenn; Shay, Jason; Virgilio, Martin; Wiggins, Jim
Subject:	ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (NSIR)
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 4:33:41 PM
Importance:	High

Good Afternoon Ms. Evans!

The Commission has approved this year's Distinguished & Meritorious awards recipients.

STEP 1:
Notify your award recipients immediately. Their names are:

- **Abraham, Susan** - Meritorious Service Award
- **LaVie, Steve** - Meritorious Service Award
- **Milligan, Patricia** - Meritorious Honorary Service Award

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From: Kokajko, Lawrence
To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: RE: Periodic with Magwood
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:38:17 PM

1. We should be able to get something on this (I recall it being on some old slides somewhere). I assume any banked NWF would not be part of this discussion.
2. This was discuss somewhat at your session at the RIC by DOE. There have been some briefings with NWTRB, and we will get those slides, too. That said, DOE plans to do some of the cask demonstrations and looking at all technologies as if it were 30 or 40 years ago.
3. Nothing specific, and hardly enough generally speaking. (b)(5) I asked Britt to engage Alex to see if we can find out anything more.

I will ask Britt to looking into more details to your questions. Any time horizon for a reply to the Commissioner?

From: Haney, Catherine
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:30 PM
To: Kokajko, Lawrence
Subject: Periodic with Magwood

I had a few "take aways" from the periodic. Can you help?

1. What does DOE have budgeted for EST? money/dollars
2. What research are they planning
3. Do we have any insights into what we will see in the draft BRC report? Will it be recommendations or just the frame/outline for the report?

Don't forget to chat with me something tomorrow about my discussion with him on EST/WC. I'm leaving shortly to run some errands that I never got to at lunch.

From:	Alexander, Cheryl
To:	Lee, Samson; Cheok, Michael
Cc:	Lee, Samson; Weerakkody, Sunil; Alexander, Cheryl; Harrison, Donnie; Klein, Alex; Rodriguez, Veronica; Tate, Travis; Dinsmore, Stephen; Gallucci, Ray; Howe, Andrew; Patel, Jigar; Dozier, Jerry; ONeal, Daniel; Laur, Steven; Graham, Camillea; Helda, Bruce
Subject:	Delegation of Authority for Donnie Harrison
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 4:51:30 PM
Importance:	High

While Mr. Donnie Harrison is out of the office, on Tuesday, March 15 and Wednesday March 16, 2011, he has designated

Mr. Steve Dinsmore as Acting Branch Chief for the PRA Licensing Branch (APLA). Mr. Dinsmore is located at O10E-18 and

can be reached at 415-8482, or via email Stephen.Dinsmore@nrc.gov

cc: DRA BC's
DRA FO
DRA Secy

Thank you,
Cheryl Alexander-Lewis, Administrative Assistant
Division of Risk Assessment
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
301 415-2873

From:	Rodgers, Mary
To:	Freeman, Eric
Cc:	Haney, Catherine; Dorman, Dan; Tschiltz, Michael; Bailey, Marissa; Kinneman, John; FCSS Document Processing Resource; Rodgers, Mary; Smith, James
Subject:	Renewals for 3150-0004 DOE/NRC Form 742, "Material Balance Report" and NUREG/BR-0007 and 3150-0058 DOE/NRC Form 742C, "Physical Inventory Listing" (NMSS201000226)
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 4:55:07 PM
Attachments:	Ext.msg nmss201000226.pdf

LADIES/GENTLEMEN:

ERIC HAS PACKAGE.

PLEASE PRINT THE ATTACHED NMSS TICKET FOR ACTION.

DUE TO NMSS: 03/16/11

DUE TO OIS: 03/18/11

-----Original Message-----
From: Freeman, Eric
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 2:37 PM
To: Rodgers, Mary
Cc: Habighorst, Peter
Subject: Ticket for NMSS/FCSS E Freeman

Mary,

Could you ticket this task to NMSS/FCSS with me as the primary POC? OIS was late in getting us the notice but this should be pretty easy to get approved in the next day or two. Also, OIS is fine with having the due date as March 18th (see attached email). Let me know if you have any questions.

Renewals for 3150-0004 DOE/NRC Form 742, "Material Balance Report" and NUREG/BR-0007 and 3150-0058 DOE/NRC Form 742C, "Physical Inventory Listing"

Regards,

Eric E. Freeman
Nuclear Engineer
Material Control and Accounting Branch
Nuclear Regulatory Commission
301-492-3231 (Office)
(b)(6) (Mobile)
301-492-3359 (Fax)

-----Original Message-----
From: Burnette, Danielle

Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 2:25 PM
To: Freeman, Eric; Miles, Brenda
Cc: Burnette, Danielle
Subject: RE: Final OMB Package for DOE/NRC Form 740M, Concise Note, due to OIS 3/16/11

Hi Eric,

I apologize.....I thought I sent Merri the email in February that said both 3150-0004 and 3150-0058 published in the Federal Register on December 30, 2010 (FR 75 82413)....there were no comments .

I realize I am working with her on a several other projects, so forgive me if I didn't send you the updated information in time.

Please let me know if you need any additional information

Thank you

Danielle

-----Original Message-----
From: Freeman, Eric
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 12:14 PM
To: Miles, Brenda
Cc: Burnette, Danielle
Subject: RE: Final OMB Package for DOE/NRC Form 740M, Concise Note, due to OIS 3/16/11

Brenda,

Please call me as soon as you get a chance. If you need the package referenced below back to OIS by the 16th, we need an email and supporting documents as soon as possible.

Regards,

Eric

-----Original Message-----
From: Miles, Brenda
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 4:50 PM
To: Freeman, Eric
Cc: Burnette, Danielle
Subject: RE: Final OMB Package for DOE/NRC Form 740M, Concise Note, due to OIS 3/16/11

Hi Eric,

Yes, Forms 742 and 742C due to OIS on 3/16/11.

Thanks,
Brenda

-----Original Message-----
From: Freeman, Eric
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 3:36 PM
To: Miles, Brenda
Subject: RE: Final OMB Package for DOE/NRC Form 740M, Concise Note, due to OIS 3/16/11

Hi Brenda,

I was curious whether or not the Forms 742 and 742c are ready for the final FRN and SS?

Regards,

Eric

-----Original Message-----
From: Miles, Brenda
Sent: Thursday, January 27, 2011 4:00 PM
To: Freeman, Eric
Subject: RE: Final OMB Package for DOE/NRC Form 740M, Concise Note, due to OIS 3/16/11

Hi Eric,

The comment period for Forms 742 & 742C will close February 28, 2011.

Thanks,
Brenda

-----Original Message-----
From: Freeman, Eric
Sent: Wednesday, January 26, 2011 4:16 PM
To: Miles, Brenda
Subject: RE: Final OMB Package for DOE/NRC Form 740M, Concise Note, due to OIS 3/16/11

Brenda,

Do you know when we are expecting the comment period to close on the 742 and 742c forms? They came through as the third package of interrelated forms. Just curious, thanks!

Eric

From: Miles, Brenda
Sent: Wednesday, January 26, 2011 3:39 PM

To: Freeman, Eric; Rodgers, Mary
Cc: RidsNmssOd Resource; Miles, Brenda
Subject: Final OMB Package for DOE/NRC Form 740M, Concise Note, due to OIS 3/16/11

Eric and Mary,

The comment period for the information collections in "DOE/NRC Form 740M, Concise Note and NUREG/BR-0006, Revision 7, Instructions for Completing Nuclear Material Transaction Reports" (3150-0057) ended on January 14, 2011. We did not receive any comments.

The draft documents are in ADAMS in package ML102780585, and are attached to this message. I made two minor changes to the supporting statement for the final version:

1. Changed the word "DRAFT" to "FINAL" on page 1

2. Changed the statement in #8 to read to specify the date of the Federal Register publication for the first notice

Please contact me if you believe that additional changes are needed.

In addition, we will need a final, 30-day FRN. I have attached the template for this document. You should be able to copy and paste many of the answers from the previous FRN into the 30-day template.

Once you've created a 30-day FRN, please circulate it within your office for concurrence. We also ask that you have someone from your office create a package containing these documents in ADAMS, with owner rights to OIS-IRSD-RFPSB-ICT (the information collections team) and complete Form 665P so that I can finalize the document with the DPC after OMB approves the collection. The final package is due to OIS on March 16, 2011.

Thank you for your work on these documents. Please contact me with any questions.

Brenda P. Miles
415-7884

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Display Ticket

Ticket Type	NMSS - Blue	**Ticketing Organization**	NMSS
Ticket Number	NMSS201000226	**Ticket Contact**	Freeman, Eric E
TAR	N	**Ticket Created On**	09/16/2010
ADAMS Number		**Ticket Due Date**	03/18/2010
FOIA Number		**Ticket Extensions**	1
WITS Ticket Number		**Ticket Status**	
Description	RENEWALS FOR 3150-004 "DOE/NRC FORM 742, "MATERIAL BALANCE REPORT" AND NUREG/BR-0007 AND RENEWAL FOR 3150-0058 "DOE/NRC FORM 742C, "PHYSICAL INVENTORY LISTING" - Task 2(EDATS: NMSS-2011-0044)		
Task Basis	Email frm OIS to NMSS dtd 9/1; email frm OIS to NMSS		

Correspondence Originator	Correspondence To	Routing	Response Signatures	Response To
OIS (DBurnette)	NMSS	Haney Dorman Doolittle Gonzalez Rodgers		OIS (DBurnette)

Special Instructions (Task 1):	FCSS (Freeman) please provide updated supporting statements (Form 742 and Form 742C) and Federal Register Notices to NMSS OD by 11/17/10; Due to OIS: 11/24/10. (EDATS: (NMSS-2010-0153)						
Assign To	**Contact**	**Report To**	**Status**	**Date Assigned**	**Date Due**	**Date Closed**	**No. Ext**
NMSS	Freeman, Eric E	OIS		09/16/2010	11/24/2010	10/12/2010	0
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NMSS / FCSS / FFLD	Freeman, Eric E	NMSS / FCSS	Per Eric Freeman	09/16/2010	11/17/2010	10/12/2010	0

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Ticket NMSS201000226 is open

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Main Menu

From: Scales, Kerby
To: Hiland, Patrick; Wilson, George
Subject: RE: Read-Ahead for - RE: Special LT Meeting/FY13 Budget Request and Scenario A
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 5:00:59 PM

Got it. Hong copied the TA's as well.

From: Hiland, Patrick
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:55 PM
To: Wilson, George; Scales, Kerby
Subject: FW: Read-Ahead for - RE: Special LT Meeting/FY13 Budget Request and Scenario A
Importance: High

fya

From: Le, Hong
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 2:30 PM
To: Bahadur, Sher; Blount, Tom; Brown, Frederick; Cheok, Michael; Evans, Michele; Galloway, Melanie; Giitter, Joseph; Givvines, Mary; Hiland, Patrick; Holian, Brian; Howe, Allen; Lee, Samson; Lubinski, John; McGinty, Tim; Nelson, Robert; Quay, Theodore; Ruland, William; Skeen, David; Thomas, Brian; Ferrell, Kimberly
Cc: Nguyen, Caroline; Newell, Karenina; Susco, Jeremy; Titus, Brett; Roquecruz, Carla; Heida, Bruce; Cusumano, Victor; Scales, Kerby; Azeem, Almas; Meighan, Sean; Cartwright, William; Valentine, Nicholee
Subject: Read-Ahead for - RE: Special LT Meeting/FY13 Budget Request and Scenario A

As a follow-up to last Friday's budget meeting, NRR worked with NSIR and RES to reprioritize the Op Rx Business Line updated Scenario A

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Attached is the **updated** Scenario A

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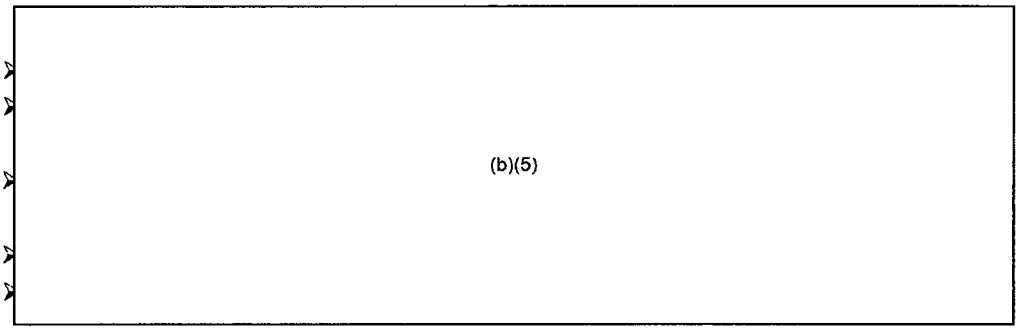
Two Actions – for decision at tomorrow's Special LT Budget Meeting (scheduled @ 2pm; O13B4):

1.

2. (b)(5)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From: Boger, Bruce
To: Helton, Shana
Cc: Holian, Brian; Jolicoeur, John; McGinty, Tim; Galloway, Melanie; Imboden, Andy; Schneider, Stewart
Subject: RE: Response: GEIS Rulemaking Ticket Extension/Reset Request (WITS200600291)
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 5:05:00 PM

Thanks, Shana. I had this vague recollection of an approved extension without reset, but I often question my memory.

From: Helton, Shana
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:56 PM
To: Boger, Bruce
Cc: Holian, Brian; Jolicoeur, John; McGinty, Tim; Galloway, Melanie; Imboden, Andy; Schneider, Stewart
Subject: Response: GEIS Rulemaking Ticket Extension/Reset Request (WITS200600291)

Bruce,

John Jolicoeur relayed that you were asking about the GEIS rulemaking schedule.

DLR holds the ticket, so they can correct me if I'm wrong. To my knowledge, OEDO granted the staff's extension request (9/14/2011 to Commission (8/31/2011 to OEDO), but SECY has not. This could explain why it's showing up on a tracking list you have.

The EDO extension is below, FYI.

Thank you,
Shana

From: ExtensionRequest, EDO
Sent: Friday, October 29, 2010 10:46 AM
To: Imboden, Andy
Cc: FAST Resource; Susco, Jeremy; Sakai, Stacie; Wertz, Trent; Kotzalas, Margie; Rikhoff, Jeffrey; Walker(NRR), Sandra; Craver, Patti; ExtensionRequest, EDO
Subject: RE: GEIS Extension/Reset Request (WITS200600291)

Andy,

OEDO has granted the extension for WITS 200600291 and forwarded the request to SECY for reset. I will let you know when I hear back from SECY.

Thanks,
Denise

From: Imboden, Andy
Sent: Tuesday, October 26, 2010 5:00 PM
To: ExtensionRequest, EDO
Cc: FAST Resource; Susco, Jeremy; Sakai, Stacie; Wertz, Trent; Kotzalas, Margie; Rikhoff, Jeffrey
Subject: GEIS Extension/Reset Request

Background: NRR is requesting an extension/reset for the GEIS final rule, due to

circumstances beyond staff's control.

Title: Final Generic Environmental Impact Statement (GEIS) for License Renewal of Nuclear Plants, NUREG-1437; and final rule 10 CFR Part 51 (notation vote).
WITS: 200600291
Current Due Date: 2/14/2011 to Commission (1/31/2011 to OEDO)
Requested Due Date: 9/14/2011 to Commission (8/31/2011 to OEDO)
Justification and Circumstances for extension/reset request:
NRR is requesting a seven month extension/reset for this action. The reason for the seven-month extension is caused by two extenuating circumstances beyond staff's control: (1) per commission vote, the comment period on the proposed rule was extended by three months; and (2) due to the very large volume of public comments, and the particular stakeholders that submitted public comments, including Attorneys General from prominent States, OGC has advised that the legal review will be on the order of four months longer than the baseline scheduling assumption. For these reasons, the staff believes that the due date should be reset per OEDO Procedure 0370, section 3.2.2, item #2.

Approval: This extension/reset request has been approved by Brian Holian, Director of the Division of License Renewal

From:	Virgilio, Martin
To:	Picon-Colon, Reinaldo
Cc:	Weber, Michael; Ash, Darren; Borchardt, Bill
Subject:	ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (R4)
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 5:26:00 PM

Reinaldo

Could you please provide us one list with all the names sorted by Office/Region

Marty

From: Picon-Colon, Reinaldo
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 5:24 PM
To: Collins, Elmo
Cc: Cohen, Miriam; Tracy, Glenn; Shay, Jason; Virgilio, Martin
Subject: ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (R4)
Importance: High

Good Afternoon Mr. Collins!

The Commission has approved this year's Distinguished & Meritorious awards recipients.

STEP 1:
Notify your award recipient immediately. Her name is:

- **Owen, Lucy** - Meritorious Service Award

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Dean, Bill

From: Dean, Bill
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 5:27 PM
To: Hayden, Elizabeth
Subject: RE: TMI EOC Mtg Next Week

Absolutely. Thanks.

Bill

From: Hayden, Elizabeth
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 5:24 PM
To: Dean, Bill
Subject: Re: TMI EOC Mtg Next Week

Thanks, Bill. I see there is now a good set of questions circulating. Since we are now encouraged to get our Japan messages out, the EOC meetings will help facilitate that.

From: Dean, Bill
To: Hayden, Elizabeth
Sent: Mon Mar 14 17:01:49 2011
Subject: RE: TMI EOC Mtg Next Week

Thanks. I have a lot of confidence in my branch chief, Ron Bellamy, to able to successfully address many of these issues. I will assume we will have a good set of Q and A by the time the meeting takes place on March 24.

Bill

From: Hayden, Elizabeth
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 1:13 PM
To: Dean, Bill
Subject: TMI EOC Mtg Next Week

Bill,

Diane tells me that the TMI EOC meeting is next week and I know this issue was brought up on the OD's call this morning. You might want to reconsider whether you shouldn't postpone this meeting. Otherwise, the BC will need to be armed with a lot of information with regard to "is TMI safe?" What health impact do we expect from the Japanese incident? What happens to the plume? How can people protect themselves? License renewal and new plant questions? I'm not sure a BC could handle it.

Beth

From:	Leeds, Eric
To:	Brown, Frederick; Ruland, William; Givvines, Mary
Cc:	Grobe, Jack; Boger, Bruce
Subject:	ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (NRR)
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 5:29:20 PM
Importance:	High

Mary, Fred & Bill –

Please take the action stated in the email below to inform the outstanding NRR and ex-NRR folks that have been selected as Meritorious Award recipients as soon as possible. Let me know so I can get back to Rey.

Thanks and big kudos to Mary Ann. Mike and the AG, Sandra.

Eric J. Leeds, Director
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
301-415-1270

From: Picon-Colon, Reinaldo
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:16 PM
To: Leeds, Eric
Cc: Cohen, Miriam; Tracy, Glenn; Shay, Jason; Virgilio, Martin
Subject: ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (NRR)
Importance: High

Good Afternoon Mr. Leeds!

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STEP 1:
Notify your award recipients immediately. Their names are:

- **Ashley, Mary Ann** - Distinguished Service Award
- **Scott, Michael** - Meritorious Service Award
- **Walker, Sandra** - Meritorious Service Award

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From: Picon-Colon, Reinaldo
To: Virgilio, Martin
Cc: Weber, Michael; Ash, Darren; Borchardt, Bill
Subject: List of Awardees.
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 5:45:10 PM

Marty,

Below the list per your request.

1	ADM	Dambly, Jan	Meritorious Service Award
2	ADM	Griffin, Steven	Meritorious Service Award
3	CFO	Fredericks, Carl	Meritorious Service Award
4	EDO	Arildsen, Jesse	Meritorious Service Award
5	EDO	Kasputys, Clare	Distinguished Service Award
6	FSME	Abu-Eid, Boby	Meritorious Honorary Service Award
7	FSME	Bhalla, Neelam	Meritorious Service Award
8	FSME	DeCicco, Joseph	Meritorious Service Award
9	HR	Johns, Nancy	Meritorious Service Award
10	HR	Miller, Mark	Meritorious Service Award
11	NMSS	Hornseth, Geoffrey	Meritorious Service Award
12	NMSS	Mullins, Alicia	Meritorious EEO Service Award
13	NMSS	Tiktinsky, David	Meritorious Service Award
14	NRO	Donoghue, Joseph	Meritorious Service Award
15	NRO	Harbuck, Craig	Meritorious Service Award
16	NRO	Rivera-Varona, Aida	Meritorious EEO Service Award
17	NRR	Ashley, Mary Ann	Distinguished Service Award
18	NRR	Scott, Michael	Meritorious Service Award
19	NRR	Walker, Sandra	Meritorious Service Award
20	NSIR	Abraham, Susan	Meritorious Service Award
21	NSIR	LaVie, Steve	Meritorious Service Award
22	NSIR	Milligan, Patricia	Meritorious Honorary Service Award
23	OCA	Shane, Raeann	Meritorious Service Award
24	OE	Summers, Robert	Meritorious Service Award
25	OGC	Uttal, Susan	Meritorious Service Award
26	OI	Teator, Jeffrey	Meritorious Service Award
27	OIS	Collins, Michael	Meritorious Service Award
28	OIS	Voytko, Victoria	Meritorious Service Award

29	RES	Bush-Goddard, Stephanie	Meritorious Service Award
30	RES	Norris, Wallace	Meritorious Service Award
31	RES	Staudenmeier, Joseph	Meritorious Service Award
32	SECY	Greathead, Nancy	Meritorious Service Award
33	R1	Bixler, Cyndy	Meritorious Service Award
34	R1	Hunegs, Gordon	Meritorious Service Award
35	R2	Chou, Rich	Meritorious Service Award
36	R2	Monk, Robert	Meritorious Service Award
37	R3	Buckley, Patricia	Meritorious Service Award
38	R3	Christoffer-Baruch, Gail	Meritorious EEO Service Award
39	R3	Holmberg, Mel	Distinguished Service Award
40	R3	Luo, Ming	Meritorious Service Award
41	R4	Owen, Lucy	Meritorious Service Award

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Program Management, Policy Development
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--Albert Einstein

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From: Virgilio, Martin
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 5:26 PM
To: Picon-Colon, Reinaldo
Cc: Weber, Michael; Ash, Darren; Borchardt, Bill
Subject: ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (R4)

Reinaldo

Could you please provide us one list with all the names sorted by Office/Region

Marty

From: Picon-Colon, Reinaldo

From: "Marriott Hotels & Resorts Reservation"
To: Burnell, Scott
Subject: Reminder: Your stay at Bethesda North Marriott Hotel & Conference Center begins Monday, March 14, 2011
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 5:45:19 PM

Marriott Hotels & Resorts

Bethesda North Marriott Hotel & Conference Center

5701 Marinelli Road,
Bethesda, Maryland 20852 USA
Phone: 1-301-822-9200 Fax: 1-301-822-9201

Reservation for Scott Burnell

Confirmation Number: 86283319
Check-in: Monday, March 14, 2011 (04:00 PM)
Check-out: Wednesday, March 16, 2011 (12:00 PM)

View hotel website
Modify or Cancel reservation
Driving Directions
Maps & Transportation

Dear Scott Burnell,

Your reservation #86283319 at the Bethesda North Marriott Hotel & Conference Center begins soon. We're excited you'll be visiting and are preparing for your stay.

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Weather

As reported March 13 05:03 PM

March 14	March 15	March 16
Partly Cloudy Hi: 52F/11C Low: 34F/1C	Mostly Cloudy Hi: 52F/11C Low: 43F/6C	Showers Hi: 60F/15C Low: 41F/5C

View a 10-day forecast

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Bars & Nightlife
Things to do
Business Essentials
Shopping
Practical Information

Reservation Details

Confirmation Number: 86283319
Your hotel: Bethesda North Marriott Hotel & Conference Center
Check-in: Monday, March 14, 2011 (04:00 PM)
Check-out: Wednesday, March 16, 2011 (12:00 PM)
Room type: Guest room, 1 King or 2 Double
Number of rooms: 1
Guests per room: 1
Guest name: Scott Burnell
Reservation confirmed: Monday, March 14, 2011 (21:44:00 GMT)
Guarantee method: Credit card guarantee, Visa

Special request(s):

- 1 King Bed, Guaranteed
- No ID Needed at Check-In, Request Noted

Summary of Room Charges	Cost per night per room (USD)
Monday, March 14, 2011 - Wednesday, March 16, 2011 (2 nights)	211.00
Govt/military rate, federal government ID required	
Estimated government taxes and fees	27.43
Total for stay (for all rooms)	**476.86**

- On-site parking, fee: 5 USD hourly, 15 USD daily
- Changes in taxes or fees implemented after booking will affect the total room price.

You may modify or cancel your reservation online (see details below), or call 1-800-228-9290 in the US and Canada. Elsewhere, call our worldwide telephone numbers .

Contact us if you have questions about your reservation.

Canceling Your Reservation

- You may cancel your reservation for no charge until 06:00 PM hotel time on Monday, March 14, 2011.

Please note that we will assess a fee of 211.00 USD if you must cancel after this deadline.

If you have made a prepayment, we will retain all or part of your prepayment. If not, we will charge your credit card.

Modifying Your Reservation

- Please note that a change in the length or dates of your reservation may result in a rate change.

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Satorius, Mark

From:	veronica.leyva@gsa.gov on behalf of ChicagoFEB@gsa.gov
Sent:	Monday, March 14, 2011 5:50 PM
Cc:	jean.brown@gsa.gov; marc.brandt@gsa.gov; keziah.burton@gsa.gov; ellen.mcelligott@gsa.gov; mark.ludeking@gsa.gov; Jonathan.hagloch@gsa.gov
Subject:	Seats Available! FEB's Free Lunch and Learn Program - Diversity: Let's Talk! Tuesday, March 15, 2011 11:30 a.m. - 12 30 p.m. (doors open @ 11:00 a.m.)

Seats Available for FEB's Free Lunch and Learn Program
Diversity: Let's Talk!

TUESDAY - MARCH 15, 2011

METCALFE FEDERAL BUILDING

77 W JACKSON BLVD, ROOM 331

DOORS OPEN 11:00 AM

PROGRAM BEGINS 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Registration Link:
Registration (optional) Walk-Ins welcome!

http://diversityletstalk.eventbrite.com/

BRING YOUR LUNCH:

Using an Oscar-winning short film, a panel of experts will engage in a dialogue

with you as we explore perceptions, stereotypes, and assumptions people

may not be aware of as they interact with and observe one another.

Doors Open at 11:00 a.m.

Program Begins at 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Dean, Bill

From: Dean, Bill
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 5:50 PM
To: Picon-Colon, Reinaldo
Subject: Re: ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (R1)

I should use that one!
Bill Dean
Regional Administrator
Region I, USNRC
Sent from NRC BlackBerry

From: Picon-Colon, Reinaldo
To: Dean, Bill
Sent: Mon Mar 14 17:27:35 2011
Subject: RE: ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (R1)

Hey, anything is acceptable in order to motivate our people.

Below is my favorite one. It means: "Go For It... but don't forget that I'm watching you."

Smile and Enjoy your day Sir.

Reinaldo "Rey" Picón-Colón

From: Dean, Bill
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 5:24 PM
To: Picon-Colon, Reinaldo
Subject: RE: ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (R1)

Awesome. Nice graphic!!

Bill

From: Picon-Colon, Reinaldo
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 5:24 PM
To: Dean, Bill
Subject: RE: ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (R1)

No problema!

Reinaldo "Rey" Picón-Colón

From: Dean, Bill
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 5:23 PM
To: Picon-Colon, Reinaldo
Subject: RE: ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (R1)

Reinaldo,
Is by Wednesday OK? Most of staff are gone for the day and I am away at a management retreat tomorrow.

Bill

From: Picon-Colon, Reinaldo
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 5:17 PM
To: Dean, Bill
Cc: Cohen, Miriam; Tracy, Glenn; Shay, Jason; Virgilio, Martin
Subject: ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (R1)
Importance: High

Good Afternoon Mr. Dean!

The Commission has approved this year's Distinguished & Meritorious awards recipients.

STEP 1:
Notify your award recipients immediately. Their names are:

- **Bixler, Cyndy** - Meritorious Service Award
- **Hunegs, Gordon** - Meritorious Service Award

STEP 2:
Reply to me by e-mail as soon as you have been able to notify them.

Once I receive your confirmation, I will then contact them to coordinate the follow-up process regarding photography, travel arrangements for family, etc. Usually, this process takes a significant amount of time, and it is required in order to prepare the Certificates, Special Lapel Pins, and brochures. So, I need to begin this process immediately.

Your prompt response will be greatly appreciated.

Our 34th Annual Awards Ceremony will be held on ***Tuesday, June 14, 2011***, at the Bethesda North Marriott Hotel and Conference Center

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Pre-Ceremony Reception. (This is for awardees, their guests, Commissioners, and Office Directors)
2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	34th Annual Awards Ceremony (This is for all employees)
3:00 pm - 4:30 pm	Post Ceremony Reception (This is for all employees)

Thank you in advance for your quick response.

Reinaldo "Rey" Picón-Colón
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From:	Collins, Frank
To:	Golla, Joe
Subject:	RE: COOP Contacts
Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 5:55:46 PM

FSME – Michele Burgess
NMSS - Kevin Witt

From: Golla, Joe
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 12:56 PM
To: Collins, Frank
Subject: COOP Contacts

Frank- who are the COOP contacts in FSME and NMSS??

Joe Golla, Project Manager
US Nuclear Regulatory Commission
NRR/DPR/PLPB
301-415-1002

From: (b)(6)
To:
Subject:
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 6:09:51 PM
Attachments: ATT00002..txt

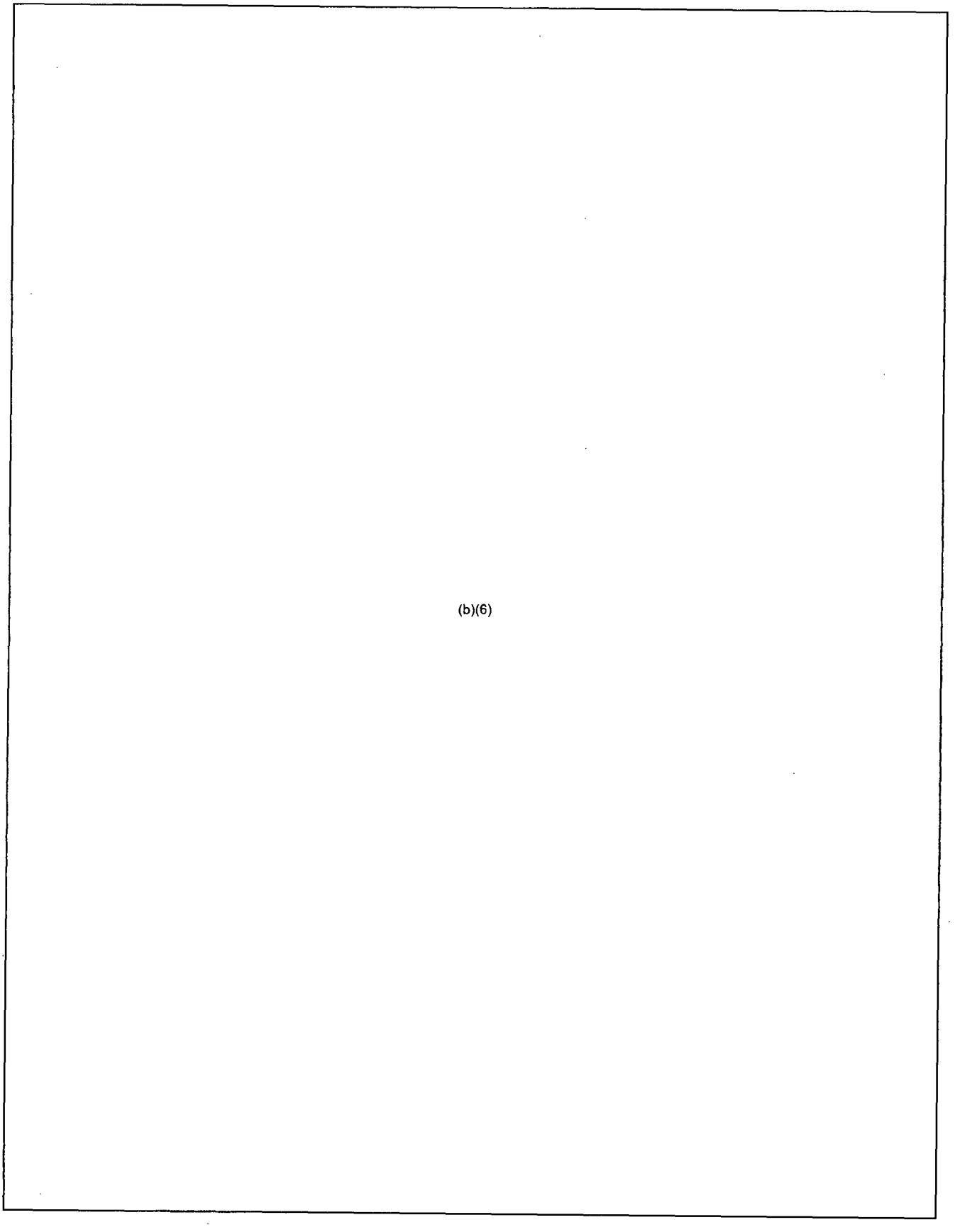
(b)(6)

Marianne R. Phelps

(b)(6)

From: (b)(6)
To: Grobe, Jack
Subject: (b)(6)
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 6:13:47 AM

(b)(6)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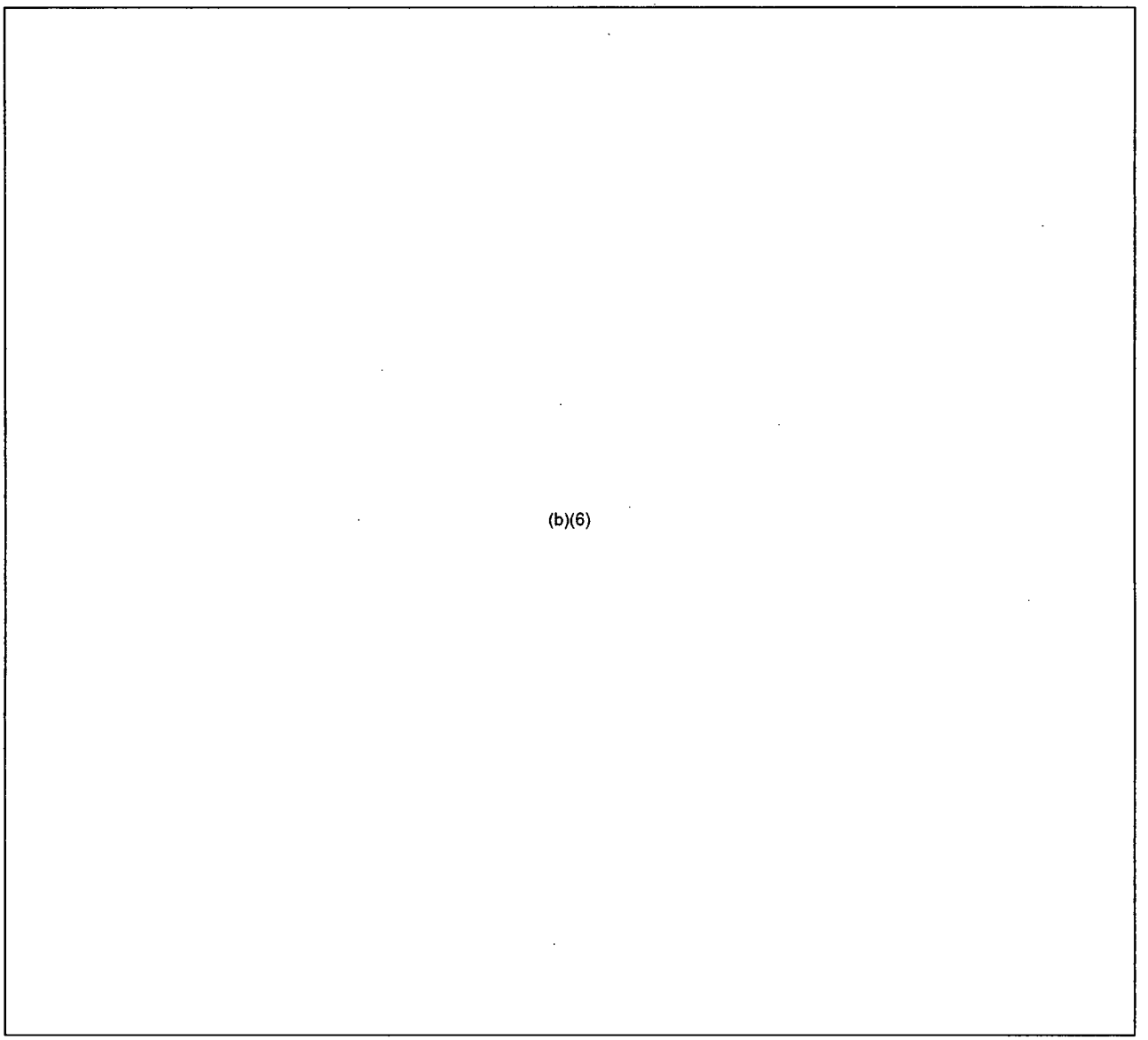
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From: Gitter, Joseph
To: Rihm, Roger; Thomas, Eric
Cc: Hiland, Patrick
Subject: RE: Need a table
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 6:15:54 PM

Roger- DORL has it for action. I'm asking my staff to have something by noon tomorrow.

From: Rihm, Roger
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 5:30 PM
To: Gitter, Joseph; Thomas, Eric
Subject: FW: Need a table
Importance: High

Please confirm that DORL can produce tomorrow. (Hearing is Weds). Note that, for coastal sites, "probably" should read "probable."

Let me know if any questions. thanks

Roger S. Rihm
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From: Hiland, Patrick
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:48 PM
To: Rihm, Roger
Cc: Gitter, Joseph; Thomas, Eric
Subject: RE: Need a table
Importance: High

The below is needed by Roger for Chairman's Wednesday hill meeting. Believe DORL can collect.

From: Rihm, Roger
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:42 PM
To: Hiland, Patrick
Subject: Need a table
Importance: High

Is it you or maybe Joe Gitter?

For all Rx sites:

Name
Safe shutdown earthquake
Reference level earthquake
(for coastal sites) probably max tsunami OR max tsunami water level

From: (b)(6)
To: Grobe, Jack
Subject: (b)(6)
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 6:31:19 PM

(b)(6)

(b)(6)

From: Abu-Eid, Boby
To: Smith, Shawn
Cc: Camper, Larry; Haney, Catherine
Subject: RE: Updated Slides: RWMC Brief March 2011
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 6:39:14 PM
Attachments: RWMC Brief March 2011WPDD Chair added.pptx

Shawn,
Please find attached RWMC file with minor edit of WPDD slide #6 and insertion of WPDD Chair name in slide #6 talking points. If you need any further help or support, please let me know.
Boby

From: Smith, Shawn
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 5:23 PM
To: Budhi Sagar; Stablein, King; Kotra, Janet; Abu-Eid, Boby
Subject: Updated Slides: RWMC Brief March 2011

Thanks for your time and active participation in the meeting today with Cathy.

I've updated the slides and talking points (attached). Please review and let me know if you have any additional updates/edits. Of note, Budhi/Boby please identify the Chairs of your groups in the talking points.

Thanks,

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Radioactive Waste Management Committee (RWMC)

Catherine Haney

Introduction to RWMC

- Purpose: Support international cooperation in the management of material from nuclear installations, including facility decommissioning and long-term waste management

- 80 Members

- US Representatives:
  - Catherine Haney , NRC
  - William Boyle, DOE
  - Daniel Schultheisz, EPA

- 3 Working Parties:
  - Forum on Stakeholder Confidence (FSC)
  - Integration Group for the Safety Case (IGSC)
  - Working Party on Decommissioning and Dismantling (WPDD)

- Regulator's Forum

RWMC Activities

- Recently Completed:
  - Int'l Project on Reversibility and Retrievability
- Current Activities:
  - Updated RWMC Strategic Plan
  - Project on long term information and memory preservation
  - Dialogue with ICRP on revision disposal guidance
  - Brochure on Waste Management Profession
- Future Activities:
  - Peer Review of SKB Safety Case for a Geologic Repository
  - 2011 Int'l Conf on Geological Repositories
- Challenges
  - More focus on LLW and ILW
  - Adjusting activities to evolving RWM programs in member countries

Forum on Stakeholder Confidence (FSC)

- Purpose: Develop understanding of what fosters and maintains societal confidence in RWM

- US representative:
  - Janet Kotra, NMSS/HLWRS (Chair)

- Recently Completed:
  - 10-year Anniversary colloquium (September 2010)
  - Published "*More than Just Concrete Realities: The Symbolic Dimension of Radioactive Waste Management" (2010)*

- Current Activities:
  - Annual country workshop in Östhammer, Sweden (May 2011)
  - Annual meeting in Paris (September 2011)
  - Support for 2011ICGR

- Future Activities:

- Challenges:

Integration Group for the Safety Case (IGSC)

- Technical advisory body to RWMC
  - Builds and documents the technical and scientific basis for developing and reviewing safety cases to support decision-making in repository development

- NRC representatives:
  - King Stablein, NMSS/HLWRS
  - Budhi Sagar, CNWRA

- Recently Completed:
  - Project on Methods for Safety Assessment (MeSa)

- Current Activities:
  - Guidebook for inclusion of sorption in safety assessment
  - Update of the FEP Database

- Future Activities:
  - Joint IGSC/RF Workshop on relationship between optimization and licensing

- Challenges:
  - Adjusting activities to widely different stages of RWM programs in member countries
  - Efficient coordination with IAEA and European Commission

Working Party on Decommissioning and Dismantling (WPDD)

- Purpose: Exchange information and lessons learned in decommissioning and dismantling of facilities and materials.

- WPDD analyzes decommissioning policies, strategies and regulations, tracks decommissioning developments worldwide ,and develops reports and position papers on emerging issues.

- U.S. Representatives:
  - Boby Eid, NRC Representative
  - Andy Szilagyi, DOE representative

- Recently Completed Activities:
  - *Report on "Decommissioning Cost Estimates"*
  - Draft report on *"Decommissioning and Disposal of Large Components"*
  - Status Summary Report on: *"R&D in Support of Decommissioning"*

- Current Activities
  - Technical report on "Status and Priorities of R&D in Support of Decommissioning"
  - Preparation for topical workshop on "Characterization and Survey in Support of Decommissioning"
  - Addressing remediation & decontamination for legacy sites
  - Decommissioning cost-estimates subgroup to continue addressing optimization of cost-estimates

- Future Challenges: Resources and increasing demand for transfer of decommissioning technologies and lessons learned, and larger representation by the U.S

Regulator's Forum (RF)

- Purpose: Facilitate communication and information exchange between RWMC regulators and address future regulatory challenges and issues in the area of waste management and disposal, including decommissioning and dismantling

- US representative:
  - Daniel Schultheisz, EPA
  - Catherine Haney, NRC
  - Shawn Smith, NRC

- Recently Completed:
  - Paper on Regulatory R&D Needs
  - A table on nuclear regulatory infrastructure in RWMC countries

- Current Activities:
  - Issue of confidence in the role of the regulator
  - Joint IGSC/RF Workshop on relationship between optimization and licensing
  - Dialogue with ICRP on revision disposal guidance

- Future Activities:
  - Issue of very long time scales

- Challenges:
  - Adjusting activities to evolving RWM programs in member countries

Bozin, Sunny

From: iTrezzo Admin
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 7:12 PM
To: Nieh, Ho
Subject: BlackBerry Contact Update

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- Casto, Chuck (b)(6)

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Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 7:15:52 PM
Posted At:	itrezzo EPS Backups
Conversation:	itrezzo EPS Backups: 3/14/2011 19:15
Subject:	itrezzo EPS Backups: 3/14/2011 19:15
Attachments:	Chuck Casto.msg Darren Ash.msg

The following 2 contact(s) were updated with current information:

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- Darren Ash (PIN: (b)(6))

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From: (b)(6)
To:
Subject: (b)(6) Japan Needs Our Help
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 7:20:11 PM
Attachments: ATT00002..txt

Last Friday's earthquake and tsunami devastated Northern Japan, and now we're getting reports of terrible suffering. (b)(6)

(b)(6)

Date:	Monday, March 14, 2011 7:20:10 PM
Posted At:	itrezzo EPS Backups
Conversation:	itrezzo EPS Backups: 3/14/2011 19:19
Subject:	itrezzo EPS Backups: 3/14/2011 19:19
Attachments:	Ash Darren.msg Chuck Casto.msg Trapp James.msg

The following 2 mandatory contact(s) were updated with current information:

- Ash, Darren (PIN: (b)(6)
- Trapp, James (PIN (b)(6); Other (b)(6))

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Attachment Trapp James.msg (2560 Bytes) cannot be converted to PDF format.

From: (b)(6)
To: Grobe, Jack
Subject: (b)(6)
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 7:54:49 PM

(b)(6)

(b)(6)

From: CSC@nrc.gov
To: Golla, Joe
Subject: CSC Customer Survey (Reference Ticket # 505932)
Date: Monday, March 14, 2011 9:00:21 PM

Office of Information Services - Customer Satisfaction Survey

Dear JOE GOLLA:

Thank you for contacting the Customer Support Center (CSC). Our records indicate that your ticket regarding 'NRC Phone Book Software Trouble Ticket' has been resolved.

In an effort to continually improve customer service, we're asking you to please assist us by filling out the Customer Satisfaction Survey. Click on the link below to confirm whether or not your issue has been resolved to your satisfaction and answer a brief survey on our performance in handling/processing your request.

Please carefully review each question before answering. We appreciate your feedback.

http://servicedesk/survey/survey.asp?ticket=505932

Thank you,

NRC Customer Support Center (CSC)
Two White Flint, 5th floor C-14
Hours: 6:00 AM-9:00 PM (M-F)
Hours: 9:00 AM-9:00 PM (Sat-Sun)
(301) 415-1234

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Dean, Bill

From: Sheehan, Neil
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:34 PM
To: Screnci, Diane
Cc: Dean, Bill; Lew, David
Subject: RE: FEMA to Form External Affairs Working Group to Prepare for Disasters

Diane,

Are you interested? I've been serving on the FEB Public Affairs Committee for several years so they reached out to me.

Neil

From: Dean, Bill
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:27 PM
To: Sheehan, Neil; Lew, David
Subject: Re: FEMA to Form External Affairs Working Group to Prepare for Disasters

Either you or diane. Have you asked if she is interested.
Bill Dean
Regional Administrator
Region I, USNRC
Sent from NRC BlackBerry

From: Sheehan, Neil
To: Dean, Bill; Lew, David
Sent: Mon Mar 14 18:40:03 2011
Subject: Fw: FEMA to Form External Affairs Working Group to Prepare for Disasters

Any objections to my participation in this?

Neil Sheehan
NRC Public Affairs Officer
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Sent: Mon Mar 14 18:23:41 2011
Subject: FEMA to Form External Affairs Working Group to Prepare for Disasters

Hello. I have had the pleasure of meeting most of you at past FEB Public Affairs Council meetings or have worked with you on several disasters. Hope you are well.

I'm in the process of developing an external affairs working group to help plan for disasters in the Region III jurisdiction – Delaware, District of Columbia, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia and West Virginia. The ultimate goal is to have a coordinated regional plan that enables federal communicators from area agencies to handle the public information needs of major disasters in accordance with the National Response Framework (NRF) and the Emergency Support Function-15 (ESF-15) standard operating procedures.

I am sending you this message because your agency has a role in supporting regional response and recovery operations and works closely with FEMA during times of disaster. As a public affairs professional, you have a role in helping your agency develop and communicate its messages to various audiences.

In case you are not familiar with ESF-15, ESF-15 ensures that a coordinated federal response is achieved during critical incidents to provide accurate, timely, and accessible information to affected audiences, including governments, media, the private sector, and the local populace. ESF-15 applies to all federal departments and agencies whose external affairs assets may be employed during incidents requiring a coordinated federal response.

The working group is for federal external affairs and/or public affairs personnel. During the course of the working group's discussions, the following will be accomplished:

- Participants will gain a basic understanding of the ESF-15 organization and its operations during an incident.
- Participants will understand the importance and need for coordinating with federal communicators across federal agencies during an incident.
- Participants will learn the roles and responsibilities of FEMA (and other agencies), especially during incidents and disasters.

I hope your schedule will allow you to participate. Your experience and input will help the federal government team have a coordinated and successful external affairs operation during major disasters.

If you are interested in representing your agency and being a part of the working group, please let me know by Friday, March 18. I will send information on conference calls and more once I hear from you.

Thanks in advance.

Regards,
Niki

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From:	Virgilio, Martin
To:	Evans, Michele
Subject:	Re: For Information: Temporary Change in DSO/NSIR management
Date:	Tuesday, March 15, 2011 12:59:52 AM

Thanks Michele

From: Evans, Michele
To: Virgilio, Martin; Weber, Michael
Cc: Johns, Nancy; Gallagher, Johanna; Wiggins, Jim; Uhle, Jennifer; Grobe, Jack; Boger, Bruce; Moore, Scott; Dorman, Dan; Holahan, Gary
Sent: Mon Mar 14 22:27:26 2011
Subject: For Information: Temporary Change in DSO/NSIR management

Marty and Mike,

(b)(5),(b)(6)

Michele

From: Deputy Ethics Counselor
To: (b)(6)
Subject: Required Ethics Training for SF 278 Filers
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 1:01:10 AM

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From: CDMC [newsletter@chinadecisionmakers.com]
Sent: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 1:24 AM
To: Satorius, Mark
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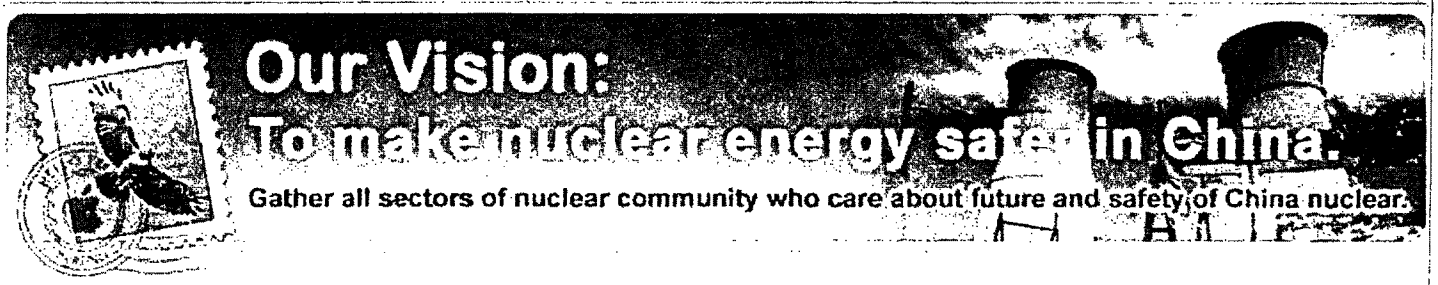

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To: Satorius, Mark
Subject: Heroes for Humanity

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Dutch Industrial Engineer takes on plea from the late Princess Diana and uses the science of behavior analysis to change the way the world works Who would suspect that rats could locate land mines and even help cure Tuberculosis? Bart Weetjens, a Dutch Industrial Engineer trained HeroRATs to do just that. This article introduces you to an application of behavior analysis outside the business setting, and shows how the power of positive reinforcement can provide great good.

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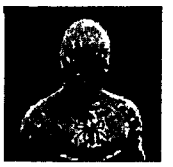

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Sent: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 3:09 AM
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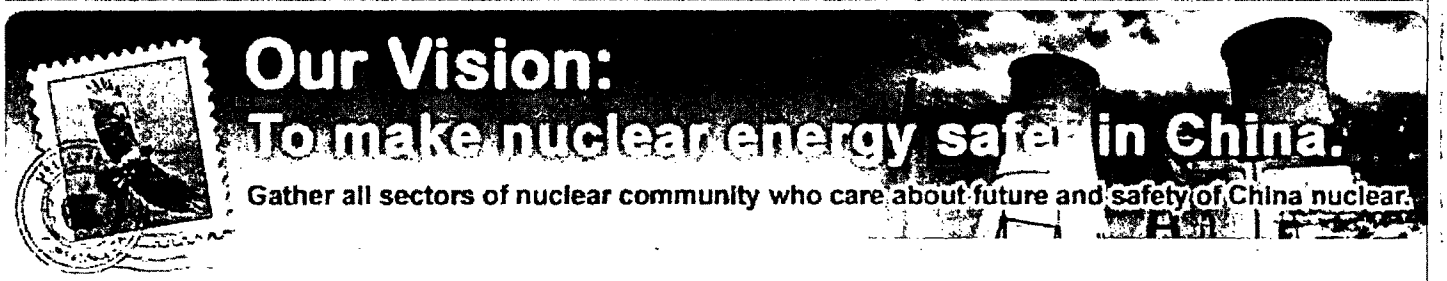

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From: Weber, Michael
To: Haney, Catherine
Cc: Muessle, Mary; Jacobs-Baynard, Elizabeth
Subject: Response - Budget brief
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 5:10:54 AM

Thanks for responding. Vonna should be able to pitch hit for you, if the brief occurs.

----- Original Message -----
From: Haney, Catherine
To: Jacobs-Baynard, Elizabeth
Cc: Weber, Michael; Ordaz, Vonna; Kokajko, Lawrence; Tschiltz, Michael; Walker, Dwight
Sent: Tue Mar 15 04:32:02 2011
Subject: Budget brief

Liz
I was called back to the ops center before I had the chance to get home last night. I just got home and although exhausted need to relax before I can sleep.

I asked Josh if he thought the Chairman would still have the budget meeting. He thought yes but it was subject to change. He understood that I might not be into the office and was willing to do later if schedule permitted. Here are a few options -
1. I participate by phone. I have info jennifer sent by email.
2. Vonna and Mike/Marrissa brief the chairman
3. We schedule for later but I do need to leave at four.
4. Anything else you can think of.

I will set alarm for 8 and will check emails then.

Thanks
Cathy

From: Nextgov.com Newsletters
To: Boger, Bruce
Subject: Nextgov Health IT -- TUESDAY, MARCH 15, 2011
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- **Study shows health IT efforts worthwhile**
BY JOSH SMITH, NATIONAL JOURNAL

A government study published on Wednesday indicates that the daunting task of implementing electronic health information systems across the country may not be a lost cause.

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BY JOSH SMITH, NATIONAL JOURNAL

A coalition of technology and business groups called for tax credits, not regulations, to motivate companies to protect vulnerable Internet networks in the United States.

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- **Survey: Agencies are failing to maintain critical electronic records**
BY WILLIAM MATTHEWS

After investigating itself for almost a year, the Justice Department reported to the National Archives and Records Administration that it is unable to determine whether any e-mails related to its notorious 2002 "torture memos" were improperly destroyed.

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BY JOSH SMITH, NATIONAL JOURNAL

Nearly 60 executives from TechNet are working the town this week, meeting with leaders in Congress and the Obama administration.

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BY BOB BREWIN

This is the fifth story in an ongoing series.

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- **Interim spending law contains cut in cybersecurity funds**
BY ALIYA STERNSTEIN

Congress agreed to eliminate $20 million for network security programs in the major bill to keep the government operating through March 18, as the Republican-controlled House and Democratic-led Senate began negotiations on further cuts for the rest of the fiscal year ending in September.

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- **House panel votes to overturn net neutrality rules**
BY JOSH SMITH, NATIONAL JOURNAL

A key House subcommittee voted 15-8 to overturn the Federal Communication Commission's network neutrality rules on Wednesday, but not before supporters and opponents of the change got more than a little testy with one another.

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BY JOHN PULLEY | 3/11/11 | 5:03 P.M. ET

If you think you're seeing a giant robot pharmacist at the University of California-San Francisco Medical Center, don't blame the drugs.

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BY JOHN PULLEY | 3/09/11 | 1:30 P.M. ET

Most patients trust their doctors to keep their medical and financial information private, but one out of every two don't trust electronic health records to do the same, a new survey shows.

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- **Many Docs Favor an Apple a Day**
BY JOHN PULLEY | 3/07/11 | 12:45 P.M. ET

The iPads have it -- or so says a new survey gauging tablet preferences among health-care professionals.

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- **Survey: "Meaningful Use" Too Strict**
BY JOHN PULLEY | 3/04/11 | 5:07 P.M. ET

The torrent of criticism about the next phase of "meaningful use" standards for electronic health records continued this week, most recently with vendors, health-care providers and other health IT "stakeholders" arguing that nine of the stated goals are too aggressive.

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To: Taylor, Robert
Cc: Lubinski, John
Subject: RE: Response Requested: Steam Generator Blowdowns using Hydrazine chemistry
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 5:42:53 AM

Rob,

I will take the lead. Regarding how they handle the discharge, that is an issue we normally don't deal with, but let me see what I can find out.

Here is what I currently know (with respect to hydrazine discharges). This comes from the water chemistry guidelines:

> Hydrazine is a suspected carcinogen and is controlled in plant discharges. It is a sensitive issue.
>
> Hydrazine thermally decomposes into ammonia, hydrogen, and nitrogen. High ammonia can affect the condensate polishers. High ammonia can also impact plant discharges.

Let me see what I can find out.

Ken

From: Taylor, Robert
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:24 PM
To: Karwoski, Kenneth
Cc: Lubinski, John; Williams, Shawn
Subject: FW: Response Requested: Steam Generator Blowdowns using Hydrazine chemistry

Ken,

Can you take the lead on this since John and I are handling Ops Center duties?

Rob

From: Williams, Shawn
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:22 PM
To: Lubinski, John; Taylor, Robert
Cc: Virgilio, Martin
Subject: Response Requested: Steam Generator Blowdowns using Hydrazine chemistry

Hi John,

I see you have a Steam Generator Tube Integrity and Chemical Engineering Branch in your division. I am hoping you are the right division to ask this question to.

During a RIC margin meeting between Terry Jamieson, Vice-President of Canada Nuclear Regulatory Agency and Marty Virgilio, Canada requested our help in gaining information

concerning environmental concerns associated with Steam Generator blowdowns in plants using Hydrazine chemistry. Specifically, they requested information on, if U.S. plants have systems in place to collect the blowdown water containing hydrazine and, if so, do U.S. plants treat the water or do they dilute it.

I vaguely recall during the margin meeting, Canada shared that their equivalent EPA has environmental concerns with the current process. I suspect the current Canadian process for plants is to dilute the water before discharging it to the environment - but I really don't know.

We would appreciate if you could provide some insights, or point me in the right direction, so that Marty can respond to Canada's request.

Thank You,
Shawn Williams
Executive Technical Assistant
Office of the Executive Director for Operations
301-415-1009

Bozin, Sunny

From: HOO Hoc
Sent: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 5:44 AM
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46672 **NORTH DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

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AGREEMENT STATE

Power Reactor Event # 46664

Site: MCGUIRE **Notification Date / Time:** 03/09/2011 11:20 (EST)
Unit: 1 2 **Region:** 2 **State :** NC **Event Date / Time:** 03/09/2011 10:55 (EST)
Reactor Type: [1] W-4-LP,[2] W-4-LP **Last Modification:** 03/14/2011
Containment Type: ICE COND ICE COND

NRC Notified by: MARK MCNEELY **Notifications:** REBECCA NEASE R2DO
HQ Ops Officer: JOHN SHOEMAKER
Emergency Class: NON EMERGENCY
10 CFR Section:
26.719 FITNESS FOR DUTY

Unit	Scram Code	RX Crit	Init Power	Initial RX Mode	Curr Power	Current RX Mode
1	N	Yes	100	Power Operation	100	Power Operation
2	N	No	0	Refueling	0	Refueling

FITNESS FOR DUTY

A non-licensed employee failed to meet fitness-for-duty criteria. The employee's access to the plant has been terminated. Contact the NRC Headquarters Operations Officer for additional details.

* * * UPDATE FROM MARK S. MCNEELY TO JOHN SHOEMAKER AT 1025 EST ON 03/14/11 * * *

An update to this report has been provided by the licensee. Contact the NRC Headquarters Operations Officer for additional details.

Notified R2DO Nease)

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Hospital Event # 46670

Rep Org: STATE OF FLORIDA		**Notification Date / Time:** 03/14/2011 10:53	(EST)
Licensee: ANAZAOHEALTH CORPORATION		**Event Date / Time:** 03/09/2011	(EST)
		Last Modification: 03/14/2011	
Region: 1	**Docket #:**		
City: Tampa	**Agreement State:** Yes		
County:	**License #:** 2975-1		
State: FL			
NRC Notified by: STEVE FURNACE	**Notifications:** GLENN DENTEL		R1DO
HQ Ops Officer: JOHN SHOEMAKER	ANGELA MCINTOSH		FSME D
Emergency Class: NON EMERGENCY			
10 CFR Section:			
AGREEMENT STATE			

AGREEMENT STATE - DOSE MORE THAN PRESCRIBED

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Power Reactor Event # 46671

Site: FORT CALHOUN **Notification Date / Time:** 03/14/2011 16:09 (EST)
Unit: 1 **Region:** 4 **State :** NE **Event Date / Time:** 03/14/2011 14:30 (CST)
Reactor Type: (1) CE **Last Modification:** 03/14/2011
Containment Type: DRY AMB

NRC Notified by: RICHARD ACKER **Notifications:** CHUCK CAIN R4DO
HQ Ops Officer: MARK ABRAMOVITZ
Emergency Class: NON EMERGENCY
10 CFR Section:
73.71(b)(1) SAFEGUARDS REPORTS

Unit	Scram Code	RX Crit	Init Power	Initial RX Mode	Curr Power	Current RX Mode
1	N	Yes	100	Power Operation	100	Power Operation

EXTENT OF CONDITION REVIEW REVEALS A POTENTIAL VULNERABILITY

Discovered vulnerability in a safeguards system that could allow access to a controlled access area for which compensatory measures were not employed. The licensee will notify the NRC Resident Inspector. Contact the Headquarters Operations Officer for additional details.

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Agreement State (AGR) Event # 46672

Rep Org: NORTH DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH	**Notification Date / Time:** 03/14/2011 23:01 (EST)		
Licensee: SANJEL CORP	**Event Date / Time:** 03/13/2011 (MST)		
	Last Modification: 03/15/2011		
Region: 4	**Docket #:**		
City:	**Agreement State:** Yes		
County: MCKENZIE	**License #:**		
State: ND			
NRC Notified by: DAVID STRADINGER	**Notifications:** CHUCK CAIN	R4DO	
HQ Ops Officer: JOHN KNOKE	ANGELA MCINTOSH	FSME D	
Emergency Class: NON EMERGENCY			
10 CFR Section:			
AGREEMENT STATE			

AGREEMENT STATE REPORT - NUCLEAR GAUGES RECOVERED FROM OIL RIG FIRE

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Region	*Unit*	*%Pwr*	*Down*	*Comments*	*	#
1	BEAVER VALLEY 1	100				
1	BEAVER VALLEY 2	0	03/06/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
1	CALVERT CLIFFS 1	100				
1	CALVERT CLIFFS 2	10		HOLDING	*	
1	FITZPATRICK 1	100		MAIN GENERATOR VOLTAGE REGULATOR IN MANUAL		
1	GINNA 1	100				
1	HOPE CREEK 1	100				
1	INDIAN POINT 2	100				
1	INDIAN POINT 3	0	03/08/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
1	LIMERICK 1	100				
1	LIMERICK 2	94		COASTDOWN TO REFUELING OUTAGE	*	
1	MILLSTONE 2	100				
1	MILLSTONE 3	100				
1	NINE MILE POINT 1	91		COASTDOWN TO REFUELING OUTAGE		
1	NINE MILE POINT 2	100				
1	OYSTER CREEK 1	100				
1	PEACH BOTTOM 2	100				

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Region	*Unit*	*%Pwr*	*Down*	*Comments*	*	#
1	PEACH BOTTOM 3	100				
1	PILGRIM 1	97		COASTDOWN TO REFUELING OUTAGE		
1	SALEM 1	100				
1	SALEM 2	100				
1	SEABROOK 1	100		CONTINGENCY TO DOWNPOWER TO 1000MWe IN 25 MIN. IF REQUESTED		
1	SUSQUEHANNA 1	98		INCREASING POWER	*	
1	SUSQUEHANNA 2	94		100% ELECTRICAL CAPABILITY		
1	THREE MILE ISLAND 1	100				
1	VERMONT YANKEE 1	100				

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# - Number of reactor scrams within the past 24 hours

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NRC Operations Center
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Region	*Unit*	*%Pwr*	*Down*	*Comments*	*	#
2	BROWNS FERRY 1	100				
2	BROWNS FERRY 2	0	02/25/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
2	BROWNS FERRY 3	100				
2	BRUNSWICK 1	100				
2	BRUNSWICK 2	0	03/04/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
2	CATAWBA 1	100				
2	CATAWBA 2	100				
2	CRYSTAL RIVER 3	0	09/25/2009	Cold Shutdown MAINTENANCE OUTAGE - CONTAINMENT TENSIONING IN PROGRESS		
2	FARLEY 1	100				
2	FARLEY 2	100				
2	HARRIS 1	100				
2	HATCH 1	100				
2	HATCH 2	100				
2	MCGUIRE 1	100				
2	MCGUIRE 2	0	02/26/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
2	NORTH ANNA 1	100				
2	NORTH ANNA 2	100				

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Region	*Unit*	*%Pwr*	*Down*	*Comments*	*	#
2	OCONEE 1	100				
2	OCONEE 2	100				
2	OCONEE 3	100				
2	ROBINSON 2	100				
2	SAINT LUCIE 1	100				
2	SAINT LUCIE 2	0	01/02/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
2	SEQUOYAH 1	100				
2	SEQUOYAH 2	100				
2	SUMMER 1	100				
2	SURRY 1	100				
2	SURRY 2	98		100% ELECTRICAL CAPABILITY		
2	TURKEY POINT 3	60		INCREASING POWER	*	
2	TURKEY POINT 4	100				
2	VOGTLE 1	0	03/06/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
2	VOGTLE 2	100				
2	WATTS BAR 1	92		COASTDOWN TO REFUELING OUTAGE		

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Region	*Unit*	*%Pwr*	*Down*	*Comments*	*	#
3	BRAIDWOOD 1	100				
3	BRAIDWOOD 2	100				
3	BYRON 1	0	03/13/2011	Cold Shutdown REFUELING OUTAGE	*	
3	BYRON 2	100				
3	CLINTON 1	97		100% ELECTRICAL CAPABILITY		
3	COOK 1	0	03/11/2011	Hot Standby MAINTENANCE SHUTDOWN TO REPAIR MAIN GENERATOR SEALS		
3	COOK 2	100				
3	DAVIS BESSE 1	100				
3	DRESDEN 2	100				
3	DRESDEN 3	100				
3	DUANE ARNOLD 1	97		FUEL PRECONDITIONING	*	
3	FERMI 2	100				
3	KEWAUNEE 1	0	02/26/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
3	LASALLE 1	100				
3	LASALLE 2	100				
3	MONTICELLO 1	0	03/04/2011	Refueling REFUELING OUTAGE		
3	PALISADES 1	100				

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Region	*Unit*	*%Pwr*	*Down*	*Comments*	*	#
3	PERRY 1	94		COASTDOWN TO REFUELING OUTAGE		
3	POINT BEACH 1	100				
3	POINT BEACH 2	0	02/28/2011	Refueling DEFUELED	*	
3	PRAIRIE ISLAND 1	100				
3	PRAIRIE ISLAND 2	100				
3	QUAD CITIES 1	100				
3	QUAD CITIES 2	100				

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4	ARKANSAS NUCLEAR 1	100				
4	ARKANSAS NUCLEAR 2	0	02/20/2011	Refueling REFUELING IN PROGRESS		
4	CALLAWAY 1	100				
4	COLUMBIA GENERATING	100			*	
4	COMANCHE PEAK 1	100				
4	COMANCHE PEAK 2	100				
4	COOPER 1	0	03/12/2011	Cold Shutdown REFUELING OUTAGE		
4	DIABLO CANYON 1	100		 230 KV MORRO BAY LINE OUTAGE	*	
4	DIABLO CANYON 2	100		 230 KV MORRO BAY LINE OUTAGE	*	
4	FORT CALHOUN 1	100				
4	GRAND GULF 1	96		 POWER LIMITED 2ND STAGE MSR OUT OF SERVICE FOR THE ENTIRE CYCLE		
4	PALO VERDE 1	100				
4	PALO VERDE 2	100				
4	PALO VERDE 3	100				
4	RIVER BEND 1	100				
4	SAN ONOFRE 2	100			*	
4	SAN ONOFRE 3	100			*	

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4	SOUTH TEXAS 1	100				
4	SOUTH TEXAS 2	100				
4	WATERFORD 3	85		ELEVATED VIBRATION ON FEEDWATER PUMP		
4	WOLF CREEK 1	100				

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From: (b)(6)
To: Grobe, Jack
Subject: (b)(6)
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 5:48:35 AM

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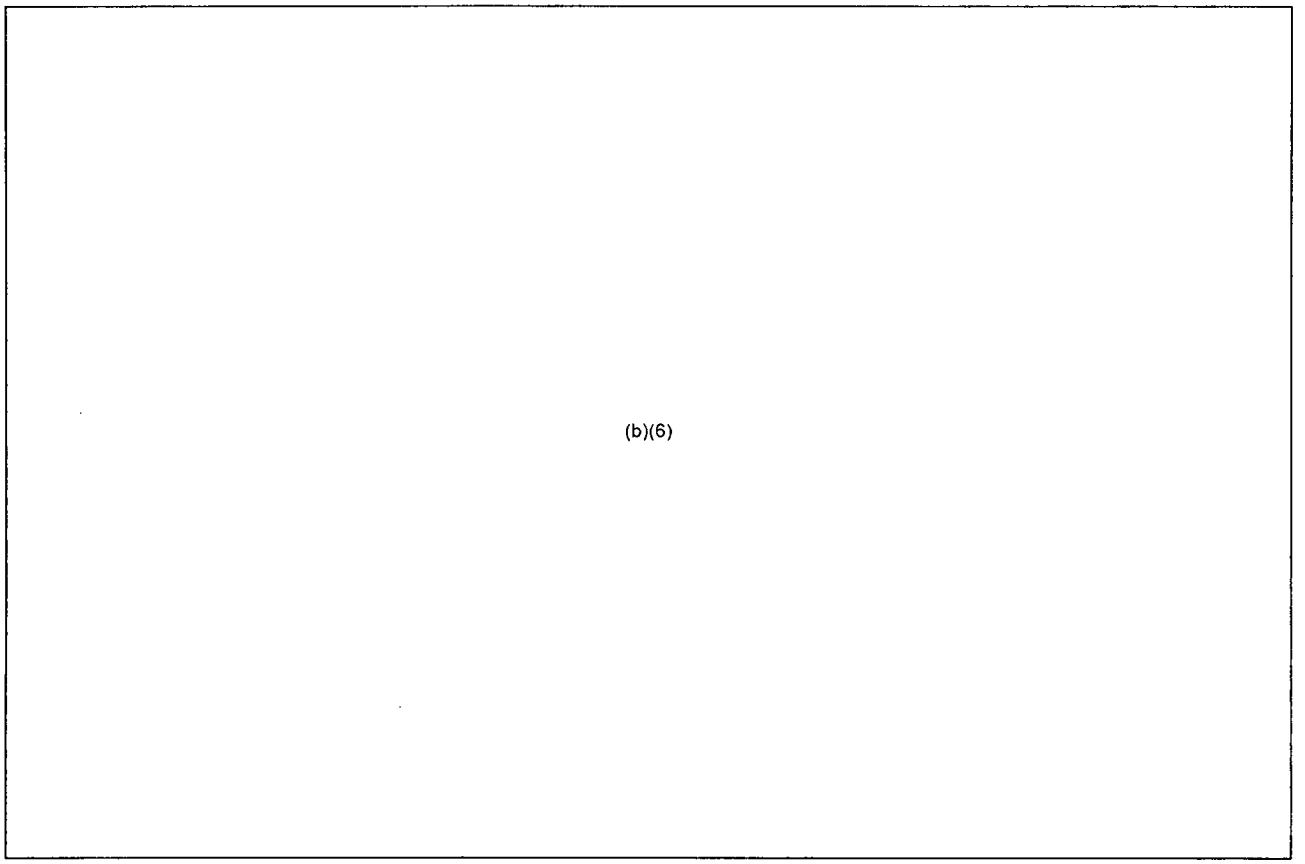
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From:	Karwoski, Kenneth
To:	Williams, Shawn; Taylor, Robert
Cc:	Lubinski, John
Subject:	RE: Response Requested: Steam Generator Blowdowns using Hydrazine chemistry
Date:	Tuesday, March 15, 2011 5:50:57 AM

Will see what I can find out and keep you posted.

Ken

From: Williams, Shawn
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:32 PM
To: Taylor, Robert; Karwoski, Kenneth
Cc: Lubinski, John
Subject: RE: Response Requested: Steam Generator Blowdowns using Hydrazine chemistry

This is not urgent. Within 3 weeks would be great.

From: Taylor, Robert
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:24 PM
To: Karwoski, Kenneth
Cc: Lubinski, John; Williams, Shawn
Subject: FW: Response Requested: Steam Generator Blowdowns using Hydrazine chemistry

Ken,

Can you take the lead on this since John and I are handling Ops Center duties?

Rob

From: Williams, Shawn
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:22 PM
To: Lubinski, John; Taylor, Robert
Cc: Virgilio, Martin
Subject: Response Requested: Steam Generator Blowdowns using Hydrazine chemistry

Hi John,

I see you have a Steam Generator Tube Integrity and Chemical Engineering Branch in your division. I am hoping you are the right division to ask this question to.

During a RIC margin meeting between Terry Jamieson, Vice-President of Canada Nuclear Regulatory Agency and Marty Virgilio, Canada requested our help in gaining information concerning environmental concerns associated with Steam Generator blowdowns in plants using Hydrazine chemistry. Specifically, they requested information on, if U.S. plants have systems in place to collect the blowdown water containing hydrazine and, if so, do U.S. plants treat the water or do they dilute it.

I vaguely recall during the margin meeting, Canada shared that their equivalent EPA has

environmental concerns with the current process. I suspect the current Canadian process for plants is to dilute the water before discharging it to the environment - but I really don't know.

We would appreciate if you could provide some insights, or point me in the right direction, so that Marty can respond to Canada's request.

Thank You,
Shawn Williams
Executive Technical Assistant
Office of the Executive Director for Operations
301-415-1009

From: HOO Hoc
To: HOO Hoc
Subject: EDO Briefing Information for March 15, 2011
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 6:00:56 AM
Attachments: Non-QUO_EDO_Brief.pdf
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Good Morning!

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**** Event Summary ****

Date Range: 03/14/2011 - 03/15/2011

46670 **STATE OF FLORIDA**

AGREEMENT STATE

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46672 **NORTH DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

AGREEMENT STATE

3/14/11 - NORTH DAKOTA AGREEMENT STATE REPORT - NUCLEAR GAUGES RECOVERED FROM OIL RIG FIRE: Two Thermo-Fisher nuclear gauges were involved in a oil rig fire. Both gauges appear to be undamaged except for some shifting of lead shielding around one of the gauges. Gauges will be shipped to manufacturer for inspection and repair.

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Hospital Event # 46670

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Not For Public Distribution - Summary Information - Power Reactor Status Report for 3/15/2011

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1	Calvert Cliffs 2	10%	*0%*	HOLDING *EXITING REFUELING OUTAGE*
1	FitzPatrick	100%	*100%*	MAIN GENERATOR VOLTAGE REGULATOR IN MANUAL
1	Seabrook 1	100%	*100%*	CONTINGENCY TO DOWNPOWER TO 1000MWe IN 25 MIN. IF REQUESTED
1	Susquehanna 1	98%	*99%*	INCREASING POWER --
1	Susquehanna 2	94%	*94%*	100% ELECTRICAL CAPABILITY
2	Crystal River 3	0%	*0%*	MAINTENANCE OUTAGE - CONTAINMENT TENSIONING IN PROGRESS
2	Surry 2	98%	*98%*	100% ELECTRICAL CAPABILITY
2	Turkey Point 3	60%	*2%*	INCREASING POWER *HOLDING FOR CONDENSER REPAIRS*
3	Clinton	97%	*97%*	100% ELECTRICAL CAPABILITY
3	D.C. Cook 1	0%	*0%*	MAINTENANCE SHUTDOWN TO REPAIR MAIN GENERATOR SEALS
3	Duane Arnold	97%	*90%*	FUEL PRECONDITIONING *ROD SEQUENCE EXCHANGE*
4	Columbia Generating Station	100%	*95%*	-- *BEGINNING POWER INCREASE TO FULL POWER*
4	Diablo Canyon 1	100%	*100%*	230 KV MORRO BAY LINE OUTAGE --
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13 Plants in Refueling Outage

Region 1	Region 2	Region 3	Region 4
Beaver Valley 2 - 3/6/2011 Indian Point 3 - 3/8/2011	Browns Ferry 2 - 2/25/2011 Brunswick 2 - 3/4/2011 McGuire 2 - 2/26/2011 Saint Lucie 2 - 1/2/2011 Vogtle 1 - 3/6/2011	3 Byron 1 - 3/13/2011 3 Kewaunee - 2/26/2011 3 Monticello - 3/4/2011 3 Point Beach 2 - 2/28/2011	Arkansas Nuclear 2 - 2/20/2011 Cooper - 3/12/2011

5 Plants Coasting Down to Outage

Region 1	Region 2	Region 3	Region 4
Limerick 2 - 94% Nine Mile Point 1 - 91% Pilgrim 1 - 97%	Watts Bar 1 - 92%	Perry 1 - 94%	

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From: Boger, Bruce
To: Gilter, Joseph; Howe, Allen; Ruland, William; Hiland, Patrick
Subject: FW: CR has stopped re-tensioning
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 6:33:04 AM

From: McCree, Victor
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 5:36 PM
To: Leeds, Eric
Cc: Grobe, Jack; Boger, Bruce; Virgilio, Martin; Wert, Leonard
Subject: FW: CR has stopped re-tensioning

Eric,

This may fit in the category of "when it rains, it pours...." But, as noted below, Crystal River heard an audible noise as they were tensioning containment today, so they stopped the tensioning process to investigate. In addition, acoustic monitors detected this noise and strain gage indications were lost on Bay 5-6.

Depending on what the licensee finds from its investigation, we may need to advance and expand the additional inspections that we had scheduled for next week. We'll also take a hard look at this to see if it merits a postponement of next week's public meeting.

More to come....

Vic

From: Rich, Daniel
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:50 PM
To: Croteau, Rick; Jones, William
Subject: CR has stopped re-tensioning

Rick/Bill
CR personnel detected an externally audible noise during the first sequence of the final pass, Pass 11. The containment acoustic monitors identified an unusual noise signature in Bay 5-6. The indications from embedded strain gages in Bay 5-6 were lost.

The licensee has stopped tensioning to analyze the indications.

Dan

From:	Harper, Kevin
To:	Grobe, Jack; Leeds, Eric; Bahadur, Sher; Blount, Tom; Brown, Frederick; Cheok, Michael; Cunningham, Mark; Evans, Michele; Galloway, Melanie; Glitter, Joseph; Hiland, Patrick; Holian, Brian; Howe, Allen; Lee, Samson; Lubinski, John; McGinty, Tim; Nelson, Robert; Quay, Theodore; Ruland, William; Matheson, Mary; NRR DE Distribution
Cc:	Schwarz, Sherry; Tobe, Celestia; Moore, Tove; Balarabe, Sarah; Curran, Bridget; Beckford, Kaydian; Chey, Sonary; Cox, Linda; Jones(NRR), Latoya; Harper, Kevin; Chen, Qiao-Lynn; Ross, Robin
Subject:	March 15, 2011 Delegation of Authority. George Wilson acting for P.Hiland
Date:	Tuesday, March 15, 2011 6:33:27 AM
Attachments:	March 15, 2011 Delegation of Authority.docx

Please see attached.

Thanks,

March 15, 2011

MEMORANDUM TO: John A. Grobe, Deputy Director
for Engineering and Corporate Support
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

FROM: Patrick L. Hiland, Director **/RA/**
Division of Engineering
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

SUBJECT: DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY

During my absence from the office March 15, 2011, I have designated George Wilson as Acting Division Director for Division of Engineering (DE). Mr. Wilson is located at O-9E12 and can be reached at 415-1711.

cc: ET/LT
DE Staff

March 15, 2011

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cc: ET/LT
DE Staff

OFFICE	NRR/DE
NAME	P.Hiland
DATE	03/ 15 /2010

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From: Saah, Lauren
To: NRR_DPR Distribution
Subject: Delegation of Authority for Stacey Rosenberg- 3/15/11
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 6:37:34 AM

March 14, 2011

MEMORANDUM TO: Timothy J. McGinty, Director
Division of Policy and Rulemaking
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

FROM: Stacey L. Rosenberg, Chief
Generic Communications Branch
Division of Policy and Rulemaking
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

SUBJECT: DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY

I will be out of the office Tuesday, March 15, 2011. Eric Bowman will serve as the Acting Chief for the Generic Communications Branch while I am out of the office. Mr. Bowman is located at 12H9- and can be reached at 301-415-2963, or via email eric.bowman@nrc.gov

CONTACT: Stacey L. Rosenberg, NRR/DPR
301-415-2357

From: Golla, Joe
To: (b)(6)
Subject:
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 6:58:00 AM

(b)(6)

From: Golla, Joe
To: Collins, Frank
Subject: RE: COOP Contacts
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 6:58:00 AM

Thanks.

From: Collins, Frank
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 5:55 PM
To: Golla, Joe
Subject: RE: COOP Contacts

FSME – Michele Burgess
NMSS - Kevin Witt

From: Golla, Joe
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 12:56 PM
To: Collins, Frank
Subject: COOP Contacts

Frank- who are the COOP contacts in FSME and NMSS??

Joe Golla, Project Manager
US Nuclear Regulatory Commission
NRR/DPR/PLPB
301-415-1002

From: (b)(6)
To: Lubinski, John
Subject: (b)(6)
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 7:06:02 AM

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From: Hiland, Patrick
To: Thomas, George; Farzam, Farhad; Manoly, Kamal
Cc: Skeen, David
Subject: FW: Clarifying Questions on the Table
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 7:25:00 AM
Attachments: Nuclear Plant info sheet.docx

Might want to put the attached into your "bag-of-tricks"

From: Kammerer, Annie
Sent: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 12:16 AM
To: Glitter, Joseph; Rihm, Roger
Cc: Howe, Allen; Nelson, Robert; Hiland, Patrick; Stutzke, Martin
Subject: RE: Clarifying Questions on the Table

Here is a table that we already have available which may be a good starting point. Jon Ake, Cliff Munson and I prepared this today for inclusion in the Q&As we are doing.

Design Basis Earthquake Intensity and Magnitude					
Nuclear Plant By State/Location	Maximum Observed Or Inferred Intensity (MMI Scale)[1]	Relative Distance Of Seismic Source [2]	Design SSE Peak Acceleration, g [3]	OBE Peak Acceleration, g [4]	Soil Condition
New York					
Fitzpatrick	VI	Near	0.15	0.08	Soil
Ginna 1	VIII/IX	>60 miles	0.2	0.08	Rock
Indian Point 2, 3	VII	Near	0.15	0.1	Rock
Nine Mile Point 1	IX-X	>60 miles	0.11	0.06	Rock
Nine Mile Point 2	VI	Near	0.15	0.075	Rock
New Jersey					
Salem 1,2	VII-VIII	Near	0.2	0.1	Deep Soil
Connecticut					
Millstone 1, 2, 3	VII	Near	0.17	0.07	Rock
Vermont					
Vermont Yankee	VI	Near	0.14	0.07	Rock
Ohio					
Davis Besse 1	VII	Near	0.15	0.08	Rock
Perry 1	VII	Near	0.15	0.08	Rock
Georgia					
Hatch 1, 2	VII	Near	0.15	0.08	Deep Soil
Vogtle 1, 2	VII-VIII	Near	0.2	0.12	Deep Soil
Tennessee					
Seqouyah 1, 2	VIII	Near	0.18	0.09	Rock
Watts Bar 1	VIII	Near	0.18	0.09	Rock
California					
San Onofre 2, 3	IX-X	Near	0.67	0.34	Soil
Diablo Canyon 1, 2	X-XI	Near	0.75	0.20	Rock
Florida					
Crystal River 3	V	Near	0.10	0.05	Rock
St. Lucie 1, 2	VI	Near	0.10	0.05	Soil
Turkey Point 3, 4	VII	Near	0.15	0.05	Rock

NOTES:

1- MMI=Modified Mercalli Intensity, a measure of observed/reported damage and severity of shaking.

2- Relative distance measure used in FSAR to develop SSE acceleration, "Near" indicates distance less than 10 miles.

3- SSE=Safe Shutdown Earthquake ground motion, for horizontal acceleration, in units of earth's gravity, g.

4- OBE=Operating Basis Earthquake ground motion, level of horizontal acceleration, which if exceeded requires plant shutdown.

From: John.STEIN@oecd.org
Subject: RWMC-44: document now available [NEA/RWM(2011)2]
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 7:30:04 AM

MESSAGE SENT ON BEHALF OF CLAUDIO PESCATORE

Dear RWMC members and participants in the RWMC-44,

We are pleased to let you know that NEA/RWM(2011)2 "Working Parties Achievements and Plans" is now available on the meeting website: http://www.oecd-nea.org/download/rwmc/ Infodoc#5 for Item 21 will be made available to you during the meeting. If you have any questions about accessing the website or regarding meeting registration, please contact john.stein@oecd.org

We are still looking forward to receiving your country update for Item 7 of the agenda if you have not already sent it.

Kind regards on behalf of the RWMC Chair and the NEA Secretariat.

Claudio Pescatore

John Stein - OECD Nuclear Energy Agency (NEA)
Radiation Protection and Radioactive Waste Management Division
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From: Jolicoeur, John
To: NRR_DPR_PLPB_Distribution
Subject: Action: SPO inputs due COB, 3/22/11
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 7:31:54 AM

Please give me any inputs you have on other offices by COB 3/18/11.

Thanks,

John

From: Valentine, Nicholee
Sent: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 7:15 AM
To: Helton, Shana; Regan, Christopher; Quichocho, Jessie; Voth, Marcus; Eads, Johnny; Rosenberg, Stacey; Jolicoeur, John
Cc: Blount, Tom; McGinty, Tim; Quay, Theodore
Subject: Action: SPO inputs due COB, 3/22/11

Each quarter SESrs from each Office provide comments (positive and areas of improvement) to other SESrs (by Office). These assessments are referred to as SPO input.

Before providing comments for areas of improvement please be sure to have discussed with a branch chief in the other office and informed Tim/Tom/Ted; these comments should not be a 'surprise'.

Please provide me your 2nd quarter Senior Performance Officials Assessments (SPO) input by COB, 3/22/11.

Thanks.
Nikki

From: Saah, Lauren
To: NRR_DPR Distribution
Subject: Delegation of Authority for PRPB
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 7:35:43 AM

March 15, 2011

MEMORANDUM TO: Timothy J. McGinty, Director
Division of Policy and Rulemaking
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

FROM: Theodore R. Quay, Deputy Director */RA/*
Division of Policy and Rulemaking
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

SUBJECT: DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY

Marcus Voth will serve as the Acting Chief for the Research and Test Reactors branch Tuesday, March 15, 2011 through Thursday, March 17, 2011. Mr. Voth is located at 12E17 and can be reached at 301-415-1210, or via email Marcus.Voth@nrc.gov.

Paulette Torres will serve as the Acting Chief for the Research and Test Reactors branch Friday, March 18, 2011 through Friday, March 25, 2011. Ms. Torres is located at O-9C1 and can be reached at 301-415-5656, or via email Paulette.Torres@nrc.gov.

CONTACT: Theodore R. Quay, NRR/DPR
301-415-2402

From:	Harvard School of Public Health
To:	Lubinski, John
Subject:	Risk Communication Program - May 16-18, 2011 at Harvard
Date:	Tuesday, March 15, 2011 7:38:40 AM

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Recommend to a colleague

Effective Risk Communication: Theory, Tools, and Practical Skills for Communicating about Risk

May 16-18, 2011
Boston, MA

Program Agenda

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Department of Homeland Security

Baruch Fischhoff, PhD
Howard Heinz University Professor
Engineering and Public Policy/Social and Decision Sciences
Carnegie Mellon University

Alexander G. Garza
Assistant Secretary for Health Affairs and Chief Medical Officer

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— Yolonda V. Freeman
Health Communication Specialist
Centers for Disease Control
Atlanta, GA

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From: Burnell, Scott
To: Santiago, Patricia
Subject: RE: SOARCA FOIA Exemptions
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 7:43:00 AM

I'm sure you'll be shocked to hear that I'm not really available to deal with SOARCA issues for the time being...

-----Original Message-----
From: Santiago, Patricia
Sent: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 7:43 AM
To: Hirsch, Patricia; Holzle, Catherine; Barr, Jonathan
Cc: Parks, Jazel; Burnell, Scott; Brown, Natalie; Sealing, Donna
Subject: Re: SOARCA FOIA Exemptions

Thank you and I will work with Jon and Jazel. Our group has been responding to EDO and Commission information requests the last two days.

Sent from an NRC BlackBerry
Patricia Santiago
(b)(6)

----- Original Message -----
From: Hirsch, Patricia
To: Holzle, Catherine; Barr, Jonathan
Cc: Santiago, Patricia; Parks, Jazel; Burnell, Scott; Brown, Natalie; Sealing, Donna
Sent: Mon Mar 14 12:18:42 2011
Subject: RE: SOARCA FOIA Exemptions

(b)(5)

Pat Hirsch
Assistant General Counsel for Legal Counsel,
Legislation and Special Projects
Mail Stop O-15 D21
301-415-0563

-----Original Message-----
From: Holzle, Catherine
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 11:37 AM
To: Barr, Jonathan
Cc: Santiago, Patricia; Parks, Jazel; Burnell, Scott; Brown, Natalie; Sealing, Donna; Hirsch, Patricia
Subject: RE: SOARCA FOIA Exemptions

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-----Original Message-----
From: Barr, Jonathan
Sent: Sunday, March 06, 2011 2:00 PM
To: Holzle, Catherine
Cc: Santiago, Patricia; Parks, Jazel
Subject: FW: SOARCA FOIA Exemptions

Hi Catherine,

I apologize for leaving you off my previous email. Can you also please review the attached FOIA exemption statements?

Thanks,
Jon

-----Original Message-----
From: Barr, Jonathan
Sent: Friday, March 04, 2011 11:12 AM
To: Burnell, Scott; Hirsch, Patricia; Brown, Natalie
Cc: Santiago, Patricia; Parks, Jazel
Subject: SOARCA FOIA Exemptions

Scott, Patricia, and Natalie,

I have attached a draft version of the FOIA exemption statements for SOARCA. These cover documents, emails, conference call passcodes, MELCOR input models, and MACCS2 models. Please let us know if you have any comments or suggestions.

Thanks for your help,
Jon

From: Pulliam, Timothy
To: Haney, Catherine; Dorman, Dan
Subject: SL
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 7:51:39 AM

Cathy/Dan,

(b)(6). I'll be monitoring email and available by phone ((b)(6) (b)(6)).

Sent from an NRC Blackberry
Timothy I. Pulliam
(b)(6)

From: Catherine Haney
To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: Re: Just got in
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 7:57:11 AM

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From: (b)(6)
To:
Subject:
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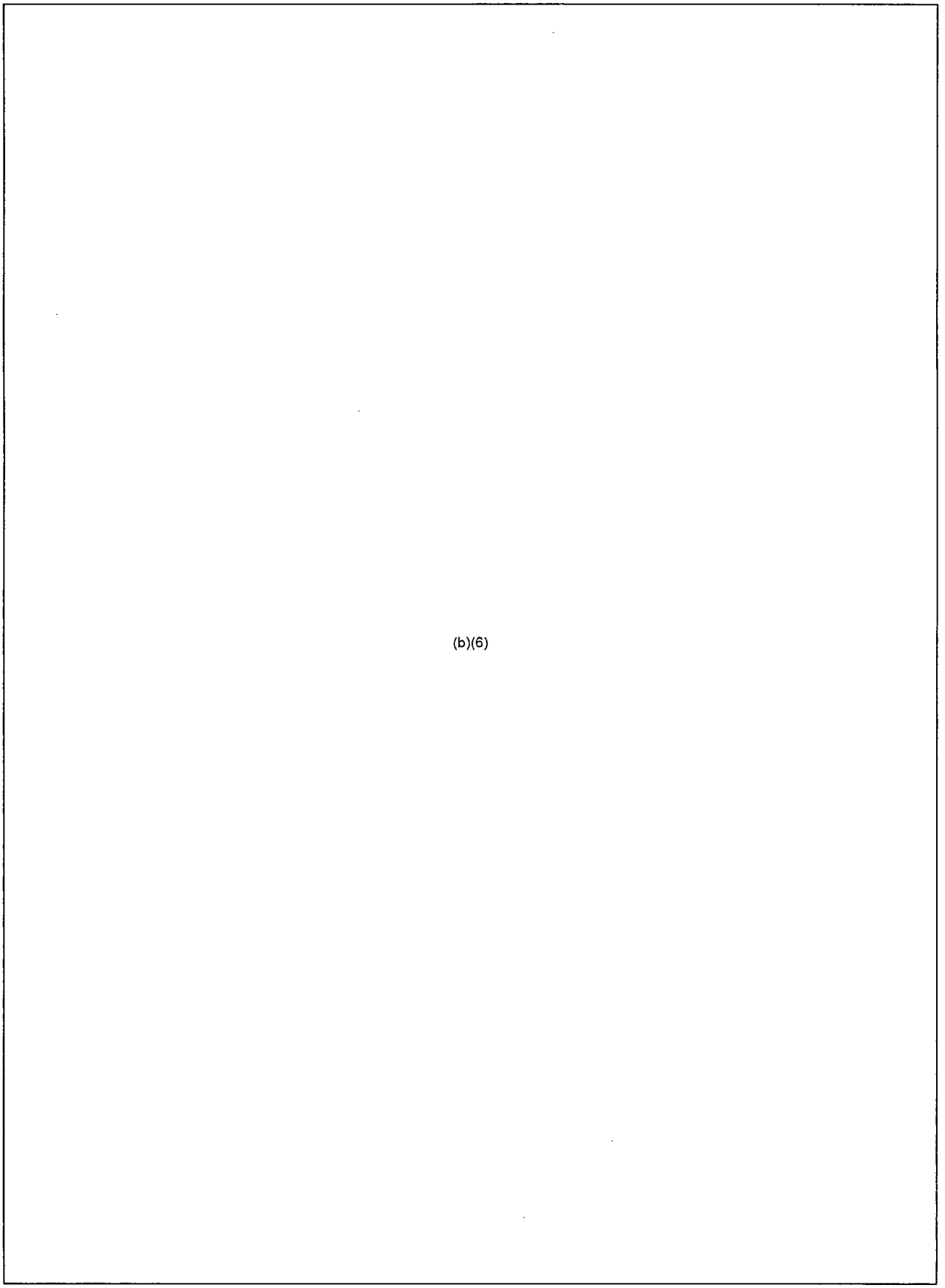
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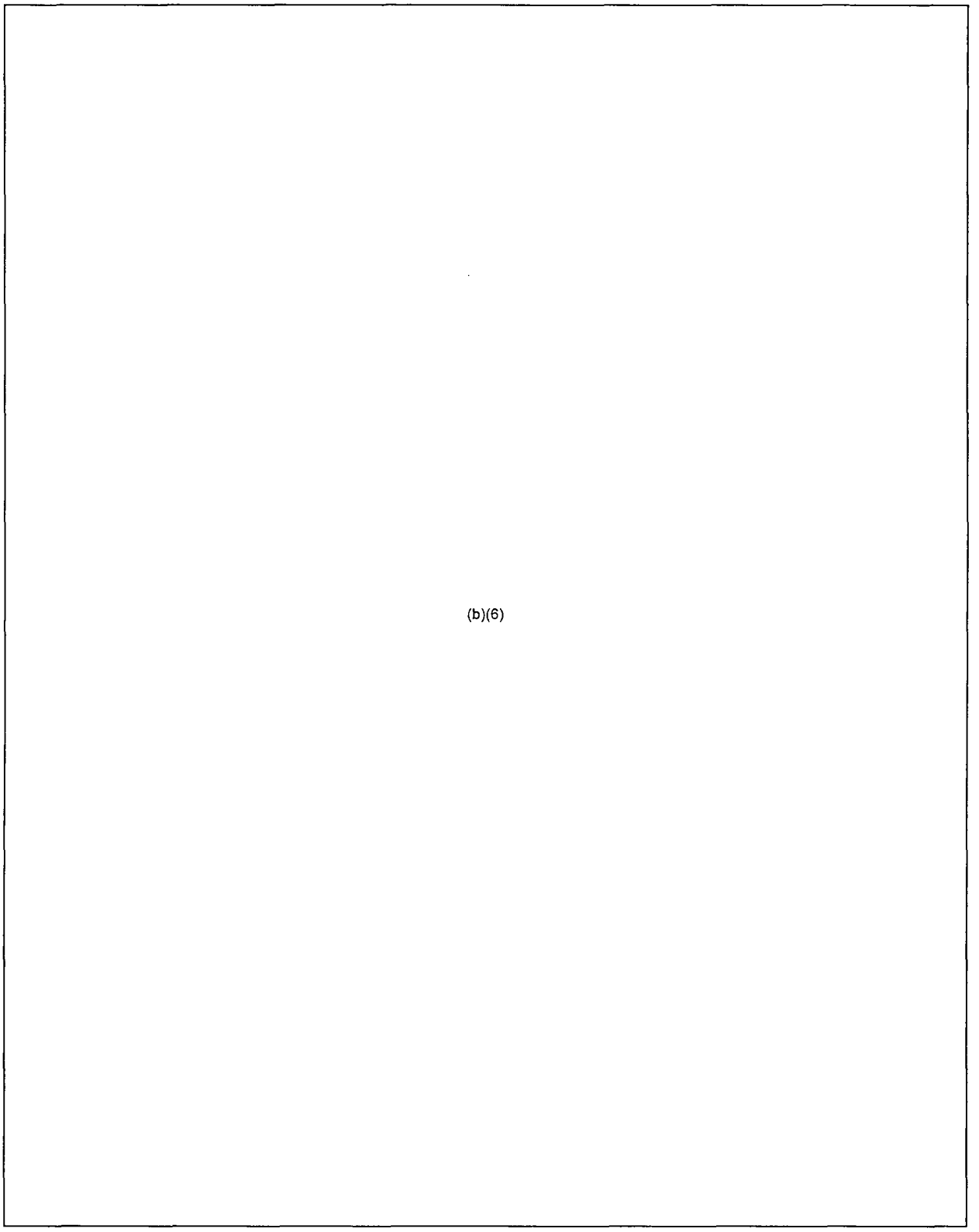
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From: Thoman, Raymond
To: Virgilio, Martin
Cc: Ash, Darren; Cohen, Miriam; Bolduc, Angela
Subject: FW: Off-Duty Availability closure language
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 8:03:29 AM

Marty,

Dale has offered up the language below to resolve the off-duty availability issue. What do you think? Thanks

Ray

Raymond B. Thoman
Senior Labor and Employee Relations Specialist
ELRW Branch, OHR
[Phone] **301-492-2280**
[Fax] **301-492-2243**
[Mail Stop] **GW5 - A06**

From: NTEU, Dale Yeilding
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:26 PM
To: Thoman, Raymond
Subject: Off-Duty Availability closure language

Ray,
I've been told that Region III is no longer interested in availability restrictions. Suggestion to close out this issue and not even need to meet with Virgilio.
---Dale

Emergency Response Off-Duty Availability Outcome – Employees at the NRC headquarters offices are not required to identify their off-duty availability for emergency response. The basis for asking regional employees to identify their off-duty availability is for the purpose of establishing an emergency response call-back list and call the employees listed as available first. The headquarters automated computerized system initiates calls through 25 lines almost simultaneously, making this ordering moot. If the agency cannot contact the regional employee identified as available, the next qualified employee will be contacted to support the emergency response. The regional employee's unavailability will not be tracked, nor will being unavailable have any negative impact on their employment. This language will be placed on all regional availability charts. This is the only agency off-duty availability policy.

National Treasury Employees Union

Dale Yeilding
NTEU Chapter President

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E-mail NTEU@nrc.gov
Office OWFN O1G22

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From:	NRRInternationalTravel Resource
To:	OIP Travel Distribution; Boger, Bruce; Deeds, Erin; Quinones, Lauren; Astwood, Heather
Subject:	FW: Pre-Trip Notification for CNRA SORRT Meeting Paris May 2-5, 2011
Date:	Tuesday, March 15, 2011 8:09:42 AM
Attachments:	043011 Paris Pre-Trip Notification .docx

From: Adams, John
Sent: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 8:09:35 AM
To: NRRInternationalTravel Resource
Subject: Pre-Trip Notification for CNRA SORRT Meeting Paris May 2-5, 2011
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Attached

International Travel Pre-Trip Notification

This is due 30 days before trip start date. Please complete the light shaded area.

TRAVEL INFORMATION

• Traveler Name(s): (include Office/Division)	John T. Adams	• Phone #(s):	301-415-1901
• E-mail Address(es):	john.adams@nrc.gov	• Location(s):	O12C01
• Multiple Travelers:	☒ Less than 4 ☐ 4 or more (see below)		
If 4+, Coordinating Office:	N/A		

If 4+, Office Director Approvals:	(1) CHOOSE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING	Date:	
(Office Director approves travelers	(2) CHOOSE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING	Date:	
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ADAMS Accession Number: [If 4+, Submit NRC Daily Note with ML# of pre-trip notification 30 days before trip start date]	N/A
• Travel Dates [mm/dd/yyyy]:	04/30/2011 - 05/05/2011
• Destination(s) [City, Country]:	Paris, France

• Framework:

☐ Export and Import Licensing ☒ Multilateral Cooperation and Assistance
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☐ Bilateral Cooperation and Assistance ☐ Other (specify)

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☐ IAEA/(NUSSC) ☐ IAEA/NS(RASSC) ☐ IAEA/Safeguards
☐ IAEA/NS ☐ IAEA/NE ☐ IAEA/Technical Cooperation
☐ Other: _____

• Purpose of Travel:	Attend 2nd Meeting of the CNRA Safety of Research Reactor Task Group (SORRTG)
• Desired Outcome:	Review results of SORRTG Questionnaire and determine if additional work should be recommended to the CNRA. Include recommendations, if any, in a report for review and action by the CNRA at their June 2011 meeting.
• Traveler Role(s):	Participate in the review of completed questionnaires, develop conclusion based on questionnaire content, and contribute to recommendations for areas needing additional work, if justified, to be included in a report to the CNRA for the June 2011 meeting.

• Is this an NRC Core or Non-Core Trip? [*Core* means NRC-Funded. *Non-Core* is externally funded or travel to Canada]	☒ Core ☐ Non-Core
• Is there a speech or presentation to be given?	☐ Yes ☒ No

[If yes, send ADAMS ML# of presentations in an EDO One Week Look Ahead]	
• **Are policy issues or other items of Commission interest to be raised?**	☐ Yes ☒ No
If yes, how will the Commission be informed?	N/A

From: Adam Kobi
To: Haney, Catherine
Subject: Join Transmission Summit Keynote-FERC Chairman Wellinghoff – Receive Fifty Percent Off
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 8:13:09 AM

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Satorius, Mark

From: Orders, William
Sent: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 8:16 AM
To: Satorius, Mark
Subject: *Trip Planning*

Mark

As you may know, Commissioner Magwood will be visiting the University of Wisconsin and Point Beach on April 5 and 6. Please give me a call when you have a moment to discuss regional participation.

Thanks

Bill

William T. Orders
Reactors Technical Assistant
Staff of Commissioner William D. Magwood IV
310-415-8430
William.Orders@nrc.gov

Satorius, Mark

From: i360Gov Daily Download [info@i360gov.com]
Sent: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 8:17 AM
To: Satorius, Mark
Subject: Nuclear Power Is Worth the Risk

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SSA cancels overtime for most employees

Federal Times: The Social Security Administration has canceled overtime for most employees, effective immediately, according to a message from the agency's top finance official.

The only exception is for overtime "directly related" to life, safety and preservation of property, Deputy Commissioner Michael Gallagher said in a Friday e-mail. The decision was the result of discussions earlier that day between Social Security Commissioner Michael Astrue and the Office of Management and

Budget, Gallagher said. MORE

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Negotiations between the Postal Service and APWU have been ongoing since Sept. 1, 2010. The union's previous contract expired on Nov. 20, but both parties decided to extend it, first to Nov. 23 and again until Dec. 1. The contract remained in effect as the talks continued. MORE

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Government IT

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Navy Cautioned To Rethink Next Generation Network

InformationWeek: A government watchdog agency is cautioning the Navy not to spend more on a plan to

deploy an extensive new enterprise network and consider alternatives before moving full steam ahead.

The Navy has already spent $432 million as of September 2010 on the Next Generation Enterprise Network (NGEN), a more flexible, scalable, and modern data, voice, data storage, and email network to replace the legacy Navy Marines Corps Intranet (NMCI). The Department of the Navy (DoN) is overseeing the project, which is expected to cost $50 billion through 2025. MORE

Net Neutrality - Not a Partisan Issue

National Journal: Opponents of rules that force companies to provide equal access to Internet bandwidth got a bipartisan boost to their argument late on Monday.

Democratic Reps. Collin Peterson of Minnesota and Dan Boren of Oklahoma joined Chairman Fred Upton, R-Mich., Communications and Technology Subcommittee Chairman Greg Walden, R-Oregon, and Subcommittee Vice Chair Lee Terry, R-Neb., in a "Dear Colleague" letter urging support of a resolution overturning the controversial Federal Communications Commission network neutrality rules. MORE

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Desktop Virtualization Rolls into Public Sector IT Organizations

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unable to maintain current IT operations, much less build new services or applications.

However, despite ongoing hardships, states and localities have developed strong survival strategies, ferreting out cost reductions and reusing savings from ongoing data center consolidation efforts, for example, rather than seeking new funding for planned IT upgrades....

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Data Center Consolidation

An *i360Gov* special report. Excerpt: Data center consolidation is now a top federal IT priority, as the White House leads the charge in driving a government-wide effort to reduce IT costs, lower energy consumption, improve IT security and enable a shift to more efficient IT platforms, such as cloud computing.

Driven by a few recently formed initiatives, a Presidential Executive Order, memos and other guidance, federal agencies are now working out plans to streamline data center operations, gain greater efficiency and meet a mandated goal to achieve $3 billion in cost savings by the end of fiscal 2012...

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Countering Advanced Persistent Threats with Cyber Forensics

Many security teams have been caught unprepared by recent advances in targeted attacks. Multi-stage, multi-vector campaigns now steal sensitive and classified data, access privileged accounts, and spy on public sector organizations. This white paper explains the need for new security tactics and rapid response technologies to counter these advanced persistent threats. This whitepaper will demonstrate the need for forensic-grade technology in order to combat advanced persistent threats and minimize the attack surface of an agencies' sensitive data.

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Obama administration says health care challenge should not be fast-tracked to Supreme Court

The Washington Post: WASHINGTON - The Obama administration says the Supreme Court should not permit Virginia to sidestep a federal appeals court in the state's challenge to the health care law.

In court papers filed with the justices Monday, the federal government says there is no reason to take the extremely rare step of "short-circuiting" review by appellate judges, which already has been accelerated.

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Tricare target of Pentagon cuts as health care projected to reach $65B

The Washington Post: Among government workers, one group enjoys lifetime health benefits virtually unmatched in the United States: military retirees.

As soaring medical costs have forced steep cuts to benefits offered by government and private plans, the program, known as Tricare, has grown more generous. The premiums are a fraction of those in the private sector, deductibles are low and co-pays limited. Premiums have not changed in 16 years. But Tricare's costs are exploding, projected in five years to hit $65 billion to insure 9.6 million people. MORE

HRSA plans to revamp immunization systems, birth records

Government Health IT: The Health Resources and Services Administration is looking to award grants for development of information systems that will support the exchange of maternal and child health information, such as immunizations.

HRSA's Maternal and Child Health Bureau will focus on projects to expand the technical infrastructure to enable information exchange about immunizations across organizations that serve the maternal and child populations, and to develop electronic birth records. MORE

Medicare improperly paid for seniors' Viagra

The Boston Globe: WASHINGTON — The Medicare program improperly spent more than $3 million in 2007 and 2008 to buy Pfizer Inc.'s Viagra and other erectile dysfunction drugs for senior citizens, government investigators said.

The purchases violated a 2005 ban on covering the drugs under the health program for the elderly and disabled. Medicare administrators blamed the spending on a software error and said they would try to recover payments to private insurers who administer the program's drug plans. MORE

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Webinars

How server and datacenter consolidation can simplify and maximize cloud computing success

Wednesday, March 16, 2011 at 2:00 PM Eastern

Many Federal agencies are already pursuing consolidation and cloud computing initiatives, but OMB's 25-point mandate for government-wide IT reform has accelerated things significantly. Would you like to hear about a proven path forward to datacenter consolidation, transforming to a cloud-ready infrastructure and ultimately being able to adopt that cloud-first policy?

Join i360Gov for a live webinar on datacenter consolidation and how to build your cloud. Virtualization is

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- Increase datacenter services, while decreasing infrastructure
- Build a scalable cloud infrastructure
- Integrate consolidation and cloud plans and maximize resources
- Leverage existing infrastructure to complete the transformation

Our panel of subject matter experts includes **Anil Karmel** (Los Alamos Labs) and **Doug Bourgeois**, formerly with U.S. Department of the Interior and the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. **Register Now** (no cost)

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i360Gov Proof Points: How to Achieve Private Cloud Formation

Tuesday, March 22, 2011 at 2:00 PM Eastern

To comply with federal mandates, agencies are being challenged to invest in cloud computing, to reduce IT costs and streamline operations. Despite the benefits of the cloud, many questions remain about security and the privacy of sensitive or classified information. Industry observers predict the strong push toward cloud-based services will lead to a rise in private cloud implementations in the coming year.

This i360Gov educational webinar and corresponding special report will highlight what government organizations should do to ensure security, while still adhering to federal cloud-focused mandates. The tools, assistance, guidance and advice of industry experts will be incorporated into the corresponding special report, called Private Cloud Formations, which will hone in on how this technological alternative may work best for a wide range of government applications. **Register Now** (no cost)

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The Records Management Challenge: A Strategy for Paper Records

Wednesday, March 30, 2011 at 2:00 PM Eastern

Is your agency plagued with paper documents and manual processes associated with managing government paper records? Attend this i360Gov educational webinar and learn how leading agencies have modernized their paper-based process and the benefits they are realizing.

Our panelists, including Ray Miller, formerly with the NY State Dept of Health, will discuss how the process of managing paper records has evolved, what new techniques and technologies governments can employ to modernize this process, and how these improvements can impact your agency's bottom line. **Register Now** (no cost)

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i360Gov Proof Points: Trends in Digital Archiving of Legislative Records

Despite the availability of electronic records preservation solutions, nearly 60% of our survey's respondents said they still don't possess an easily accessible electronic repository of all state laws, present and past, hindering each organization's ability to provide advanced web-based or online constituent services.

Join this complimentary educational webinar to see the full results of this study presented along with expert analysis. You will also hear experts present case studies high lighting the latest initiatives and best practice advice for building and maintaining electronic repositories.

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Leveraging Technology to Fight Budget Difficulties in State & Local Governments

Under the gun to provide more and better services while striving to manage shrinking resources, state and local governments are seemingly being squeezed from multiple directions. Luckily there are some technological tools available to help, such as web-based self services and desktop virtualization, among others.

Join i360Gov's panel of government experts for this live event as we highlight the solutions that best aid these government organizations in closing budget deficit gaps while delivering greater agility to constituent-facing services. View Now (no cost!)

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Japan accident dims odds of U.S. nuclear revival

MSNBC: The growing crisis at Japan's Fukushima Dai-ichi nuclear power complex could not have come at a worse time for the U.S. energy industry.

Just when nuclear power was gaining support from two successive administrations and a growing number of lawmakers from both parties, chances for new nuclear plant construction have been dealt a serious setback from an earthquake and tsunami half a world away. MORE

IL: Gov. Pat Quinn vetoes coal-to-gas plants

Chicago Tribune: In vetoing two bills Monday that would have paved the way for two coal-to-gas plants to be built in the state, Gov. Pat Quinn signaled his support for cleaner uses of Illinois coal but said he would not support the technology at the expense of consumers.

The bills would have forced state utilities to buy synthetic natural gas, which was expected to be more expensive than natural gas for the next two decades, from a $3 billion plant on Chicago's Southeast Side proposed by New York-based Leucadia National Corp. and a $1 billion southern Illinois plant proposed by Power Holdings of Illinois. MORE

Nuclear Power Is Worth the Risk

Foreign Policy: Until March 11, with the 25th anniversary of the Chernobyl accident approaching -- and memories of that disaster receding -- safety concerns no longer appeared to be the killer argument against nuclear power they once were. Instead, another fear, of climate change, looked like it might be driving a "nuclear renaissance" as states sought carbon-free energy sources. But the ongoing crisis at Japan's Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Station will return safety to the forefront of the nuclear power debate. Even the most ardent industry advocates now recognize that the unfolding crisis inside two reactors there -- shown on live television and beamed around the world -- has left the future of their industry in doubt. MORE

Bill would strengthen oversight of fracking

Pittsburgh Post-Gazette: Sen. Bob Casey, D-Pa., has resumed his legislative effort to force drilling companies to disclose all chemicals used during hydraulic fracturing -- the fundamental procedure used to harvest natural gas from Marcellus Shale -- and bring the process under federal regulation.

The FRAC Act -- Fracturing Responsibility and Awareness of Chemicals -- would once again place fracking under the provisions of the Safe Drinking Water Act. MORE

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Petraeus to give upbeat view of Afghan fight

San Francisco Chronicle: The top U.S. commander in Afghanistan is facing an impatient and frustrated Congress, balancing his troops' solid progress in combat with worries about Kabul government corruption, an expected Taliban resurgence this spring and the slow development of Afghan security forces.

Gen. David Petraeus on Tuesday was to deliver his first formal assessment to America at a Senate Armed Services Committee hearing, returning to Washington for the first time since he took over as battlefield commander nine months ago. And he is expected to tell lawmakers that forces can begin to withdraw this summer as planned. MORE

CBO Examines Options for Cutting DoD

Defense News: Cutting the Pentagon's budget by 1 percent annually over the next decade could save the federal government $862 billion, according to a recently released Congressional Budget Office (CBO) report.

Cost estimators projected implementing 14 options for reducing defense spending in the March report. Another option includes limiting defense spending growth to 1.4 percent per year, 1 percentage point less than the current rate of growth, which would save about $286 billion between 2012 and 2021. Freezing defense appropriations at February 2011 levels would reduce outlays about $611 billion over the decade. MORE

Controversies Other Than Funding May Confront Pistole at Appropriations Hearing

Homeland Security Today: The administrator of the Transportation Security Administration (TSA) will go before a House appropriations panel Tuesday to defend his agency's budget request for fiscal 2012, but he also may have to field a few questions about some recent revelations at the agency.

Among the topics that may face TSA chief John Pistole are concerns over the reliability of radiation testing for passenger checkpoint equipment at US airports. TSA posted Saturday the results of an audit of tests for radiation emitted by its various X-ray scanning devices. The audit discovered errors in the testing of the devices, as the test reports neglected to document all of the required information in many cases. MORE

U.S. Navy Details Basing Plans For BAMS

AviationWeek: The U.S. Navy expects its first Broad Area Maritime Surveillance (BAMS) unmanned aerial system (UAS) base to achieve initial operational capability in late 2015, somewhere in the Persian Gulf.

"The intention is to base BAMS in the 5th Fleet," says Capt. Robert Dishman, the U.S. Navy's program manager for BAMS. MORE

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"No man will ever bring out of the Presidency the reputation which carries him into it. . . . To myself, personally, it brings nothing but increasing drudgery and daily loss of friends."

—Thomas Jefferson

MI: Detroit meets financial reporting deadline with new software

Government Technology: Detroit submitted its Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) early for the first time in more than a decade this year, thanks in part to GL Wand, a Microsoft Excel-based reporting tool.

GL Wand provides users with a direct link via Excel to financial information in Detroit's Oracle ERP system, significantly reducing the preparation time for the report. The city submitted its fiscal year 2009-2010 CAFR two weeks early. MORE

CA: Gov. Jerry Brown sets May election to fill Rep. Jane Harman's seat

Los Angeles Times: Gov. Jerry Brown on Monday set a May 17 election to replace former Rep. Jane Harman (D-Venice).

If no candidate wins a majority, the top two finishers, regardless of political affiliation, will meet in a July 12 runoff. MORE

IL: Cullerton to call for $1-a-pack cigarette tax increase to fund road work

Chicago Tribune: Democratic Senate President John Cullerton on Tuesday intends to call for $1-a-pack increase in the state cigarette tax to avoid missing a road construction season as Illinois' major public works program hangs in limbo.

The call by Cullerton, D-Chicago, comes after a state appellate court in January tossed out the law that authorized the $31 billion construction package and with it the liquor tax increase and video poker

legalization that were to pay for it all. MORE

KS: Kansas House committee bottles up anti-immigration bill

The Kansas City Star: TOPEKA | Kansas lawmakers dealt a setback Monday to a plan that would clamp down on illegal immigration in a way that's similar to a controversial Arizona law.

The House Judiciary Committee voted against advancing the hotly debated proposal pushed by Olathe Republican Rep. Lance Kinzer and Secretary of State Kris Kobach. MORE

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Federal Policy & Business

Fed poised to keep interest rates extremely low

Houston Chronicle: WASHINGTON — Federal Reserve leaders will gather around a conference table here this week and almost certainly decide to keep interest rates at rock-bottom levels, as they have for 11 straight meetings.

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From:	Howe, Allen
To:	Boger, Bruce; Giitter, Joseph
Cc:	Cox, Linda
Subject:	RE: New Reactor Budget Meeting
Date:	Tuesday, March 15, 2011 8:18:28 AM

Bruce – we are planning to attend.

From: Boger, Bruce
Sent: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 8:17 AM
To: Giitter, Joseph
Cc: Cox, Linda; Howe, Allen
Subject: New Reactor Budget Meeting

There's a new reactor budget meeting with Mike Johnson this morning in his office at 10:30. Eric has a conflict. Can you attend for him? I could be there, but you're much closer to the budget details. Thanks.

From:	Jacobs-Baynard, Elizabeth
To:	Haney, Catherine
Cc:	Weber, Michael; Ordaz, Vonna; Kokajko, Lawrence; Tschiltz, Michael; Walker, Dwight; Muessle, Mary; Andersen, James; Jacobs-Baynard, Elizabeth
Subject:	RE: Budget brief
Date:	Tuesday, March 15, 2011 8:21:17 AM

Thanks Cathy. I believe it is still playing out as to whether the briefing will be held. I will keep you informed.

Liz

-----Original Message-----
From: Haney, Catherine
Sent: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 4:32 AM
To: Jacobs-Baynard, Elizabeth
Cc: Weber, Michael; Ordaz, Vonna; Kokajko, Lawrence; Tschiltz, Michael; Walker, Dwight
Subject: Budget brief

Liz
I was called back to the ops center before I had the chance to get home last night. I just got home and although exhausted need to relax before I can sleep.

I asked Josh if he thought the Chairman would still have the budget meeting. He thought yes but it was subject to change. He understood that I might not be into the office and was willing to do later if schedule permitted. Here are a few options -
1. I participate by phone. I have info jennifer sent by email.
2. Vonna and Mike/Marrissa brief the chairman
3. We schedule for later but I do need to leave at four.
4. Anything else you can think of.

I will set alarm for 8 and will check emails then.

Thanks
Cathy

McKelvey, Harold

From: Collins, Elmo
Sent: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 8:25 AM
To: Howell, Art
Subject: FW: ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (R4)

Importance: High

From: Picon-Colon, Reinaldo
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:24 PM
To: Collins, Elmo
Cc: Cohen, Miriam; Tracy, Glenn; Shay, Jason; Virgilio, Martin
Subject: ACTION: Notification, NRC Distinguished & Meritorious Awards Recipients. (R4)
Importance: High

Good Afternoon Mr. Collins!

The Commission has approved this year's Distinguished & Meritorious awards recipients.

STEP 1:
Notify your award recipient immediately. Her name is:

- **Owen, Lucy** - Meritorious Service Award

STEP 2:
Reply to me by e-mail as soon as you have been able to notify her.

Once I receive your confirmation, I will then contact her to coordinate the follow-up process regarding photography, travel arrangements for family, etc. Usually, this process takes a significant amount of time, and it is required in order to prepare the Certificates, Special Lapel Pins, and brochures. So, I need to begin this process immediately.

Your prompt response will be greatly appreciated.

Our 34th Annual Awards Ceremony will be held on ***Tuesday, June 14, 2011,*** at the Bethesda North Marriott Hotel and Conference Center

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Pre-Ceremony Reception. (This is for awardees, their guests, Commissioners, and Office Directors)
2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	34th Annual Awards Ceremony (This is for all employees)
3:00 pm - 4:30 pm	Post Ceremony Reception (This is for all employees)

Thank you in advance for your quick response.

Reinaldo "Rey" Picón-Colón
Project Manager & Coordinator of the Annual Awards Ceremony (***June 14, 2011***)
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC)
Office of Human Resources (HR)
Program Management, Policy Development
and Analysis Staff (PMDA)

"We can't solve problems by using the same kind of thinking we used when we created them."
--Albert Einstein

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From: Haney, Catherine
To: Keegan, Elaine
Subject: Re: Monday night
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 8:36:16 AM

I'm not sure. Got home at 415. Will check in with you in a few.

From: Keegan, Elaine
To: Haney, Catherine
Sent: Tue Mar 15 08:28:37 2011
Subject: Monday night

Did you survive?

Elaine M Keegan
Sr. Project Manager
Division of License Renewal, NRR
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
301-415-8517

From: Doolittle, Elizabeth
To: Mohseni, Aby; Kokajko, Lawrence; Waters, Michael; Haney, Catherine
Cc: Weaver, Doug; Ordaz, Vonna; Dorman, Dan; Benney, Brian
Subject: Re: Reply Requested: 201000286
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 8:42:20 AM

Thank you Aby. Ill make sure Alan understands.

Beth

Sent From NRC BlackBerry
Elizabeth L Doolittle
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----- Original Message -----
From: Mohseni, Aby
To: Kokajko, Lawrence; Waters, Michael; Haney, Catherine; Doolittle, Elizabeth
Cc: Weaver, Doug; Ordaz, Vonna; Dorman, Dan; Benney, Brian
Sent: Tue Mar 15 08:00:18 2011
Subject: RE: Reply Requested: 201000286

Beth/Mike

(b)(5)

Aby

From: Kokajko, Lawrence
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 4:29 PM
To: Waters, Michael; Haney, Catherine; Doolittle, Elizabeth
Cc: Weaver, Doug; Ordaz, Vonna; Dorman, Dan; Mohseni, Aby
Subject: RE: Reply Requested: 201000286

I think Mike has offered a suitable approach.

From: Waters, Michael
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:43 PM
To: Haney, Catherine; Doolittle, Elizabeth
Cc: Weaver, Doug; Ordaz, Vonna; Dorman, Dan; Mohseni, Aby; Kokajko, Lawrence
Subject: RE: Reply Requested: 201000286

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Mike

From: Haney, Catherine
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:35 PM
To: Doolittle, Elizabeth; Frazier, Alan
Cc: Waters, Michael; Weaver, Doug; Ordaz, Vonna; Dorman, Dan
Subject: RE: Reply Requested: 201000286

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From: Doolittle, Elizabeth
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:10 PM
To: Frazier, Alan
Cc: Waters, Michael; Weaver, Doug; Ordaz, Vonna; Haney, Catherine; Dorman, Dan
Subject: RE: Reply Requested: 201000286

Yes, we'll get back to you.

From: Frazier, Alan
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:07 PM
To: Doolittle, Elizabeth
Cc: Waters, Michael; Weaver, Doug; Ordaz, Vonna; Haney, Catherine; Dorman, Dan
Subject: FW: Reply Requested: 201000286
Importance: High

Beth,

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Alan

From: Shea, Pamela
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 10:38 AM
To: Frazier, Alan
Cc: Bavol, Rochelle; Laufer, Richard
Subject: Reply Requested: 201000286
Importance: High

Alan,

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Thank you,
Pam