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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chairman Palladino
Commissioner Roberts
Commissioner Asselstine
Commissioner Bernthal
Commissioner Zech

FROM: William J. Dircks
Executive Director for Operations

SUBJECT: DAVIS-BESSE RESTART STATUS BRIEFING

This is in response to the Commission's request for the staff to present a status briefing for Davis-Besse prior to authorizing restart. This memorandum encloses the briefing materials to support the Commission meeting which is currently scheduled from 9:30 am until 11:30 am on December 18, 1985.

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RESTART FROM 6/9/85 EVENT

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SLIDE 1

BACKGROUND

- o SEPTEMBER 10, 1985 - LICENSEE RESPONDS TO 50.54(F) LETTER
- o SEPTEMBER 17, 18, 1985 - BRIEFING TO COMMISSION ON FOLLOWUP ACTIONS
- o OCTOBER 1, 1985 - NOVEMBER 16, 1985 - FOUR REVISIONS TO LICENSEE'S
PLAN SUBMITTED
- o ESTIMATED SCHEDULE FOR REMAINING ACTIONS,
 - FEBRUARY 1 TO MARCH 31, 1986, LICENSEE'S ESTIMATE FOR PLANT READINESS
 - JANUARY 1986, ISSUE SER ON RESTART
 - JANUARY 1986, ACRS SUBCOMMITTEE
 - FEBRUARY 1986, ACRS FULL COMMITTEE

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SLIDE 2

PROGRAMMATIC REVIEW STATUS

- o ORGANIZATIONAL CHANGES PROVIDE FOCUSED RESOURCES AND MANAGEMENT
ATTENTION ON NUCLEAR MISSION
- o NEW PERSONNEL AND COMPETITIVE SALARIES AND TRAINING ORGANIZATION PROVIDE
BASIS FOR LONG TERM IMPROVEMENT
- o ADDITIONAL FIRST LINE MAINTENANCE SUPERVISION TO PROVIDE CLOSER CONTROL
OF WORK
- o ENGINEERING SUPPORT ON SITE TO PROVIDE IMPROVED CAPABILITY TO CORRECTLY
DETERMINE ROOT CAUSE OF PROBLEMS
- o CONFIGURATION MANAGEMENT TO PROVIDE FOR LONG TERM IMPROVEMENTS IN
RELIABILITY

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PLANT REVIEW STATUS

- o EVENT SPECIFIC CORRECTIVE ACTIONS: ACCEPTABLE
- o STAFF ON SITE TEAM TO ENSURE ALL SYSTEMS IMPORTANT TO SAFETY ARE FUNCTIONAL: IN PROGRESS
- o IMPROVED DECAY HEAT REMOVAL RELIABILITY INCLUDES THIRD AFW PUMP: UNDER REVIEW
- o MAINTENANCE BACKLOG REDUCTION PLAN NEEDED FOR RESTART: SECOND SITE VISIT SCHEDULED
- o REGIONAL REVIEW OF READINESS FOR RESTART: IN PROGRESS
- o BLEED AND FEED CAPABILITY: ADEQUATE; PLANNED IMPROVEMENTS PROVIDE ADDITIONAL LONG TERM ASSURANCES
- o LICENSING ACTIONS NOT RELATED TO EVENT DO NOT AFFECT RESTART

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2. Discussion of Status of Staff Evaluations

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