

## **TSTF 2021 in Review**

- 2021 marks the 19th year (2003) of the TSTF as a jointly sponsored Owners Group activity (27 years as an organization in 1995)
- One change in TSTF membership: David Gullott (Constellation) replaced Dwi Murray (Constellation)
- Travelers:
  - Two travelers were approved:
    - TSTF-577, Rev. 1, Rev. 0, "Revised Frequencies for Steam Generator Tube Inspections" (PWRs) 4/16/2021.
      - 673 review hours.
      - Approved or submitted by 16 sites to date.
    - TSTF-580, Rev. 1, "Provide Exception from Entering Mode 4 With No Operable RHR Shutdown Cooling" (BWRs) 7/11/2021.
      - 267 review hours.
  - Five new travelers were submitted:
    - TSTF-584, Rev. 0 (Draft), Eliminate Automatic RWCU System Isolation on SLC Initiation," (BWR) 9/24/2021
    - TSTF-585, Rev. 1 (Draft), "Provide an Alternative to the LCO 3.0.3 One-Hour Preparation Time," (All) 11/30/2021
    - TSTF-588, Rev. 0 (Draft), "Remove List of COLR Methods," (All) 4/26/2021
    - TSTF-589, Rev. 0, "Eliminate Automatic Diesel Generator Start During Shutdown," (PWR) 10/26/21 (submitted 2/3/2022)
    - TSTF-591, Rev. 0 (Draft), "Revise Risk Informed Completion Time (RICT) Program," (All) 11/11/2021
  - One revised traveler was submitted:
    - TSTF-576, Rev. 1, "Revise Safety/Relief Valve Requirements," (BWR) 6/23/21
  - The NRC expended 1,075 fee-billable hours reviewing travelers in 2021.
- The TSTF exchanged 11 letters with the NRC:
  - 5 from the NRC (excludes meeting notices and summaries)
  - 6 from the TSTF

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- This is down from 20 letters in 2020 illustrating how more business is being conducted by email and teleconferences.
- The TSTF held 30 teleconferences with NRC.
- Other TSTF/NRC Activities:
  - The NRC published Revision 5 of the Standard Technical Specifications (NUREG-1430 through NUREG-1434), completing an 18-month cooperative project between the TSTF and the NRC to update the STS.
  - The TSTF published TSTF-GG-21-01, "Technical Requirements Manual and Operational References (TRM) Format and Content Guideline," (April 2021).
- License Amendments to Adopt Travelers

There were 90 license amendments to adopt TSTF travelers submitted in 2021.

There were 88 license amendments to adopt TSTF travelers approved in 2021.

