

May 7, 2012

MEMORANDUM TO: John R. Jolicoeur, Chief
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SUBJECT: NOTICE OF PUBLIC TELECONFERENCE BETWEEN THE U.S.
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION (NRC) STAFF AND
THE BOILING WATER REACTOR OWNERS' GROUP (BWROG)
ON EMERGENCY CORE COOLING SYSTEM (ECCS) SUCTION
STRAINER ISSUES

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, May 24, 2012
1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

PURPOSE: This teleconference is a follow-up to the March 28, 2012, public meeting on ECCS suction strainer issues. The purpose of the call is to further discuss the insulation damage pressure issue and the NRC staff comments on the BWROG's bypass test plan and chemical effects strategy outline. The agenda is enclosed with this notice.

CATEGORY 2*: This is a Category 2 teleconference. The public is invited to participate in this teleconference by discussing regulatory issues with the NRC. Public comments will be solicited toward the end of the call.

NOTE: Interested members of the public can participate in this teleconference by calling the contact person listed below.

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

REFERENCE
DOCUMENTS:

1. BWROG ECCS Suction Strainer BWR Downstream Effects Bypass Test Plan (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession No. ML11335A262)
2. Feedback on BWROG-11060, "BWROG [Boiling Water Reactor (BWR) Owner's Group] ECCS [emergency core cooling system] Suction Strainers Bypass Test Plan" (ADAMS Accession No. ML12017A158)
3. BWROG ECCS Suction Strainer Chemical Effects Resolution Strategy Plan and Flowchart (ADAMS Accession No. ML11335A264)
4. Feedback on BWROG-11061, "BWROG [Boiling Water Reactor (BWR) Owner's Group] [emergency core cooling system] Suction Strainers Chemical Effects Strategy Outline (ADAMS Accession No. ML12013A159)
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BOILING WATER REACTOR (BWR) OWNERS GROUP (BWROG)

REGARDING BWR EMERGENCY CORE COOLING SYSTEM

(ECCS) SUCTION STRAINER ISSUES

MAY 24, 2012

<u>Topic</u>	<u>Lead</u>
Insulation Damage Pressure	NRC
Spherical Zone of Influence	BWROG
Use of Tap Water for Bypass Testing	BWROG
Debris Strainer Coverage (bypass testing)	BWROG
Fluid Approach Velocity (bypass testing)	BWROG
Chugging Effect on Debris (bypass testing)	NRC/BWROG
Discussion of BWROG Preliminary Responses to Staff Feedback on the Chemical Effects Strategy Outline	NRC
Discussion of NRC Staff's Informal Comments on Chemical Effects Strategy Outline	BWROG
Addressing Unqualified Coatings	BWROG
Comments/Questions	PUBLIC

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