July 15, 2015

MEMORANDUM TO: Mark A. Satorius

Executive Director for Operations

FROM: Annette Vietti-Cook, Secretary /RA/

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS – BRIEFING ON THE MITIGATION OF

BEYOND DESIGN BASIS EVENTS RULEMAKING, 9:00 A.M., THURSDAY, JULY 9, 2015, COMMISSIONERS' CONFERENCE ROOM, ONE WHITE FLINT NORTH, ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND

(OPEN TO PUBLIC ATTENDANCE)

The Commission was briefed by an external panel and a panel of NRC staff on the Mitigation of Beyond Design Basis Events Rulemaking. The external panel included Anthony Pietrangelo, Senior Vice President and Chief Nuclear Officer, Nuclear Energy Institute; Stuart Lewis, Program Manager, Electric Power Research Institute; Jack Stringfellow, Chairman, Pressurized Water Reactor Owners Group; and David Lochbaum, Director, Nuclear Safety Project, Union of Concerned Scientists.

Direction on this rulemaking will be provided to the staff in the Staff Requirements Memorandum for SECY-15-0065, "Proposed Rulemaking: Mitigation of Beyond-Design Basis Events (RIN 3150-AJ49)."

cc: Chairman Burns

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