SCHEDULING NOTE

Title: BRIEFING ON LICENSE RENEWAL FOR RESEARCH AND

TEST REACTORS (Public)

Purpose: To provide the Commission with a discussion regarding research

and test reactors license renewal, including the status and activities to complete the review of the current backlog, and activities and plans for research and test reactors license renewal rulemaking.

Scheduled: March 27, 2012

9:00 am

Duration: Approx. 3 hours

Location: Commissioners' Conference Room 1st floor OWFN

Participants: Presentation

NRC Staff Panel 30 mins.*

Bill Borchardt, Executive Director for Operations

Tim McGinty, Director, Division of Policy and Rulemaking, NRR 10 mins.*

Topic: Introduction to and NRC organizational structure of non-power reactors

Jessie Quichocho, Branch Chief, RTR Licensing Branch, NRR 10 mins.* Topic: Current status and activities to complete the review of the current backlog.

John Adams, Senior Level Advisor for RTR, NRR

10 mins.*

<u>Topic</u>: Current activities and plans for the research and test reactors license renewal rulemaking.

Commission Q & A 50 mins.

Break 5 mins.

External Panel 40 mins.*

Leo Bobek, Chair, National Organization of Test, Research, and 10 mins.*

Training Reactors, Inc. (TRTR), and Reactor Supervisor, Nuclear Radiation
Laboratory, University of Massachusetts Lowell

Topic: TRTR Position on the license renewal process.

Facility with LR Review Completed

Sastry Sreepada, Director, Walthousen Reactor Critical Facility,

10 mins.*

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

<u>Topic</u>: Lessons learned from the licensing of the Rensselaer Polytechnic

Institute.

Facilities with LR Review In-Process

Ralph Butler, Director, University of Missouri Research Reactor (MURR) 10 mins.* Topic: MURR license renewal issues.

Stephen Miller, Armed Forces Radiobiology Research Institute (AFFRI) 10 mins.*

<u>Topic</u>: AFRRI license renewal issues - status of efforts to meet timely responses to NRC RAIs in the current environment of limited Government budgeted resources.

Commission Q & A 50 mins.

Discussion - Wrap-up

5 mins.

^{*}For presentation only and does not include time for Commission Q & A's