SCHEDULING NOTE

Title: BRIEFING ON ACCIDENT TOLERANT FUEL (Public Meeting)

Purpose: To provide the Commission an update on the status and issues

associated with the path to licensing accident tolerant fuel (ATF) for

use in commercial nuclear power reactors.

Scheduled: April 12, 2018

9:00 am

Duration: Approx. 3 hours

Location: Commissioners' Conference Room, 1st floor OWFN

Participants: Presentation

External Panel 40 mins.*

Bill McCaughey, Acting Director, Advanced Fuels Technologies, Office of Nuclear Energy, U.S. Department of Energy (DOE)

8 mins.*

Topics:

- · Congressional mandate on research and development of ATF
- Background on the ATF program at DOE and the DOE plan
- Current efforts of the Advanced Fuels Campaign

Thomas P. Miller, Director, Office of Accelerated Innovation, Office of Nuclear Energy, DOE

8 mins.*

Topics:

- Update on the Consortium for Advanced Simulation of Light Water Reactors (CASL)
- · CASL interaction and collaboration with nuclear industry
- Interaction and collaboration with NRC

Danny Bost, Executive Vice President and Chief Nuclear Officer, Southern Company, Executive Sponsor, Industry Accident Tolerant Fuel Working Group 8 mins.*

Topics:

- Safety and economic benefits of ATF
- Overview of the working group mission and activities
- Perspective on regulatory framework for ATF

Neil Wilmshurst, Vice President, Nuclear & Chief Nuclear Officer, Electric Power Research Institute (EPRI)

8 mins.*

Topics:

EPRI coordination of activities related to ATF

Cost benefit analysis and business case for ATF

Dr. Edwin Lyman, Senior Scientist, Union of Concerned Scientists Topics:

8 mins.*

Perspectives on ATF technologies and licensing process

Commission Q & A

30 mins.

Break 5 mins.

NRC Staff 50 mins.*

Victor M. McCree, Executive Director for Operations

Raymond K. Lorson, Acting Deputy Director for Engineering, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR)

Mirela Gavrilas, Director, Division of Safety Systems, NRR

Andrew Proffitt, Project Manager, Division of Licensing Projects, NRR

Christopher J. Fong, Team Leader, Division of Risk Assessment, NRR

Michelle F. Bales, Senior Reactor Systems Engineer, Division of Systems Analysis, Office of Nuclear Regulatory Research

Topics:

- NRC preparations for licensing ATF
- Overview of the NRC's ATF project plan
- Confirmatory analysis of ATF

Commission Q & A 30 mins.

Discussion – Wrap-Up

5 mins.

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