March 8, 1996

MEMORANDUM TO:	James M. Taylor Executive Director for Operations
FROM:	John C. Hoyle, Secretary /s/
SUBJECT:	STAFF REQUIREMENTS - BRIEFING BY NARUC ON UTILITY DEREGULATION, 9:30 A.M., WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1996, COMMISSIONERS' CONFERENCE ROOM, ONE WHITE FLINT NORTH, ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND (OPEN TO PUBLIC ATTENDANCE)

The Commission was briefed by representatives of NARUC on the activities and issues concerning electric utility deregulation. NARUC discussed the formation of a staff-level subcommittee to provide liaison with the NRC staff and the Commission endorsed the proposal. The Commission also encouraged NARUC to provide comments on the advance notice of proposed rulemaking on financial assurance requirements for reactor decommissioning when published.

The Commission requested that the staff contact the appropriate staff-level personnel of NARUC to facilitate communications.

cc: Chairman Jackson Commissioner Rogers Commissioner Dicus OGC OCA OIG Office Directors, Regions, ACRS, ACNW, ASLBP (via E-Mail) PDR - Advance DCS - P1-24