December 19, 2002

MEMORANDUM TO: William D. Travers Executive Director for Operations

FROM: Annette L. Vietti-Cook, Secretary /RA/

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS - BRIEFING ON POLICY OPTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR REVISING THE NRC'S PROCESS FOR HANDLING DISCRIMINATION ISSUES (SECY-02-0166), 9:30 A.M., TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2002, COMMISSIONERS' CONFERENCE ROOM, ONE WHITE FLINT NORTH, ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND (OPEN TO PUBLIC ATTENDANCE)

The Commission was briefed by the NRC staff and a panel of external stakeholders on policy options and recommendations for revising the NRC's process for handling discrimination issues, including licensee Safety Conscious Work Environment (SCWE) programs and potential uses of Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR). The Commission will provide guidance on these issues in the Staff Requirements Memorandum on SECY-02-0166.

cc: Chairman Meserve Commissioner Dicus Commissioner Diaz Commissioner McGaffigan Commissioner Merrifield OGC CFO OCA OIG OPA Office Directors, Regions, ACRS, ACNW, ASLBP (via E-Mail) PDR