June 30, 2014

MEMORANDUM TO: Mark A. Satorius

Executive Director for Operations

FROM: Annette Vietti-Cook, Secretary /RA/

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS – STRATEGIC PROGRAMMATIC

OVERVIEW OF THE OPERATING REACTORS BUSINESS LINE,

9:30 A.M., TUESDAY, JUNE 17, 2014, COMMISSIONERS' CONFERENCE ROOM, ONE WHITE FLINT NORTH,

ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND (OPEN TO PUBLIC ATTENDANCE)

The Commission was briefed by the NRC staff on strategic considerations associated with the Operating Reactors Business Line, including expected priorities, near-and longer-term projections and challenges, and emerging focus areas. The staff discussed oversight and regulation; rulemaking and regulatory processes, including future challenges; licensing, including future challenges and issue resolution; research and technical support; the reactor oversight process; and event response.

In the context of Project Aim, the staff should consider ways to reduce the licensing action backlog and get back on target with respect to timeliness and the number of licensing actions.

cc: Chairman Macfarlane

Commissioner Svinicki Commissioner Apostolakis Commissioner Magwood Commissioner Ostendorff

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