September 16, 2011

MEMORANDUM TO: R. W. Borchardt

Executive Director for Operations

FROM: Annette Vietti-Cook, Secretary /RA/

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS – BRIEFING ON THE JAPAN NEAR

TERM TASK FORCE REPORT – SHORT-TERM ACTIONS, 9:00 A.M., WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2011, COMMISSIONERS'

CONFERENCE ROOM, ONE WHITE FLINT NORTH,

ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND (OPEN TO PUBLIC ATTENDANCE)

The Commission was briefed by the NRC staff on recommendations for short-term actions related to ensuring protection, enhancing mitigation, and emergency preparedness that should be implemented without delay based on the recommendations of the Near-Term Task Force. A panel of stakeholders provided their input on potential short-term actions that should be implemented in light of the events associated with Fukushima: William Leith, Earthquake Hazards Program Coordinator, U.S. Geological Survey; Charles Pardee, Chairman, Industry Fukushima Response Steering Committee and Chief Operating Officer, Exelon Generation; Thomas Cochran, Consulting Senior Scientist, Natural Resources Defense Council, Ed Lyman, Senior Staff Scientist, Union of Concerned Scientists; Sue Perkins-Grew, Director of Emergency Preparedness, Nuclear Energy Institute; Patrick Mulligan, State of New Jersey and Federal Radiological Preparedness Coordinating Committee; and Timothy Greten, Deputy Director, Technological Hazards Division, Federal Emergency Management Agency.

There were no requirements identified for staff action.

Commission direction to the staff will be provided in the staff requirements memorandum (SRM) issued in response to SECY-11-0124 – Recommended Actions to be Taken without Delay from the Near-Term Task Force Report.

cc: Chairman Jaczko

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