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## \*\*\* MEDIA ADVISORY \*\*\*

## Commission to Discuss Spent Fuel Pool Safety, Flooding Jan. 6

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission will be briefed by its staff and interested stakeholders in two public meetings on Jan. 6. The first will cover spent fuel pool safety and the consideration of accelerated transfer of spent fuel to dry cask storage. The second meeting will cover flooding and other severe weather events.

The briefings will be held in the Commission Hearing Room at 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Md. The spent fuel briefing will begin at 9 a.m., and the flooding briefing will begin at 1:30 p.m. The commission meetings will be open to public observation and will be webcast.

Broadcast media outlets interested in sending videographers to the meeting should contact the Office of Public Affairs by close of business Jan. 3 to facilitate clearing staff and equipment through security.

Movement during the briefings must be kept to a minimum to avoid distracting meeting participants; entry into the inner well closest to the Commission briefing table is prohibited. Plan to arrive at the NRC at least a half-hour in advance of the meeting with proper media credentials. The NRC offices are located across the street from the White Flint Metro station. Parking is available at the White Flint metro parking garage on Marinelli Road.