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NRC TO MEET WITH PROGRESS ENERGY/FLORIDA POWER OFFICIALS TO DISCUSS SAFETY PERFORMANCE AT CRYSTAL RIVER NUCLEAR POWER PLANT

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission staff will meet with Progress Energy/Florida Power officials on Thursday, April 11, to discuss the results of NRC's annual assessment of safety performance at the Crystal River nuclear power plant, located in Crystal River, Florida.

The meeting will be held at 1:00 p.m. at the Crystal River plant Training Center on Venable Street in Crystal River. The public is invited to observe the meeting, and NRC officials will be available before the meeting is adjourned to answer any questions.

A letter sent from the NRC's Regional Administrator to Progress Energy/Florida Power, which addresses plant safety performance during the previous year and forms the basis of the meeting discussion, is available from Region II Public Affairs or on the NRC web site at <u>www.nrc.gov/NRR/OVERSIGHT/ASSESS/LETTERS/cr_2001q4.pdf</u> Current information for the Crystal River plant is available at <u>www.nrc.gov/NRR/OVERSIGHT/ASSESS/CR3/cr3_chart.html</u>

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