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NOTE TO EDITORS:

NRC MEETING ON INDIAN POINT PERFORMANCE RESCHEDULED TO APRIL 28

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission has rescheduled a meeting on the agency's annual assessment of safety performance at the Indian Point 2 and 3 nuclear power plants. The meeting, which had to be postponed earlier this month due to inclement weather, will now take place at 6 p.m. on Monday, April 28 at Crystal Bay on the Hudson, located at the Charles Point Marina, 5 John Walsh Blvd., Peekskill, N.Y. It will be held in the large meeting room at the facility.

During the initial portion of the meeting, NRC staff will discuss the plants' performance during the period of January 1 to December 31, 2002, with representatives of Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc., the company that operates the Buchanan, N.Y., facility. Members of the public will be able to observe that discussion. Before the session is adjourned, NRC staff will be available to answer questions from the public on the safety performance of the Indian Point plants during the assessment period, as well as the role of the NRC in ensuring safe plant operation.

Letters sent from the NRC Region I Office to plant officials addresses the performance of the facilities during the period and will serve as the basis for the meeting discussion. The letter regarding Indian Point 2 is available on the NRC web site at:

http://www.nrc.gov/NRR/OVERSIGHT/ASSESS/LETTERS/inpt_2002q4.pdf

The letter regarding Indian Point 3 is available on the NRC web site at:

http://www.nrc.gov/NRR/OVERSIGHT/ASSESS/LETTERS/inp3_2002q4.pdf

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