General Rules of CNO Conferences

1. Objective

In order to effectively achieve the targets set by the Nuclear Risk Research Center (henceforth the "NRRC"), which plays a core role in the R&D that is necessary to voluntary safety improvements, Chief Nuclear Officers at each utility and the Head of NRRC shall: share the R&D roadmap and vision for future activities as well as the results of the NRRC's activities; exchange opinions on how to provide business resources for the NRRC; share issues to be solved; and discuss the direction to take in solving such issues in industry wide activities for the voluntary improvement of nuclear safety.

2. Composition

- (1) The committee shall be composed of the NRRC's executives and the Chief Nuclear Officers of the nine utilities, The Japan Atomic Power Company, Japan Nuclear Fuel Limited and Electric Power Development Co., Ltd.
- (2) The Head of NRRC shall serve as the CNO Conference's Chair.
- (3) Observer participation may be accepted at the Chair's discretion.
- (4) The Chair may, if he/she deems it necessary, invite NRRC executives and external experts in addition to committee members, and request opinions and reports from them.

3. Meetings

Generally, meetings shall be held twice/year and may be held on an as-needed basis.

4. Scope of deliberation

- (1) The NRRC's activity policy, activity plan, and output
- (2) The NRRC's business resources
- (3) The direction of solving issues regarding voluntary safety improvement
- (4) Other matters related to the NRRC's activities

5. Secretariat

The CNO Conference shall be run by the NRRC's Planning & Administrative Team.

6. Supplement

Any matters not stipulated in general rules shall be determined on a case-by-case basis.