

**RESPONSE SHEET**

**TO:** Annette Vietti-Cook, Secretary

**FROM:** Chairman Jaczko

**SUBJECT:** COMDEK-09-0001 – REVISITING THE PARADIGM FOR  
SPENT FUEL STORAGE AND TRANSPORTATION  
REGULATORY PROGRAMS

Approved  X  Disapproved \_\_\_\_\_ Abstain \_\_\_\_\_

Not Participating \_\_\_\_\_

COMMENTS: Below  X  Attached \_\_\_ None \_\_\_

I approve the actions in COMDEK-09-0001. I join Dr. Klein and Commissioner Svinicki in believing that NRC's existing regulatory programs for transportation and storage are "well established, respected worldwide, and ensure adequate protection of public health and safety and promote the common defense and security." It is my understanding that the staff is already undertaking many of the actions described in COMDEK-09-0001.

Given that the dates provided in the last paragraph of COMDEK-09-0001 have already passed, the staff should apply the general ideas of the statements; specifically, that these activities should be budgeted for, and that information gleaned from international activities such as MDEP should be considered as appropriate.

  
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**Commissioner Svinicki's Comments on COMDEK-09-0001  
Revisiting the Paradigm for Spent Fuel Storage and Transportation Regulatory  
Programs**

I approve the actions in COMDEK-09-0001. I join Dr. Klein in concluding that NRC's existing regulatory programs for transportation and storage of spent nuclear fuel are "well-established, respected worldwide, and ensure adequate protection of public health and safety and promote the common defense and security." However, I believe the proposed plan recommended by Dr. Klein has the potential of throwing into sharper relief those activities that could prepare our regulatory framework for the future. Further, although a number of planning activities are already underway, the development of a project plan could bring greater cohesiveness to budgeting and executing the agency's research and rulemaking activities in this area.

  
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Kristine L. Svinicki 01/25/10