

RESPONSE SHEET

TO: Annette Vietti-Cook, Secretary
FROM: Commissioner Apostolakis
SUBJECT: COMSECY-12-0014 – REVISED SCHEDULE AND PLANS FOR JAPAN LESSONS-LEARNED

Approved x Disapproved x Abstain

Not Participating

COMMENTS: Below X Attached None

I approve the staff's request for an extension for the notation vote paper on severe accident capable containment vents, with or without filters, until November 30, 2012.

I do not approve the staff's proposal to include the Tier 2 activities related to Recommendation 9.3 with the Tier 3 activities related to emergency preparedness in a single advance notice of proposed rulemaking. The staff has not provided a sufficiently detailed discussion of the advantages and disadvantages of proceeding with such a proposal nor a sufficient basis for deviating from previous Commission direction on this Tier 2 activity. Without additional information, I am unable to assess the effects on the schedule for implementation of the Fukushima Near-Term Task Force recommendations, or other potential impacts of this proposal. Therefore, I cannot support the staff's request.



SIGNATURE

7/19/12

DATE

Entered on "STARS" Yes x No