March 23, 1999

MEMORANDUM FOR: John F. Cordes, Acting Director

Office of Commission Appellate Adjudication

FROM: Annette Vietti-Cook, Secretary /s/

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS - AFFIRMATION SESSION, 4:00 P.M., TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 1999,

COMMISSIONERS' CONFERENCE ROOM, ONE WHITE FLINT NORTH, ROCKVILLE,

MARYLAND (OPEN TO PUBLIC ATTENDANCE)

SECY-99-080 - Hydro Resources, Inc. - ENDAUM's and SRIC's Petition for Interlocutory Review of Presiding Officer's Order Concerning Technical Qualifications (March 3, 1999)

The Commission (1) approved a Memorandum and Order which denies the petitions by Eastern Navajo Dine Against Uranium Mining (ENDAUM) and Southwest Research and Information Center (SRIC) for interlocutory review of the presiding officer's March 3, 1999 Memorandum and Order.

(Subsequently, on March 23, 1999, the Secretary signed the Order.)

cc: Chairman Jackson

Commissioner Dicus Commissioner Diaz

Commissioner McGaffigan Commissioner Merrifield

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Office Directors, Regions, ACRS, ACNW, ASLBP (via E-Mail)

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^{1.} Section 201 of the Energy Reorganization Act, 42 U.S.C. Section 5841, provides that action of the Commission shall be determined by a "majority vote of the members present." Chairman Jackson and Commissioners Dicus, Diaz, and McGaffigan were present in the Conference Room. Commissioner Merrifield participated in the meeting via speakerphone.