UNITED STATES OF AMERICA NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

AFFIRMATION SESSION

PUBLIC MEETING

Nuclear Regulatory Commission Commission Hearing Room 11555 Rockville Pike Rockville, Maryland

Thursday, August 24, 2000

The Commission met in open session, pursuant to notice, at 1:30

Richard A. Meserve, Chairman, presiding.

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

p.m.,

RICHARD A. MESERVE, Chairman - Speakerphone

GRETA JOY DICUS, Member of the Commission

EDWARD MCGAFFIGAN, JR., Member of the Commission

JEFFREY S. MERRIFIELD, Member of the Commission - Speakerphone

STAFF AND PRESENTERS SEATED AT THE COMMISSION TABLE:

ANNETTE L. VIETTI-COOK, Secretary

KAREN D. CYR, General Counsel

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[1:30 p.m.]

PROCEEDINGS

MS. VIETTI-COOK: The Commission is being asked to act on a Memorandum and Order responding to the Nuclear Control Institute's Petition for Leave to Intervene and Request for a Hearing on Transnuclear Incorporated Revised License Application to Export Highly Enriched Uranium to the Netherlands. The Commission has voted to approve a Memorandum and Order which denies NCI's intervention and hearing request and orders issuance of the license. Chairman Meserve, would you please affirm your vote.

CHAIRMAN MESERVE: I do.

 $\mbox{MS. VIETTI-COOK: Commissioner Merrifield, would you please} \label{eq:ms.vour}$ affirm your vote.

COMMISSIONER MERRIFIELD: Aye.

 $$\operatorname{MS}.$$ VIETTI-COOK: Commissioners in the conference room would you please affirm your votes.

COMMISSIONER DICUS: Aye.

COMMISSIONER MCGAFFIGAN: Aye.

MS. VIETTI-COOK: Had Commissioner Diaz been here he had previously indicate that he would approve this paper and he would have affirmed his prior vote. That's all I have. Thank you for calling in.

COMMISSIONER DICUS: Then we're adjourned I guess.

COMMISSIONER MERRIFIELD: We're adjourned.

[Whereupon, at 1:05 p.m., the affirmation session was

adjourned].

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