

April 30, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR: James M. Taylor
Executive Director for Operations

FROM: Samuel J. Chilk, Secretary /S/

SUBJECT: SECY-91-021 - CONSTRUCTION PERMIT CPCSF-4
FOR ALLIED-GENERAL NUCLEAR SERVICES,
BARNWELL NUCLEAR FUEL PLANT

The Commission (with Chairman Carr and Commissioners Curtiss and Remick agreeing) has disapproved the staff recommendation to pursue alternative 3 which would not extend Construction Permit CPCSF-4 issued to Allied-General Nuclear Services (AGNS) for construction of the Barnwell Nuclear Fuel Plant Separations Facility. Commissioner Rogers preferred approval of this alternative.

The Commission approved alternative 1 directing the staff to take no action with respect to the AGNS request for an extension at this time.

The staff should provide an update on the status of this facility and its recommendations regarding termination of the Construction Permit (CP) in June 1992. In the interim, the staff should inform AGNS that, in the absence of any new information, the Commission intends to initiate termination of the CP in June 1992 if the CP continues to remain in an inactive state.

(EDO) (SECY Suspense: 6/19/92)

cc: Chairman Carr
Commissioner Rogers
Commissioner Curtiss
Commissioner Remick
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SECY NOTE: THIS SRM, SECY-91-021, AND THE VOTE SHEETS OF COMMISSIONERS ROGERS, CURTISS AND REMICK WILL BE MADE PUBLICLY AVAILABLE 10 WORKING DAYS FROM THE DATE OF THIS SRM