

August 13, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR: James M. Taylor, Executive Director
for Operations

FROM: Samuel J. Chilk, Secretary /s/

SUBJECT: **SECY-91-219 - PROPOSED RULEMAKING -
CONFORMING AMENDMENTS TO TITLE 10 OF THE
CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS FOR URANIUM
ENRICHMENT REGULATION**

This is to advise you that the Commission (with all Commissioners agreeing) has approved publication of the proposed amendments subject to:

- (1) Since the Commission is incorporating by reference certain requirements that will be set forth in 10 CFR Part 140 that the applicant will be required to meet (i.e., 140.13b), the "Purpose" and "Scope" provisions of Part 140 should be modified to make it clear that uranium enrichment facilities will fall within the scope of this Part. Suggested edits to accomplish this are attached.
- (2) Staff should clarify that the OMB paper work resource estimates are for the entire licensing process, including preparation of the application and environmental report, and that the 60,000 hour estimate is not due to the minor conforming changes being proposed here. The Commission understands that the changes that it is approving here should serve to reduce the burden on applicants.
- (3) The reference to the 100 percent fee recovery rulemaking on page 5 should be updated.

SECY NOTE: This SRM, the subject SECY paper and the vote sheets of the Chairman, Commissioners Curtiss and Remick, will be made publicly available when the FRN is published.

The proposed rule should be reviewed by the Regulatory Publications Branch, ADM, for consistency with Federal Register requirements and forward for signature and publication.

(EDO) (SECY SUSPENSE: 9/6/91)

Attachment:
As Stated

cc: The Chairman
Commissioner Rogers
Commissioner Curtiss
Commissioner Remick
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GPA