

UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555

September 27, 1988

MEMORANDUM FOR: Victor Stello, Jr.
Executive Director for Operations

William C. Parler, General Counsel

FROM: Samuel J. Chilk, Secretary

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS - AFFIRMATION/DISCUSSION

AND VOTE, 11:45 A.M., FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16,
1988, COMMISSIONERS' CONFERENCE ROOM, ONE
WHITE FLINT NORTH, ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND (OPEN
TO PUBLIC ATTENDANCE)

I. SECY-88-246 Final Rule on Emergency planning and Preparedness Requirements for Nuclear Power Plant Fuel Loading and Initial Low Power Testing

The Commission, by a 4-0 vote, approved final changes to 10 CFR 50.47, paragraph (d) of the Commission's rules with editorial comments provided by commissioner Carr. The changes reconciled discrepancies between the language of the statement considerations and the language of the Commission's 1982 emergency planning rule, by making clear that systems for notification of the public off site are not required prior to the issuance of a license for fuel loading and low power testing.

(Subsequently on September 20, 1988, the Secretary signed the rule and forwarded it to the Federal Register for publication.)

II, SECY-88-226 - Revision to the General Statement of Policy and Pro 10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C

The Commission, by a 4-0 vote, approved final revisions to Appendix C to 10 CFR Part 2, which revised the Commission's enforcement policy (with modifications proposed by Chairman Zech concerning NRC identification of violations and Commissioner Carr concerning modifications to appropriate supplements to provide examples of multiple violations) to, among other considerations, provide added incentives for licensees to identify, report, and correct significant

violations.

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The Federal Register Notice should be forwarded for signature and publication.

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(SECY Suspense: 9/29/88)

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Commissioner Roberts
Commissioner Carr
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