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MEMORANDUM TO: L. Joseph Callan Executive Director for Operations
FROM: John C. Hoyle, Secretary
SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS - SECY-97-279 - GENERIC AND CUMULATIVE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS OF TRANSPORTATION OF HIGH-LEVEL WASTE (HLW) IN THE VICINITY OF AN HLW REPOSITORY (SRM M970612)

The Commission has approved the staff's proposal to implement Option 3 to amend 10 CFR 51.53(c)(3)(ii)(M) as a long-term solution to categorize the impacts of transportation of HLW as a Category 1 issue.

- cc: Chairman Jackson
Commissioner Dicus
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SECY NOTE: THIS SRM, SECY-97-279, AND THE COMMISSION VOTING RECORD CONTAINING THE VOTE SHEETS OF ALL COMMISSIONERS WILL BE MADE PUBLICLY AVAILABLE 5 WORKING DAYS FROM THE DATE OF THIS SRM.



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