

September 19, 2007

MEMORANDUM TO: Chairman Klein
Commissioner Jaczko
Commissioner Lyons

FROM: Luis A. Reyes */RA William F. Kane for/*
Executive Director for Operations

SUBJECT: SIGNIFICANT RESOURCE REALLOCATION

This memorandum is to inform you of a significant resource reallocation within the Office of Federal and State Materials and Environmental Management Programs (FSME) for the Generic Environmental Impact Statement (GEIS) for uranium recovery applications.

In a Staff Requirements Memorandum (M070507; ML071410086) dated May 18, 2007, the Commission directed the staff to develop a GEIS that is as broad and would cover as many of the potential uranium recovery sites as possible and to recover the costs through a surcharge assessed to all NRC licensees paying 10 CFR Part 171 fees. As a result of this direction, under NRC-02-04-014, the scope of the current Task Order Number 13, "Technical Assistance for the Development of an Environmental Topical Report for Conventional and In-Situ Leach Uranium Milling Facilities," is being revised to a GEIS to facilitate this requirement. Accordingly, fiscal year 2007 funds of \$842,724 are being reprogrammed from the following resources to support the additional funding requirement for the revision of Task Order Number 13:

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Tier 2	PA	Amount	Tier 2	PA	Amount
Nuclear Material Users	Materials Rulemaking	- \$85,724	Decommissioning & Low-Level Waste	Environmental Reviews (GEIS)	\$842,724
Nuclear Material Users	HLS Regulatory Improvements	- \$265,000			
Decommissioning & Low-Level Waste	Materials/Fuel Facility Decommissioning Lic.	- \$492,000			
TOTALS		-\$842,724			\$842,724

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