

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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AFFIRMATION SESSION

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PUBLIC MEETING

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Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Commission Hearing Room  
11555 Rockville Pike  
Rockville, Maryland  
March 27, 2012

The Commission met in open session, pursuant to notice, at 8:55 a.m.,  
Gregory B. Jaczko, Chairman, presiding.

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

GREGORY B. JACZKO, Chairman of the Commission

KRISTINE L. SVINICKI, Member of the Commission

GEORGE APOSTOLAKIS, Member of the Commission

WILLIAM D. MAGWOOD, IV, Member of the Commission

WILLIAM C. OSTENDORFF, Member of the Commission

STAFF AND PRESENTERS SEATED AT THE COMMISSION TABLE:

TRIP ROTHSCHILD, Acting General Counsel

ANNETTE VIETTI-COOK, Secretary of the Commission

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[8:55 a.m.]

P R O C E E D I N G S

CHAIRMAN JACZKO: Before we begin, we have one item for affirmation. Annette, do you want to go through that?

Ms. Vietti-Cook: FirstEnergy Nuclear Operating Co., Davis Besse Nuclear Power Station Unit 1. The Commission is being asked to act on a Memorandum and Order responding to an appeal by FirstEnergy of the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board's decision in Licensing Board Panel 11-13, which granted the hearing request of Beyond Nuclear, Citizens Environment Alliance of Southwestern Ontario, Don't Waste Michigan, and the Green Party of Ohio. The Commission with Commissioners Svinicki and Apostolakis dissenting in part has voted to approve a Memorandum and Order, which affirms the Board's decision in part, and reverses it in part. Will you please affirm your votes?

CHAIRMAN JACZKO: Aye.

COMMISSIONER SVINICKI: Aye.

COMMISSIONER APOSTOLAKIS: Aye.

COMMISSIONER OSTENDORFF: Aye.

COMMISSIONER MAGWOOD: Aye.

MS. Vietti-Cook: That's all I have.

CHAIRMAN JACZKO: Thank you.

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