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SECRETARY

MEMORANDUM TO: Victor M. McCree  
Executive Director for Operations

Maureen E. Wylie  
Chief Financial Officer

FROM: Annette L. Vietti-Cook, Secretary */RA/*

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS – SECY-16-0083 – PROJECT AIM—  
MATERIALS PROGRAM EVALUATION AND  
RECOMMENDATION

The Commission has approved the staff's recommended Option 1 to implement the process enhancements and re-baselining initiatives described in the paper without further geographic consolidation of the materials program. The Commission has also approved the staff's variation on Option 1 for each Region to identify further reductions of supervisory or nontechnical staff by 2 full-time equivalents (FTE), for six FTE total during FY 2018.

In its continuation of process enhancements and re-baselining initiatives, the staff should fully leverage ongoing agency initiatives to improve regional consistency, new and innovative ways of doing business, and ways to utilize better existing agency resources to enable employees and management to work remotely together more effectively.

The staff should remain open to re-engaging the question of consolidation or re-assignment of functional areas between Headquarters and the Regions and keep in mind the goals and objectives underlying the Commission's Policy Statement on Regionalization, 49 Fed. Reg. 7676 (Mar. 1, 1984).

cc: Chairman Burns  
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