

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

February 23, 1979

MEMORANDUM FOR:

Lee V. Gossick, Executive

Director_for Operations

FROM:

Samuel J. Chilk, Secreta

SUBJECT:

SECY-79-90 - ABNORMAL OCCURRENCE RECOMMENDATION -

DEGRADED ENGINEERED SAFETY SYSTEMS

(COMMISSIONER ACTION ITEM)

This is to inform you that the Commission (with all Commissioners concurring) concurs in the staff's request for approval of an abnormal occurrence determination.

The proposed Federal Register Notice should be modified by replacing the phrase "in the preceding" with the word "above" in lines 7, and 19 on page 7. [M P

In his concurrence, Commissioner Kennedy requested that the staff inform him as to whether this event has identified any generic issues; and if so, plans for their resolution and the priority to be afforded them. The staff is requested to provide Commissioner Kennedy an answer to his question. (SECY Suspense: 3/16/79) (NRR)

The Office of Management and Policy Analysis was informed of this action by telephone on February 22, 1979.

cc: Chairman Hendrie Commissioner Gilinsky Commissioner Kennedy Commissioner Bradford Commissioner Ahearne General Counsel Acting Director, Policy Evaluation Director, Congressional Affairs Director, Public Affairs

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