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UNITED STATES

NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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 In the Matter of: :
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 AFFIRMATION SESSION 80-11 :
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Room 1130, Eleventh Floor
1717 H Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C.

Wednesday, March 19, 1980

The Commission met, pursuant to notice, for
presentation of the above-entitled matter, at 5:38 p.m. ,

BEFORE:

JOHN F. AHEARNE, CHAIRMAN

VICTOR GILINSKY, COMMISSIONER

PETER A. BRADFORD, COMMISSIONER

JOSEPH M HENDRIE, COMMISSIONER

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Safety and Licensing

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CHAIRMAN AHEARNE: Why don't we -- I would like to ask ~~Secere~~ ^{SECY} to come up here because we do have an affirmation which just won't get done otherwise. In the absence of ~~Secere~~ ^{SECY} being here --

COMMISSIONER HENDRIE: Do you want me to read the affirmations?

CHAIRMAN AHEARNE: Can I go ahead without ~~Secere~~ ^{SECY}? We have four affirmations. They are --

COMMISSIONER HENDRIE: Sam, hop in here and read thesethings?

CHAIRMAN AHEARNE: Sam, would you mind coming up so that we can do the affirmations. Bring your affirmation book and charge up here.

MR. CHILK: --

COMMISSIONER HENDRIE: I wonder why General Counsel is holding his head?

MR. BICKWIT: Trying not to be noticed.

MR. CHILK: The first one is SECY-80-54, NRC Rulemaking re EPA Radiation Protection Standards for nuclear power operations. The Commission has voted unanimously to publish for comment a proposed amendment codifying the requirement for NRC licensees to comply with 40 CFR 190. Do you all affirm your votes?

(A chorus of ayes.)

MR. CHILK: The second one is SECY-80-1 which the

1 Commission, by a vote of 3 to 2 with Commissioners Gilinsky
2 and Commissioner Bradford dissenting, have approved the appoint-
3 ment of Mr. Gleason as part-time member of the Atomic Safety
4 and License Network.

5 Mr. Kennedy, who is not here, had he been here would
6 have voted with the majority and the majority would be accomplished
7 and Commissioner Bradford has agreed to abstain in this formal --
8 not participate. Would you affirm your votes?

9 (A chorus of ayes.)

10 MR. CHILK: The third one is SECY-80-2, which the
11 Commission, by a vote of three to two, again because -- approved
12 appointment of Mr. Carter as a part-time member of the Atomic
13 Safety and License Board.

14 Again, if Commissioner Kennedy were present, he
15 would have voted with the majority. Commissioner Bradford has
16 agreed to not participate in order to accomplish the wishes of
17 the majority. Would you please affirm your vote?

18 (A chorus of ayes.)

19 MR. CHILK: The last one, SECY-A-80-7A, the Class 9
20 issue in ALAB 573 in which the Commission by a three to two
21 vote, with Commissioners Gilinsky and Bradford dissenting,
22 have approved an order vacating a portion of ALAB 573. The
23 order was circulated to you on the 13th.

24 Commissioner Kennedy being absent, Commissioner
25 Bradford again is not participating for the purpose of

1 accomplishing the will of the majority. Would you affirm your
2 votes?

3 (A chorus of ayes.)

4 MR. CHILK: That concludes, gentlemen.

5 (Whereupon, the affirmations were ^{concluded} ~~concluded~~ at

6 5:41 p.m.)

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