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Commissioners' Conference Room 1717 H Street, N.W. Washington, D. C.

Wednesday, April 23, 1980

The Commission met, pursuant to notice, at 1:30 p.m., John F. Ahearne, Chairman of the Commission, presiding.

BEFORE:

In the Matter of:

AFFIRMATION SESSION 80-18 :

JOSEPH M. HENDRIE, Commissioner PETER A. BRADFORD, Commissioner MR. SAMUEL J. CHILK, Secretary MR. MALSH 1

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PROCEEDINGS

CHAIRMAN AHEARNE: The Commission meets this afternoon for the purposes of an affirmation session.

MR. CHILK: The first one is SECY 80-166, dealing with physical protection of irradiated reactor fuel in transit.

The Commission, with four Commissioners concurring, and Mr. Bradford concurring in part, approved the paper, which is an effective amendment to the interim final rule to include a change, to include the change which was circulated by the general counsel on the 21st.

Would you please affirm your votes.

(Chorus of ayes.)

The second is 80-177. It's the advance notice of rulemaking on technical criteria for regulating the geologic disposal of high-level radioactive waste, 10C of Part 60.

The Commission, with all Commissioners concurring, approved the publication of an advance notice subject to adding a modification in the notice, that the Staff is preparing a document explaining the basis and rationale for the technical criteria, and that this document will be available in the public document room for inspection. The Federal Register notice will not be sent out to the Federal

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Would you please affirm your votes.

(Chorus of ayes.)

CHAIRMAN AHEARNE: And you will call that --

MR. CHILK: I will direct the Staff's attention to that to make sure.

The third deals -- is SECY 80-88, fire protection actions. The Commission, three Commissioners approving, Commissioner Hendrie approving in part, Commissioner Kennedy approving in part, have approved a proposed rule to amend the fire protection regulations to provide minimum levels of protection in operating reactors.

Commissioners Kennedy and Hendrie have filed separate comments, which will be appended to the document.

Would you please affirm your votes.

(Chorus of ayes.)

CHAIRMAN AHEARNE: Thank you.

(Whereupon, at 1:35 p.m., the meeting was adjourned.)