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April 28, 1981

NOTE TO: Edward McGregor  
Executive Assistant to the Secretary  
FROM: Donald F. Hassell   
SUBJECT: SECY-81-170 - CRITERION 1 DETERMINATIONS IN EXPORT LICENSING

In accordance with the Commission's rules of procedure, I request  
an extension of four working days.

cc: W. Manning  
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NOTATION VOTE

RESPONSE SHEET

TO: SAMUEL J. CHILK, SECRETARY OF THE COMMISSION

FROM: CHAIRMAN HENDRIE

SUBJECT: SECY-81-170 - CRITERION 1 DETERMINATIONS IN EXPORT LICENSING

APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_ DISAPPROVED \* ABSTAIN \_\_\_\_\_

NOT PARTICIPATING \_\_\_\_\_ REQUEST DISCUSSION \_\_\_\_\_

COMMENTS:

*Chairman Hendrie  
agrees with option 3.*

*Donald T. Hassell*  
*for J. M. Hendrie*  
SIGNATURE

*May 4, 1981*  
DATE

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TO: SAMUEL J. CHILK, SECRETARY OF THE COMMISSION  
FROM: COMMISSIONER AHEARNE  
SUBJECT: SECY-81-170 - CRITERION 1 DETERMINATIONS IN EXPORT LICENSING

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COMMENTS:  
*as modified*

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Mr. Ahearne's comments on Secy-81-170:

- (C) <sup>(U)</sup> I agree with seeking Congressional clarification. However, I would modify the letter to make clear the consequences of a Congressional choice.

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- (U) We also need to clarify the staff's responsibilities. I believe there are two main differences - Option 2 and Option 3: (1) Option 2 retains as a current objective the search for information necessary to make a finding on the technical effectiveness of safeguards, while Option 3 concedes this is not going to happen (absent action by Congress). (2) Consequently, under Option 2 the staff will "continue to actively pursue and evaluate country-specific safeguards information," while under Option 3 the scope of inquiry would be narrowed to examining available information and pursuing specific concerns which arise.

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- (U) Consequently, I would

- (1) Agree that we ask for Congressional clarification,
- (2) Modify the proposed letter to clarify the consequences of a choice between the alternatives offered, and
- (3) Revise the guidance to the staff to indicate Commission support of Option 3. (Although I would modify Option 3 to clarify country analyses are still a good idea in that they organize the available information, and we should continue to support efforts to improve IAEA safeguards through vehicles such as the Action Plan.)

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