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August 3, 1981

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MEMORANDUM FOR: William J. Dircks  
Executive Director for Operations

FROM: Samuel J. Chilton  
Secretary

SUBJECT: SECY-81-415 - PROPOSED LICENSE TO EXPORT DEUTERIUM OXIDE  
TO 22 COUNTRIES



This is to advise you that the Commissioners have reviewed the subject license to Sigma Chemical Company. The Commission (with four Commissioners approving) has accepted your recommendation to export to 22 countries 5,000 kilograms of deuterium oxide (D O).

In connection with this approval, Commissioner Bradford provided the following comment: "I would make the State Department's proposed quantity limitations explicit in the licenses." The Office of International Programs, which was informed of this action by telephone on August 3, 1981, has advised SECY that this condition will appear in the licenses.

cc: Chairman Palladino  
Commissioner Gilinsky  
Commissioner Bradford  
Commissioner Ahearne  
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