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In the Matter of KERR-MCGEE CHEMICAL CORPORATION (West Chicago Rare Earths Facility)

Docket No. 40-2061-ML

ORDER

Oral argument on (1) the appeals of the State of Illinois and the City of West Chicago from the Licensing Board's initial decision, LBP-90-9, 31 PTC 150 (1990) and related rulings; (2) the intervenors' August 31, 1990, motion to vacate; and (3) the intervenors' October 22, 1990, motion to terminate the proceeding, will be held on Wednesday, January 9, 1991, at 9:30 a.m. in the NRC Public Hearing Room, Fifth Floor, East-West Towers Building, 4350 East-West Highway, Bethesda, Maryland.

For purposes of oral argument, Kerr-McGee and the NRC staff will be considered as the "same side," as will the State and the City. Each side is allotted 90 minutes of argument time, to be divided between the parties as they see fit. Intervenors will proceed first, and may reserve a reasonable amount of time for rebuttal. Each party shall

inform the Secretary to the Appeal Panel, Barbara A. Tompkins, by letter mailed no later than December 28, 1990, of the name of the person who will present argument on its behalf.

It is so ORDERED.

FOR THE APPEAL BOARD

Eleanor E. Hagins Secretary to the Appeal Board

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CERTIFICATE OF BERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing AB ORDER DTD 11/21/90 have been served upon the following persons by U.S. mail, first class, except as otherwise noted and in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR Sec. 2.712.

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