

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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MEMORANDUM FOR: The File

FROM: Ronald D. Hauber, Assistant Director for Exports, Security, and Safety Cooperat on International Programs

SUBJECT: PROPOSED LICENSE TO EXPORT NUCLEAR EQUIPMENT TO FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY (XCOM1053)

On January 2, 1991, NRC received a license application from General Electric Company to export two (2) control blades and two (2) Zirconium channels to the University of Hannover in the Federal Republic of Germany to be used in a crushing device to test the effectiveness of the device on actual reactor parts. The crushing equipment will be placed in the reactor pool at the University of Hannover. The applicant advised that the reactor equipment has been permanently disabled to eliminate use in any nuclear reactor.

The applicant has requested expeditious processing of the license request as the equipment is ready for immediate shipment and is urgently needed.

The staff has concluded that the proposed export meets the requirements of the Atomic Energy Act, - amended, and would not be inimical to the common defense and security of the United States.

In view of the above considerations, the staff issued the license without the normal 15-day waiting period.

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