



UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555

November 2, 1982

OFFICE OF THE
SECRETARY

MEMORANDUM FOR: Leonard Bickwit, Jr., General Counsel
FROM: Samuel J. Chilk, Secretary
SUBJECT: SECY-82-434 - DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
REQUEST FOR NRC VIEWS ON SILKWOOD
V. KERR-MCGEE CORPORATION, SUPREME
COURT NO. 81-2159

PALLADINO

GILINSKY

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Letter to DOJ re preemption of State authority to provide
for punitive damages

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