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9 Nuclear Regulatory Commission

10 Room 1F-16

11 One White Flint Plaza

12 11555 Rockville Pike

13 Rockville, Maryland  
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15 Wednesday, November 15, 1995  
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17 The Commission met in open session, pursuant to  
18 notice, at 2:40 p.m., the Honorable SHIRLEY A. JACKSON,  
19 Chairman of the Commission, presiding.  
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21 COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

22 SHIRLEY A. JACKSON, Chairman of the Commission

23 KENNETH C. ROGERS, Member of the Commission  
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2 ANDREW BATES, ACTING SECRETARY

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## P R O C E E D I N G S

[2:40 p.m.]

CHAIRMAN JACKSON: Well, good afternoon. We're here for an affirmation session. I'm told by our lawyers that we could do this.

Mr. Bates, would you lead us through the affirmation, please?

MR. BATES: Madam Chairman, Commissioner Rogers, the subject this afternoon is SECY 95-264, the restart of the Browns Ferry Nuclear Plant, Unit 3.

The Commission is being asked to grant authority to the Regional Administrator in Region 2 in consultation with the Director of NRR and the Executive Director for Operations to permit the restart of Browns Ferry, Unit 3, once the licensee has accomplished all items identified for completion prior to reactor startup, and those items have been confirmed as satisfactory by the NRC staff.

The authorization for the staff to permit restart is being approved today by the chairman under delegated authority voted by the Commission as authorized by the NRC Reorganization Plan Number 1 of 1980.

This decision was made after consultation with Commissioner Rogers. Chairman Jackson has stated her approval of the authorization. Commissioner Rogers has also stated his agreement with the authorization.

1           Would you affirm your votes?

2           COMMISSIONER ROGERS: Aye.

3           CHAIRMAN JACKSON: Aye.

4           MR. BATES: That is all I have.

5           CHAIRMAN JACKSON: Then, if there is nothing else  
6 to come before the Commission, we are adjourned.

7           Thank you.

8           [Whereupon, at 2:42 p.m., the meeting was  
9 concluded.]

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