

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

AFFIRMATION SESSION

PUBLIC MEETING

Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Commission Hearing Room
11555 Rockville Pike
Rockville, Maryland
February 18, 2021

The Commission met in open session, pursuant to notice, at 9:55 AM.,
Christopher T. Hanson, Chairman, presiding.

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

CHRISTOPHER T. HANSON, Chairman

JEFF BARAN, Member of the Commission

ANNIE CAPUTO, Member of the Commission

DAVID A. WRIGHT, Member of the Commission

ALSO PRESENT:

MARIAN ZOBLER, General Counsel

ANNETTE VIETTI-COOK, Secretary of the Commission

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[9:55 a.m.]

P R O C E E D I N G S

CHAIRMAN HANSON: Thank you. Good morning, I am Christopher Hanson, Chairman of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, and I am presiding over this public affirmation session, which is being conducted both by videoconference and teleconference. Joining me are the other currently serving members of the Commission; Commissioner Baran, Commissioner Caputo, and Commissioner Wright. Also, Participating are Annette Vietti-Cook, Secretary of the Commission, and Marian Zobler, General Counsel. This meeting is open to the public. Madam Secretary, I believe we have two items for affirmation this morning. Would you please lead the Commission through?

ANNETTE VIETTI-COOK: Yes, the first item is SECY-20-0087, Holtec International (HI-Store Consolidated Interim Storage Facility), Sierra Club Appeal of Licensing Board Panel-20-6. The Commission is being asked to act on a Memorandum and Order addressing Sierra Club's appeal of the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board's decision on remand dismissing its five contentions.

The Commission has voted to approve a Memorandum and Order denying the appeal.

Would you please affirm your votes after I call your name?

CHAIRMAN HANSON: Aye.

COMMISSIONER BARAN: Aye.

COMMISSIONER CAPUTO: Aye.

COMMISSIONER WRIGHT: Aye.

ANNETTE VIETTI-COOK: The second item is SECY-20-0099, DTE Electric Company (Fermi 2), Appeal of Licensing Board Panel-20-7 (Denial of Hearing Request related to Spent Fuel Pool License Amendment). The Commission is being asked to act on a Memorandum and Order responding to Citizens' Resistance at Fermi 2's appeal of the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board's decision denying its petition to intervene and request for hearing in this license amendment proceeding.

The Commission has voted to approve a Memorandum and Order affirming the Board's decision.

Would you please affirm your votes after I call your name?

CHAIRMAN HANSON: Aye.

COMMISSIONER BARAN: Aye.

COMMISSIONER CAPUTO: Aye.

COMMISSIONER WRIGHT: Aye.

ANNETTE VIETTI-COOK: Thank you. That's all I have.

CHAIRMAN HANSON: Thank you Madam Secretary. Would any members of the Commission like to make any comments regarding the decisions just issued? Okay, hearing none thank you for your participation. I will call the affirmation session to a close and we may begin our Briefing on Equal Employment Opportunity, Affirmative Employment, and Small Business.

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