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Room 1130  
1717 H Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C.

Wednesday, 17 May 1978

The Commission met, pursuant to notice, at 3:20 p.m.

BEFORE:

DR. JOSEPH M. HENDRIE, Chairman

PETER A. BRADFORD, Commissioner

VICTOR GILINSKY, Commissioner

ALSO PRESENT

SAMUEL CHILK, Secretary

P R O C E E D I N G S

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2 CHAIRMAN HENDRIE: We still have an affirmation  
3 item?

4 MR. CHILK: One item, yes, sir.

5 CHAIRMAN HENDRIE: And then we have an agenda plan-  
6 ning agenda, if necessary.

7 MR. CHILK: The Commission agenda session, as I  
8 understood it, was postponed until tomorrow. We have our  
9 session with you some time --

10 CHAIRMAN HENDRIE: Yes; that's right. We may not  
11 have one tomorrow.

12 Sam, will you read us the item?

13 MR. CHILK: Yes.

14 This is SECY paper 78-63A. The subject is Federal  
15 Register notice cancelling the dollar for manrem rulemaking.  
16 It announces a decision by the Commission not to conduct a  
17 hearing to refine or reduce health cost figures previously ad-  
18 opted for low level radiation exposure.

19 The reasons for the decision are described in the  
20 attached notice. The primary reasons are:

21 One, the individual dose design objectives, also  
22 specified in Appendix I, have been found to provide adequate  
23 protection for population groups.

24 And secondly, the cost benefit analysis did not  
25 result in any requirements for additional radioactive effluent

1 controls to be installed beyond those required to meet the  
2 individual dose design objectives.

3           Therefore, it does not appear that a cost benefit  
4 analysis making these items more precise, is warranted at this  
5 point.

6           Chairman Hendrie approved. Commissioner's Kennedy  
7 and Bradford with certain changes in the Federal Register notice  
8 which were made, and routed through all of you again for  
9 concurrence. Commissioner Gilinsky noted without objection.

10           I would ask you to affirm your vote.

11           CHAIRMAN HENDRIE: Affirmations?

12           COMMISSIONER GILINSKY: Yes.

13           COMMISSIONER BRADFORD: Yes.

14           CHAIRMAN HENDRIE: So order.

15           (Whereupon, the hearing in the above-entitled  
16 matter was adjourned at 3:25 p.m.)

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