

UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

AFFIRMATION SESSION

PUBLIC MEETING

Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Commission Hearing Room
11555 Rockville Pike
Rockville, Maryland
October 5, 2023

The Commission met in open session, pursuant to notice at 9:45 AM., Christopher T. Hanson, Chair, presiding.

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

CHRISTOPHER T. HANSON, Chair (via teleconference)

DAVID A. WRIGHT, Member of the Commission (via teleconference)

ANNIE CAPUTO, Member of the Commission (via teleconference)

BRADLEY R. CROWELL, Member of the Commission (via teleconference)

ALSO PRESENT:

MARIAN ZOBLER, General Counsel (via teleconference)

BROOKE P. CLARK, Secretary of the Commission (via teleconference)

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[9:45 a.m.]

PROCEEDINGS

CHAIR HANSON: Thank you operator. Good morning, I am Christopher Hanson, Chair of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, and I am presiding over this public affirmation session, which is being conducted by teleconference.

Joining me are the other currently serving members of the Commission. May I have each Commissioner affirm their presence when I call their name:

Commissioner Wright: Here.

Commissioner Caputo: Here.

Commissioner Crowell: Here.

Also participating are:

Brooke P. Clark, Secretary of the Commission: Here.

and

Marian Zabler, General Counsel. Here.

This meeting is open to the public to listen in.

Madam Secretary, I believe we have one item for affirmation this morning. Would you please lead the Commission through?

BROOKE CLARK: Yes. Today's item is SECY-23-0052: Nuclear Fuel Services, Inc. (License Amendment Application), Appeal of LBP-23-2.

The Commission is being asked to act on a Memorandum and Order addressing Erwin Citizens Awareness Network, Inc.'s (ECAN) appeal of the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board's decision in LBP-23-2. In that decision, the Board denied ECAN's hearing request in this proceeding related to the application of Nuclear Fuel Services, Inc. to amend the license for its nuclear fuel fabrication facility in Erwin, Tennessee. The amendment would allow Nuclear Fuel Services to provide uranium purification and conversion services at the facility.

The Commission has voted to approve a Memorandum and Order that affirms the Board's decision in LBP-23-2. Would you please affirm your votes after I call your name?

CHAIR HANSON: Aye.

COMMISSIONER WRIGHT: Aye.

COMMISSIONER CAPUTO: Aye.

COMMISSIONER CROWELL: Aye.

BROOKE P. CLARK: That's all I have. Thank you.

CHAIR HANSON: Thank you Madam Secretary. Would any of the members of the Commission like to make comments regarding the decision just reached?

<PAUSE>

CHAIR HANSON: Thank you all for your participation, I will call the affirmation session to a close.

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