

July 25, 2000

COMMISSION VOTING RECORD

DECISION ITEM: SECY-00-0134  
TITLE: FINAL RULE: 10 CFR PART 72 -- CLARIFICATION AND ADDITION OF FLEXIBILITY

The Commission (with all Commissioners agreeing) approved the subject paper as noted in an Affirmation Session and recorded in the Affirmation Session Staff Requirements Memorandum (SRM) of July 25, 2000.

This Record contains a summary of voting on this matter together with the individual vote sheets, views and comments of the Commission.

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Annette Vietti-Cook  
Secretary of the Commission

Attachments: 1. Voting Summary  
2. Commissioner Vote Sheets

cc: Chairman Meserve  
Commissioner Dicus  
Commissioner Diaz  
Commissioner McGaffigan  
Commissioner Merrifield  
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VOTING SUMMARY - SECY-00-0134

RECORDED VOTES

	APRVD	DISAPRVD	ABSTAIN	NOT PARTICIP	COMMENTS	DATE
CHRM. MESERVE	X				X	7/7/00
COMR. DICUS	X				X	7/10/00
COMR. DIAZ	X					7/12/00
COMR. MCGAFFIGAN	X					7/6/00
COMR. MERRIFIELD	X				X	7/10/00

COMMENT RESOLUTION

In their vote sheets, all Commissioners approved the staff's recommendation and some provided additional comments. Subsequently, the Commission affirmed the final rule in an Affirmation Session as reflected in the Affirmation Session SRM issued on July 25, 2000.

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**Commissioner Comments on SECY-00-0134**

**Commissioner Dicus**

I commend staff on the efforts taken to improve the clarity and flexibility of [10 CFR Part 72](#), so that unnecessary regulatory burden on both the industry and the NRC is reduced, while maintaining adequate protection of the public and the environment. This rulemaking effort clearly demonstrates that modifications can be made to significantly improve our effectiveness and efficiency without compromising protection of the worker, the public, or the environment. I want to specifically mention that I

believe the Table of Applicability will be very useful and beneficial to our existing and future licensees.