

February 17, 1999

MEMORANDUM William D. Travers
TO: Executive Director for Operations
FROM: Annette Vietti-Cook, Secretary /s/
SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS - SECY-99-029 - NRC PARTICIPATION IN THE DEVELOPMENT AND USE OF
CONSENSUS STANDARDS

This is to advise you that the Commission has not objected to formalizing the process for participating in the development and use of consensus standards in a management directive, as outlined in the subject paper. Agency positions for the development and use of standards should consider risk insights to minimize unnecessary burden.

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(SECY Suspense:8/16/99)

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