

June 30, 2005

MEMORANDUM TO: Luis A. Reyes  
Executive Director for Operations

FROM: Annette L. Vietti-Cook, Secretary **/RA/**

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS - SECY-05-0104 - OPTIONS AND  
RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE POTENTIAL ROLE OF THE  
NRC DURING THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE DOE EIS ON  
DISPOSAL OF GREATER-THAN-CLASS-C RADIOACTIVE  
WASTE

The Commission has disapproved the staff's recommendation to become a cooperating agency during the development of the U.S. Department of Energy's (DOE's) Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) to address disposal of Greater-Than-Class-C (GTCC) radioactive waste. Instead, the NRC should be a commenting agency only.

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