

October 31, 2012

MEMORANDUM TO: R. W. Borchardt
Executive Director for Operations

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

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS – SECY-12-0118 – RESOURCE
ESTIMATES AND REQUEST FOR FINAL RULE SCHEDULE
EXTENSION AND DELEGATION OF SIGNATURE AUTHORITY
FOR THE ENHANCED WEAPONS RULEMAKING

The Commission has approved the staff's request to delegate authority to the EDO to issue the supplemental proposed rule; extend the deadline for the draft final Enhanced Weapons rulemaking to November 22, 2013; and not re-issue a revised DG-5020, and instead include the revised guidance language in the supplemental proposed rule *Federal Register* notice.

(EDO) (SECY Suspense: Final Rule: 11/22/13)

If the staff assesses, during development of the supplemental proposed rule, that there would be a need to revise the guidance document, the staff should notify the Commission of the need and the estimated required resources to complete the action.

The staff should allow for ample stakeholder engagement by publishing the proposed rule for a 45-day public comment period.

cc: Chairman Macfarlane
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