

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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AFFIRMATION SESSION

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PUBLIC MEETING

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Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Commission Hearing Room  
11555 Rockville Pike  
Rockville, Maryland

Wednesday, June 27, 2001

The Commission met in open session, pursuant to notice, at 1:55  
p.m.,  
Richard A. Meserve, Chairman, presiding.

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

RICHARD A. MESERVE, Chairman  
GRETA J. DICUS, Member of the Commission  
EDWARD MCGAFFIGAN, JR., Member of the Commission  
JEFFREY S. MERRIFIELD, Member of the Commission

STAFF AND PRESENTERS SEATED AT THE COMMISSION TABLE:

ANNETTE L. VIETTI-COOK, Secretary  
KAREN D. CYR, General Counsel

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[1:55 p.m.]

P R O C E E D I N G S

CHAIRMAN MESERVE: Okay. This is an affirmation session. Madam Secretary, you may proceed.

MS. VIETTI-COOK: In a May 31, 2001 order, the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board referred to the Commission the Board's ruling on where to set the regulatory standard for aircraft crash hazards at applicant Private Fuel Storage proposed independent spent fuel storage installation site. Consistent with the Commission's policy to accept Board certifications and referrals where "early resolution" of issues is desirable, the Commission has voted to approve an order granting review and setting the case for briefing. Would you please affirm your votes?

COMMISSIONER MESERVE: Aye.  
COMMISSIONER DICUS: Aye.  
COMMISSIONER MCGAFFIGAN: Aye.  
COMMISSIONER MERRIFIELD: Aye.  
MS. VIETTI-COOK: Commissioner Diaz had previously approved the

order in writing and had he been present he would have affirmed his prior vote.  
That's all I have.  
CHAIRMAN MESERVE: Very good. Thank you very much. We're  
adjourned.

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