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SUBJECT: MOD 1 TO REIMBURSABLE AGREEMENT WITH DOE RELATED TO THE
PEBBLE BED MODULAR REACTOR

Attached for your comments is Modification 1 to the reimbursable agreement with DOE related to the PBMR, now titled, "Advanced Reactor Technology, Regulation and Fuel Evaluation." In accordance with NRC Management Directive 4.2, Rick Rough has to concur before NRC signs this agreement. In order to concur, we need to be comfortable with the following issues:

1. Did the Commission approve proceeding with the work described in the SECY paper?
2. Is the Statement of Work consistent with the SECY paper?
3. Is the Statement of Work within the scope of what NRC can do under the Economy Act?

In addition, I have already requested that, consistent with other NRC/DOE reimbursable agreements, the following language be added:

Costs will be billed in accordance with NRC policy for charging full costs for reimbursable work. NRC policy requires charging for direct staff time based upon the hourly rate as established in 10 CFR Part 170, in addition to any contractor or foreign travel costs incurred in order to perform services specified in the Statement of Work.

Please provide me with any comments by Thursday, April 12, if possible.

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