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14 The committee met, pursuant to notice at 4:15
15 p.m., the HONORABLE SHIRLEY A. JACKSON, Chairman of the
16 Committee, presiding.

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18 COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

19 SHIRLEY A. JACKSON, Chairman
20 EDWARD McGAFFIGAN, JR., Commissioner
21 NILS J. DIAZ, Commissioner

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1 STAFF AND PRESENTERS SEATED AT THE COMMISSION TABLE:

2 JOHN C. HOYLE, Secretary

3 LAWRENCE CHANDLER, Deputy General Counsel

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P R O C E E D I N G S

[4:15 p.m.]

CHAIRMAN JACKSON: Well, good afternoon.

This is an affirmation session. We have two items to come before us this afternoon.

Before I ask the secretary to lead us through the items for affirmation, do either of my colleagues have any opening comments?

If not, Mr. Secretary, please proceed.

MR. HOYLE: The first item is SECY 98-210. The Commission is being asked in this paper to act on an order in the Hydro Resources proceeding in which the Commission takes suasante review of LBP 98-9 in order to provide immediate Commission guidance in an area of concern found admissible by the presiding officer.

Each of you has voted to approve a memorandum and order which reverses the presiding officer's decision to admit as an area of concern failure to obtain proper permits from the Navaho nation.

I ask you to affirm your votes.

COMMISSIONER DIAZ: Aye.

COMMISSIONER McGAFFIGAN: Aye.

CHAIRMAN JACKSON: Aye.

MR. HOYLE: Thank you.

The second is SECY 98-212. The Commission is

1 being asked in this paper to act on our order responding to
2 a petition from three individuals who are members of the
3 Chattooga River Watershed Coalition to intervene in the
4 Oconee license renewal proceeding.

5 The order refers the petition to the Atomic Safety
6 and Licensing Board for appropriate action and provides
7 guidance for the conduct of the proceeding if a hearing is
8 granted.

9 Each of you has provided your vote on this order.
10 I ask you to affirm your votes.

11 COMMISSIONER DIAZ: Aye.

12 COMMISSIONER McGAFFIGAN: Aye.

13 CHAIRMAN JACKSON: Aye.

14 MR. HOYLE: Thank you.

15 CHAIRMAN JACKSON: Is there anything else to come
16 before us this afternoon? If not, we're adjourned.

17 Thank you.

18 [Whereupon, at 4:17 p.m., the affirmation session
19 was concluded.]

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