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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
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SECRETARY

MEMORANDUM TO: Victor M. McCree  
Executive Director for Operations

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

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS – SECY-16-0021 –  
DISCONTINUATION OF RULEMAKING ACTIVITIES

The Commission has approved the staff's recommendation to discontinue the rulemaking activities identified as items I-IV, VI, VIII, and IX in the SECY paper:

- I. Controlling the Disposition of Solid Materials
- II. Entombment Options for Power Reactors
- III. Transfers of Certain Source Materials by Specific Licensees
- IV. Approach to Risk-Informed, Performance-Based Requirements for Nuclear Power Reactors
- VI. Expansion of the National Source Tracking System
- VIII. Sabotage of Nuclear Facilities, Fuel, or Designated Material
- IX. Security-Force Fatigue at Nuclear Facilities

The staff should defer rulemaking activities on items V (Geologic Repository Operations Area Security and Material Control and Accounting Requirements) and VII (GROA Fitness-for-Duty Requirements) until such time as funding for geologic disposal activities is restored.

The Commission has approved for publication the related *Federal Register* notice, subject to the edits provided in the enclosure.

Enclosure: Changes to the *Federal Register* notice in SECY-16-0021

cc: Chairman Burns  
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