

NOTATION VOTE

RESPONSE SHEET

TO: John C. Hoyle, Secretary

FROM: COMMISSIONER MCGAFFIGAN

SUBJECT: SECY-96-248 - PROPOSED RULE ON CHANGES TO
NUCLEAR POWER PLANT SECURITY REQUIREMENTS,
10 CFR PART 73

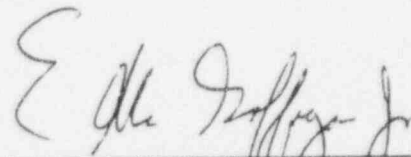
Approved + in part Disapproved + in part Abstain _____

Not Participating _____ Request Discussion _____

COMMENTS:

I approve the staff request to publish the proposed rule, including the modifications suggested in the attachment to Commissioner Dicus' vote.

I agree with Commissioner Dicus that the proposed rule change to reapprove the access list from at least once every 31 days to at least annually seems too long. I believe the staff should consider modifying the proposed rule to require a quarterly reapproval of the access list for vital areas.



SIGNATURE

Release Vote /X/

11/8/97

DATE

Withhold Vote / /

Entered on "AS" Yes X No _____



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January 29, 1997

MEMORANDUM TO: Hugh L. Thompson, Jr.
Acting Executive Director for Operations

FROM: *John C. Hoyle*
John C. Hoyle, Secretary

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS - SECY-96-248 - PROPOSED
RULE ON CHANGES TO NUCLEAR POWER PLANT
SECURITY REQUIREMENTS, 10 CFR PART 73

The Commission has approved publication of the proposed rulemaking with the changes noted below.

1. The proposed rule should be changed to permit vital area access list reapproval at least quarterly instead of annually. The staff should also include a question in the proposed rule for comment regarding the benefits of separating the update and re-approval requirements.
2. The following sentence should be added to paragraph (A), on page 18 of the Federal Register notice: The licensee shall include on the access list only individuals whose specific duties require access to vital areas during nonemergency conditions.

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(SECY Suspense: 2/28/97)

cc: Chairman Jackson
Commissioner Rogers
Commissioner Dicus
Commissioner Diaz
Commissioner McGaffigan
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