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MEMORANDUM TO: Chairman Jackson
Commissioner Rogers
Commissioner Diaz
Commissioner McGaffigan

FROM: Greta Joy Dicus *gjd*

SUBJECT: COMSECY-96-068, Power Reactor Decommissioning
(DSI-24)

I have reviewed the information provided. Based on public comments, I have concluded that the Commission should now support aggressive pursuit of the current direction and approaches (Option 2) for power reactor decommissioning.

Additionally, I believe that the support should be given to placing a resident inspector onsite during certain decommissioning phases such as active dismantlement, the staff performing an evaluation of how to achieve more performance oriented approaches in decommissioning, and centralizing the decommissioning programs (reactor and non-reactor) in headquarters.

Transfer of a nuclear power facility to a State should only be considered if a State requested such transfer.

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