UNITED STATES OF AMERICA NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

AFFIRMATION SESSION

PUBLIC MEETING

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Nuclear Regulatory Commission Commission Hearing Room 11555 Rockville Pike Rockville, Maryland January 29, 2007

The Commission met in open session, pursuant to notice, at 10:50a.m.,

Dale E. Klein, presiding.

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

DALE E. KLEIN, Chairman of the Commission

EDWARD MCGAFFIGAN, JR., Member of the Commission

JEFFREY S. MERRIFIELD, Member of the Commission

GREGORY B. JACZKO, Member of the Commission

PETER B. LYONS, Member of the Commission

STAFF AND PRESENTERS SEATED AT THE COMMISSION TABLE:

KAREN CYR, General Counsel

ANNETTE VIETTI-COOK, Secretary of the Commission

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[10:50a.m.]

PROCEEDINGS

CHAIRMAN KLEIN: Any comments before we start. Madam Secretary, would you like to begin.

ANNETTE VIETTI-COOK: The Commission is being asked to act on a final rule amending 10 CFR 73.1 to make generically applicable security requirements similar to those previously imposed by the Commission's April 29, 2003 Design Basis Threat Orders, modified and enhanced based upon experience and insights gained by the Commission during implementation of the orders and extensive consideration of the 12 factors specified in the Energy Policy Act of 2005. The Commission has voted to approve the publication and implementation of this final rule subject to the changes and comments noted in the attachment. Commissioner Jaczko voted to approve in part and disapprove in part.

Would you please affirm your votes?

CHAIRMAN KLEIN: Aye.

COMMISSIONER MCGAFFIGAN: Aye

COMMISSIONER MERRIFIELD: Aye.

COMMISSIONER JACZKO: Aye.

COMMISSIONER LYONS: Aye.

ANNETTE VIETTI-COOK: That's all I have.

CHAIRMAN KLEIN: Thank you. Any comments? The meeting is adjourned. Thank you.

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