NOTATION VOTE

RESPONSE SHEET

- TO: Annette Vietti-Cook Secretary of the Commission
- FROM: COMMISSIONER DICUS

SUBJECT: SECY-99-256, "RULEMAKING PLAN FOR RISK-INFORMING SPECIAL TREATMENT REQUIREMENTS"

Approved XX with comments Disapproved _____Abstain ____

Not Participating _____ Request Discussion _____

COMMENTS:

See attached.

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Entered on "AS" Yes X No

Commissioner Dicus' comments on SECY-99-256

I congratulate the staff, OGC, and the ACRS on the thorough planning and review evident in SECY-99-0256 on the issues surrounding our experiment in risk-informing our regulations. While there are obviously many potential issues that we could debate extensively, I believe that the issues are resolvable in a timely manner if we keep our mission and objectives clearly in mind. I encourage all of those concerned to be receptive to comments and creative in your solutions as we progress in the rulemaking. Our stakeholders in the U.S. and around the world await the results of our efforts.

I approve issuance of the ANPR and the staff's rulemaking plan.