

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

AFFIRMATION SESSION

PUBLIC MEETING

Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Commission Hearing Room
11555 Rockville Pike
Rockville, Maryland
October 5, 2016

The Commission met in open session, pursuant to notice, at 8:55 AM.,
Stephen G. Burns, Chairman, presiding.

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

STEPHEN G. BURNS, Chairman of the Commission

KRISTINE L. SVINICKI, Member of the Commission

JEFF BARAN, Member of the Commission

STAFF AND PRESENTERS SEATED AT THE COMMISSION TABLE:

MARGARET DOANE, General Counsel

ANNETTE VIETTI-COOK, Secretary of the Commission

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[8:55 AM]

P R O C E E D I N G S

CHAIRMAN BURNS: Before we proceed to this morning's hearing we have an affirmation item to come before us. I'm going to ask the Secretary to lead us through that.

ANNETTE VIETTI-COOK: This matter involves the application of the U.S. Department of Energy, National Nuclear Security Administration (NNSA) to export up to 130 kilograms of highly enriched uranium to France's CERCA facility and the Institut Laue-Langevin. The Commission is being asked to act on a Memorandum and Order that would respond to a request for hearing and petition to intervene filed by Dr. Alan J. Kuperman on this export license application.

The Commission has voted to approve a Memorandum and Order that denies Dr. Kuperman's hearing request and directs the Office of International Programs to issue the export license.

Would you please affirm your votes?

CHAIRMAN BURNS: Aye

COMMISSIONER SVINICKI: Aye

COMMISSIONER BARAN: Aye

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

CHAIRMAN BURNS: I close the Affirmation Session and we will proceed to today's hearing.

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