MEMORANDUM TO: L. Joseph Callan

Executive Director for Operations

FROM: John C. Hoyle, Secretary /s/

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS - SECY-98-117 - SHELWELL SERVICES, INC., RISK ASSESSMENT

The Commission has approved the staff's proposed use of a probabilistic approach in determining whether the Shelwell site may be released for unrestricted use. The Commission has disapproved the pursuit of Option 2 and directs the following course of action.

- 1. The staff should continue to review Shelwell's license termination request, using the probabilistic approach, and provide the State an opportunity to provide input during the process (consistent with Option 1). Consideration should be given to the progress towards Agreement State status by Ohio and the potential impact that might have on this licensee.
- 2. The staff should simultaneously inform EPA of the NRC's approach to license termination for Shelwell Services, Inc.
- 3. If Ohio does not support the action to terminate the license, the staff should seek Commission approval of action to terminate the license as discussed in SECY-98-117.

(EDO) (SECY Suspense: 10/9/98)

cc: Chairman Jackson

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