

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

AFFIRMATION SESSION

PUBLIC MEETING

Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Commission Hearing Room
11555 Rockville Pike
Rockville, Maryland
March 8, 2012

The Commission met in open session, pursuant to notice, at 10:00 a.m.,
Gregory B. Jaczko, Chairman, presiding.

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

GREGORY B. JACZKO, Chairman of the Commission

KRISTINE L. SVINICKI, Member of the Commission

GEORGE APOSTOLAKIS, Member of the Commission

WILLIAM D. MAGWOOD, IV, Member of the Commission

WILLIAM C. OSTENDORFF, Member of the Commission

STAFF AND PRESENTERS SEATED AT THE COMMISSION TABLE:

STEPHEN G. BURNS, General Counsel

ANNETTE L. VIETTI-COOK, Secretary of the Commission

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[10:00 a.m.]

P R O C E E D I N G S

CHAIRMAN JACZKO: We have two items for affirmation. Annette, do you want to proceed?

MS. VIETTI-COOK: The first item is on SECY-11-0085, NextEra Seabrook, Seabrook Station Unit 1. The Commission is being asked to act on a Memorandum and Order responding to NextEra's appeals of LBP-11-2, in which the Board granted two petitions to intervene. The Commission (with Commissioners Svinicki and Apostolakis dissenting in part) has voted to approve a Memorandum and Order which affirms LBP-11-2 in part, and reverses it in part. Would you please affirm your votes?

CHAIRMAN JACZKO: Aye.

COMMISSIONER SVINICKI: Aye.

COMMISSIONER APOSTOLAKIS: Aye.

COMMISSIONER MAGWOOD: Aye.

COMMISSIONER OSTENDORFF: Aye.

MS. VIETTI-COOK: The second item is on SECY-12-0006, Entergy Nuclear Generation Company and Entergy Nuclear Operations, Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station. The Commission is being asked to act on a Memorandum and Order responding to Massachusetts' and Pilgrim Watch's petitions for review of LBP-11-35, and Massachusetts' motion to suspend the Pilgrim license renewal proceeding, pending the resolution of its June 2011 rulemaking petition. The Commission (with Chairman Jaczko dissenting in part and concurring in part) has voted to approve a Memorandum and Order which denies the petitions for review and denies Massachusetts' request to suspend the adjudicatory proceeding pending disposition of its rulemaking petition. Commissioner Apostolakis did not participate in this matter. Would

Chairman Jaczko, Commissioner Svinicki, Commissioner Magwood, and Commissioner Ostendorff please affirm your votes?

CHAIRMAN JACZKO: Aye.

COMMISSIONER SVINICKI: Aye.

COMMISSIONER MAGWOOD: Aye.

COMMISSIONER OSTENDORFF: Aye.

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

CHAIRMAN JACZKO: Ok. We are done.

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