

## **Department of Energy**

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MEMORANDUM FOR ALEXANDER C. MORRIS, FOIA OFFICER OFFICE OF INFORMATION RESOURCES, MA-90/FORS

FROM:

LARRY C. KEL MANAGER

SUBJECT: DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO WITHHOLD INFORMATION UNDER FOIA

I am the Denying Official for records requested pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) that are under the jurisdiction of the Oak Ridge Office (ORO) of the U.S. Department of Energy.

As the ORO Denying Official, I delegate to the ORO FOIA/Privacy Act Officer, Amy L. Rothrock, my authority pertaining to agency determinations (1) that ORO has no records responsive to a FOIA request, and (2) to withhold information under Exemptions 6 and 7C (personal privacy) of the FOIA. This delegation shall not be re-delegated.

This delegation supersedes Gerald Boyd's memorandum dated January 26, 2006, that designated ORO FOIA/Privacy Act Officers as Authorizing Officials for certain FOIA matters.

cc: Don Thress, CC-10/ORO Rob James, CC-10/ORO Amy Rothrock, CC-10/ORO