

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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AFFIRMATION SESSION

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PUBLIC MEETING

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Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Commission Hearing Room  
11555 Rockville Pike  
Rockville, Maryland 20852  
July 24, 2018

The Commission met in open session, pursuant to notice at 1:30 PM,  
Kristine L. Svinicki, Chairman, presiding.

COMMISSINERS PRESENT:

KRISTINE L. SVINICKI, Chairman of the Commission

JEFF BARAN, Member of the Commission

STEPHEN G. BURNS, Member of the Commission

ANNIE CAPUTO, Member of the Commission

DAVID A. WRIGHT, Member of the Commission

STAFF AND PRESENTERS SEATED AT THE COMMISSION TABLE:

Marian Zobler, Acting General Counsel

ANNETTE VIETTI-COOK, Secretary of the Commission

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[1:30 PM]

## P R O C E E D I N G S

CHAIRMAN SVINICKI: Good Afternoon, I call the affirmation session to order. Madam Secretary, I believe that we have one item for affirmation. Would you please lead us through.

ANNETTE VIETTI-COOK: This is on SECY-18-0021: Powertech (USA) Inc., (Dewey Burdock *In Situ* Uranium Recovery Facility). The Commission is being asked to act on a Memorandum and Order responding to Powertech (USA) Inc.'s petition for review of the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board's decision in LBP-17-9, which denied in part and granted in part the Staff's motion for summary disposition of Contentions 1A and 1B. The Commission has voted to approve a Memorandum and Order that denies review of the Board's decision.

ANNETTE VIETTI-COOK: Would you please affirm your votes?

CHAIRMAN SVINICKI: Aye.

COMMISSIONER BARAN: Aye.

COMMISSIONER BURNS: Aye.

COMMISSIONER CAPUTO: Aye.

COMMISSIONER WRIGHT: Aye.

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

CHAIRMAN SVINICKI: Does any member of the Commission wish to make any comments? Ok, hearing none, we are adjourned.

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