

October 17, 2008

MEMORANDUM FOR: Brooke Poole, Director
Office of Commission Appellate Adjudication

FROM: Annette L. Vietti-Cook, Secretary **/RA/**

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS – AFFIRMATION SESSION, 5:00 P.M., FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2008,
COMMISSIONERS' CONFERENCE ROOM, ONE WHITE FLINT NORTH, ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND (OPEN TO
PUBLIC ATTENDANCE)

I. SECY-08-0138 – U.S. Department of Energy Notice of Hearing on Construction Authorization Application

The Commission¹ approved a Notice of Hearing for the adjudicatory proceeding to be held in connection with the Department of Energy's application seeking authorization to construct a geologic repository at Yucca Mountain, Nevada.

(Subsequently, on October 17, 2008, the Secretary signed the Notice.)

cc: Chairman Klein
Commissioner Jaczko
Commissioner Lyons
Commissioner Svinicki
EDO
OGC
CFO
OCAA
OCA
OIG
OPA
Office Directors, Regions, ACRS, ASLBP (via E-Mail)
PDR

¹ Section 201 of the Energy Reorganization Act, 42 U.S.C. Section 5841, provides that action of the Commission shall be determined by a "majority vote of the members present." Commissioners Lyons and Svinicki were present in the Conference Room. Chairman Klein and Commissioner Jaczko participated in the meeting via speakerphone.