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TO : K. E. Fields, General Manager

DATE: February 16, 1956 RFROM : W. B. McCool, Secretary *WBM*

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SUBJECT: RECAP OF MEETING NO. 1176, 2:15 P.M., THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1956 *WBM*

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| DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY DECLASSIFICATION REVIEW  |   |
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| 1ST REVIEWER-DATE: 6/13/94  | DETERMINATION (CIRCLE NUMBER(S))                                |
| AUTHORITY: <input type="checkbox"/> AOC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DC <input type="checkbox"/> ADD | 1. CLASSIFICATION RETAINED                                      |
| NAME: D. L. Keenan  | 2. CLASSIFICATION CHANGED TO: _____                             |
| 2ND REVIEWER-DATE: 6/16/94  | 3. CONTAINS NO DOE CLASSIFIED INFO                              |
| AUTHORITY: ADD  | 4. COORDINATE WITH: _____                                       |
| NAME: <i>W. B. McCool</i>   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 5. CLASSIFICATION CANCELLED |
|   | 6. CLASSIFIED INFO BRACKETED                                    |

Commission Actions

1. AEC 817/13 - Proposed Revisions to the Budget Estimate and Authorization Bill for FY 1957 - Deferred until next Tuesday.

a. Funding for Zirconium Procurement - A study is to be made including the possibility of ODM procurement. (Davis)

b. FY 1956 Funds for Naval Projects - A report on the background of this matter is to be submitted along with a statement whether denial of these funds will delay these projects. (Davis) The letter to the JCAE letter need not be sent until this report is submitted.

2. Additional Agreement with OVEC - Approved. (Bloch) Mr. Cook is to inquire whether OVEC would agree to a five year term and is to report the answer at the next meeting.

Other Business

1. Meeting with Mr. Wilson and Admiral Radford - Mr. Strauss reported that: (a) A paper would be prepared on the attendance of foreign military observers at Operation REDWING, (b) Mr. Wilson and Admiral Radford concurred in the allocation of material for foreign power reactors, (c) Admiral Radford did not believe a meeting between the Commission and the JCS would be desirable.

2. State Department Proposals on IAEA - A study is to be made of the proposals regarding use of Pu produced in power reactors. (Hall)

3. Authorization Legislation Hearings - Mr. Cook said arrangements would be made to discuss the accelerator last so that Dr. Libby can be present.

You said that authorization would be requested for an accelerator at ANL.

4. Use of Scioto - The Commissioners had no objection to your proposal. (Starbird) ~~We suggest that the JCAE be informed.~~

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Items of Information

- of the Executive Order*
1. Discussion ~~of the Executive Order~~ on Community Disposal Executive Order
  2. Press Release on Midwest Accelerators

No letters to the JCAE are necessary.

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Bill Oakley, Secretary,  
has seen P. 17

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