memorandum

DATE:

May 28, 1993

REPLY TO

ATTN OF: DR-1

SUBJECT:

Federal Register Announcement for Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board (DNFSB)

Recommendation 93-2, The Need for Critical Experiment Capability.

TO:

T. Todd, GC-12

Please review the attached <u>Federal Register</u> announcement for concurrence and return it to me by May 28, 1993.

Questions concerning this subject may be addressed to Jim Ahlgrimm of my staff at 6-3887.

Mark Whitaker

Acting Departmental Representative

to the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board

Attachments

6450-01 DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

DOE Response to Recommendation 93-2 of the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board

concerning the need for critical experiment capability.

AGENCY: Department of Energy

ACTION: Notice and Request for Public Comment

SUMMARY: Pursuant to section 315 (b) of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, 42

U.S.C. 2286d(b), the Department of Energy (DOE) hereby publishes notice of a response of

the Secretary of Energy (Secretary) to Recommendation 93-2 of the Defense Nuclear

Facilities Safety Board, published in the Federal Register on March 30, 1993, (58 FR 16654)

concerning the need for critical experiment capability.

DATES: Comments, data, views, or arguments concerning the Secretary's response are due

on or before [insert date 30 days from date of publication].

ADDRESSES: Send comments, data, views, or arguments concerning the Secretary's

response to: Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board, 625 Indiana Avenue, NW, Suite 700,

Washington, D.C. 20004.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Donald F. Knuth, Deputy Assistant

Secretary for Operations, Defense Programs, Department of Energy, 1000 Independence

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Whitaker, Acting

Departmental Representative

to the Defense Nuclear

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