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DNFSB Statement on President Biden’s intent to nominate Mr. William (Ike) White as a member of the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board

WASHINGTON, D.C. – The Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board issued the following statement regarding President Joseph Biden’s intent to nominate Mr. William White as a member of the Board:

“The Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board welcomes President Biden’s intent to nominate Mr. White to serve on the Board. His experience both at the Board and the Department of Energy will be a welcome addition to the Board.”

Mr. White most recently served as the head of the Department of Energy’s Office of Environmental Management since June 2019, providing leadership for the safe cleanup of the environmental legacy brought about from five decades of nuclear weapons development and government-sponsored nuclear energy research. He served in a variety of leadership and technical positions at the Department to include Chief of Staff and Associate Principal Deputy Administrator for the National Nuclear Security Administration.

Mr. White served at the Board as a member of the technical staff from 1992 to 2005, where he served in positions both at the Board’s headquarters in Washington D.C. and as a Resident Inspector at the Pantex Plant.

The Board looks forward to the restoration of quorum in the near future.

[President Biden Announces Nominees](https://www.whitehouse.gov/briefing-room/statements-releases/2024/05/23/president-biden-announces-nominees/) [https://www.whitehouse.gov/briefing-room/statements-releases/2024/05/23/president-biden-announces-nominees/]