



## DEFENSE NUCLEAR FACILITIES SAFETY BOARD

Washington, DC 20004-2901

November 27, 2024

Re: Nonpublic Collaborative Discussion held pursuant to Section 313 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended

Present: Joyce Connery, Chair  
Thomas Summers, Vice Chair  
Dr. Patricia Lee, Board Member  
Mary Buhler, Executive Director of Operations  
Joseph Gilman, Acting General Counsel

Topic: Board deliberations regarding various matters pending Board consideration

Summary of matters and key issues discussed, prepared by Acting General Counsel Joseph Gilman:

On November 27, 2024, the Board held a nonpublic collaborative discussion concerning various matters pending Board consideration. Key issues discussed by the Board included (1) the status of various personnel actions, (2) potential actions necessary in advance of a potential loss of quorum, and (3) planned management development activities.

The content of the discussion also involved subject matter covered by Exemptions 6, 7, and 9(b) to the Sunshine Act (5 U.S.C. § 552b(c)(6),(7), and (9), 10 C.F.R. § 1704.4(f),(g), and (h)). Thus, this notice will not provide any additional information on those topics, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 2286b(k)(2)(A).