

Alternative Use of Resources

This action does not involve the use of any resources not previously considered in the Final Environmental Statement for the Palisades Plant.

Agencies and Persons Consulted

In accordance with its stated policy, on January 31, 1996, the staff consulted with the Michigan State official, Dennis Hahn of the Michigan Department of Public Health, Nuclear Facilities and Environmental Monitoring, regarding the environmental impact of the proposed action. The State official had no comments.

Finding of No Significant Impact

Based upon the environmental assessment, the Commission concludes that the proposed action will not have a significant effect on the quality of the human environment. Accordingly, the Commission has determined not to prepare an environmental impact statement for the proposed action.

For further details with respect to the proposed action, see the licensee's letter dated October 17, 1995, which is available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, The Gelman Building, 2120 L Street, NW., Washington, DC, and at the local public document room located at the Van Wylen Library, Hope College, Holland, Michigan, 49201.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 11th day of March 1996.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.
Timothy G. Colburn,

*Acting Director Project Directorate III-1,
Division of Reactor Projects—III/IV, Office of
Nuclear Reactor Regulation*

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Availability of Draft License Renewal Demonstration Program Site Visit Plan

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has developed a site visit plan for the License Renewal Demonstration Program (LRDP). A copy of the site visit plan has been placed in

the NRC Public Document Room, the Gelman Building, 2120 L Street, NW, Washington, DC 20555.

For further information regarding the LRDP, contact Robert J. Prato, Office for Nuclear Reactor Regulation, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555, telephone: (301) 415-1147.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 11th day of March 1996.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.
Scott F. Newberry,
*Director, License Renewal and Environmental
Review Project Directorate, Division of
Reactor Program Management, Office of
Nuclear Reactor Regulation.*

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Regulatory Guide; Issuance, Availability

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission has issued a revision to a guide in its Regulatory Guide Series. This series has been developed to describe and make available to the public such information as methods acceptable to the NRC staff for implementing specific parts of the Commission's regulations, techniques used by the staff in evaluating specific problems or postulated accidents, and data needed by the staff in its review of applications for permits and licenses.

Revision 1 of Regulatory Guide 8.29, "Instruction Concerning Risks from Occupational Radiation Exposure," describes the information that should be provided to workers by licensees about health risks from occupational exposure.

Comments and suggestions in connection with items for inclusion in guides currently being developed or improvements in all published guides are encouraged at any time. Written comments may be submitted to the Rules Review and Directives Branch, Division of Freedom of Information and Publications Services, Office of Administration, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001.

Regulatory guides are available for inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, 2120 L Street NW., Washington, DC. Single copies of regulatory guides may be obtained free of charge by writing the Office of Administration, Attention: Distribution and Services Section, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, or by fax at (301)415-2260. Issued guides may also be purchased from the National Technical Information Service on a standing order basis. Details on this service may be obtained by writing NTIS, 5285 Port Royal Road, Springfield, VA 22161. Regulatory guides are not copyrighted, and Commission approval is not required to reproduce them.

(5 U.S.C. 552(a))

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 27th day of February 1996.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Joseph A. Murphy,

*Executive Assistant to the Director, Office
of Nuclear Regulatory Research.*

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OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET

Budget Rescissions and Deferrals

To the Congress of the United States

In accordance with the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act of 1974, I herewith report three new deferrals and one revised deferral, totaling \$3.6 billion, and four rescission proposals of budgetary resources, totaling \$140 million.

These deferrals affect the International Security Assistance programs as well as programs of the Agency for International Development. The rescission proposals affect the Department of Defense.

William J. Clinton

The White House

February 23, 1996.

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CONTENTS OF SPECIAL MESSAGE
(in thousands of dollars)

Deferral No	ITEM	Budgetary Resources
Funds Appropriated to the President:		
International Security Assistance:		
D96-1A	Economic support fund and International fund for Ireland	2,017,076
D96-4	Foreign military financing program.....	1,385,140
D96-5	Foreign military financing loan program.....	64,400
Agency for International Development:		
D96-6	International disaster assistance, Executive.....	124,625
Total, deferrals.....		3,591,241

Rescission No	ITEM	Budgetary Resources
Department of Defense:		
Research, Development, Test, and Evaluation:		
R96-4	Research, development, test, and evaluation, Army.....	19,500
R96-5	Research, development, test, and evaluation, Navy.....	35,000
R96-6	Research, development, test, and evaluation, Air Force.....	44,900
R96-7	Research, development, test, and evaluation, Defense-wide.....	40,600
Total, rescissions.....		140,000

D96-1A

Supplemental Report

Report Pursuant to Section 1014(c) of Public Law 93-344

This report updates Deferral No. D96-1, which was transmitted to Congress on October 19, 1995.

This revision increases by \$1,942,076,000 the previous deferral of \$75,000,000 in the Economic support fund and International fund for Ireland, resulting in a total deferral of \$2,017,076,000. This increase results from the deferral of funds made available by Public Law 104-107, the Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 1996.

Deferral No. 96-1A

DEFERRAL OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1013 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Funds Appropriated to the President	New budget authority..... * \$ 2,359,600,000 (P.L. 104-107)
BUREAU: International Security Assistance	Other budgetary resources..... * \$ 207,792,051
Appropriations title and symbol: Economic support fund and International fund for Ireland 1/ 725/61037 726/71037* 72X1037	Total budgetary resources..... * \$ 2,567,392,051
OMB identification code: 72-1037-0-1-152	Amount to be deferred:
Grant program: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Part of year..... * \$ 2,017,076,000 2/ Entire year..... \$ _____
Type of account or fund: <input type="checkbox"/> Annual <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Multi-year: * September 30, 1997 September 30, 1996 (expiration date) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No-Year	Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1013): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Antideficiency Act <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
	Type of budget authority: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appropriation <input type="checkbox"/> Contract authority <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____

Coverage:

Appropriation	Account Symbol	OMB Identification Code	Deferred Amount Reported
Economic Support Fund and International Fund for Ireland.....	725/61037	72-1037-0-1-152	\$ 50,000,000
	72X1037	72-1037-0-1-152	\$ 25,000,000
	* 726/71037	72-1037-0-1-152	* \$ 1,942,076,000
			* \$ 2,017,076,000

*JUSTIFICATION: The President is authorized by the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, to furnish assistance to countries and organizations, on such terms and conditions as he may determine, in order to promote economic or political stability. Section 531(b) of the Act makes the Secretary of State, in cooperation with the Administrator of the Agency for International Development, responsible for policy decisions and justifications for economic support programs, including whether there will be an economic support program for a country and the amount of the program for each country.

Funds are deferred pending the development of country-specific plans that assure that aid is provided in an efficient manner and are reserved for unanticipated program needs. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None

Outlay Effect: None

* Revised from previous report.

1/ This account was the subject of a similar deferral in FY 1995 (D95-1B).

2/ This deferral amount has been reduced to \$1,139,079,859 due to subsequent releases.

Deferral No. 96-5

DEFERRAL OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1013 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Funds Appropriated to the President <hr/> BUREAU: International Security Assistance <hr/> Appropriations title and symbol: Foreign military financing loan program 1/ <p align="center">1161085</p>	New budget authority..... \$ 64,400,000 (P.L. 104-107) Other budgetary resources..... \$ _____ <hr/> Total budgetary resources..... \$ 64,400,000 <hr/> Amount to be deferred: Part of year..... \$ 64,400,000 Entire year..... _____
OMB identification code: 11-1085-0-1-152 <hr/> Grant program: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1013): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Antideficiency Act <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
Type of account or fund: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Annual <input type="checkbox"/> Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) <input type="checkbox"/> No-Year	Type of budget authority: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appropriation <input type="checkbox"/> Contract authority <input type="checkbox"/> Other

JUSTIFICATION: The President is authorized by the Arms Export Control Act to sell or finance by credit, loan guarantees, or grants, articles and defense services to friendly countries to facilitate the common defense. Under Section 2 of the Act, the Secretary of State, under the direction of the President, is responsible for sales made under this Act. Executive Order 11958 further requires the Secretary of State to obtain prior concurrence of the Secretaries of Defense and Treasury, respectively, regarding consistency of transactions with national security and financial policies.

As required by the Federal Credit Reform Act of 1990, this account records the subsidy costs associated with the direct loans obligated and loan guarantees for foreign military financing committed in FY 1992 and beyond. The foreign military financing credit program provides loans that finance sales of defense articles, defense services, and design and construction services to foreign countries and international organizations. The subsidy amounts are estimated on a present value basis.

This action defers funds pending review of specific loans to eligible countries by the Departments of State, Treasury, and Defense. The review process will ensure that in each proposed program the proposed recipients are qualified and that the limits of available funds are not exceeded. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None

Outlay Effect: None

1/ This account was the subject of a similar deferral in FY 1995 (D95-3).

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, TEST, AND EVALUATION

Research, development, test, and evaluation, Army

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 104-61, \$19,500,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R96-4

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Defense	New budget authority..... \$ <u>4,785,622,000</u> (P.L. 104-61)
BUREAU: Research, Development, Test, and Evaluation	Other budgetary resources.. \$ _____
Appropriations title and symbol: Research, development, test, and evaluation, Army 216/72040	Total budgetary resources... \$ <u>4,785,622,000</u>
OMB identification code: 21-2040-0-1-999	Amount proposed for rescission..... \$ <u>19,500,000</u>
Grant program: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012): <input type="checkbox"/> Antideficiency Act <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
Type of account or fund: <input type="checkbox"/> Annual <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Multi-year: <u>September 30, 1997</u> (expiration date) <input type="checkbox"/> No-Year	Type of budget authority: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appropriation <input type="checkbox"/> Contract authority <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____

JUSTIFICATION: This appropriation provides for basic and applied scientific research and development test, and evaluation, including maintenance, rehabilitation, lease and operation of facilities and equipment. The funding proposed for rescission is available due to revised economic assumptions.

ESTIMATED PROGRAM EFFECT: The Department of the Army's ability to successfully accomplish its mission would not be affected by this rescission proposal.

OUTLAY EFFECT: (in thousands of dollars):

1996 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1996	FY 1997	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001
5,082,522	5,071,407	-11,115	-6,630	-1,034	-351	-156	-98

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, TEST, AND EVALUATION

Research, development, test, and evaluation, Navy

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 104-61, \$35,000,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R96-5

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Defense	New budget authority..... \$ <u>8,581,223,000</u> (P.L. 104-61) Other budgetary resources.. \$ _____ Total budgetary resources... \$ <u>8,581,223,000</u>
BUREAU: Research, Development, Test, and Evaluation	
Appropriations title and symbol: Research, development, test, and evaluation, Navy 176/71319	
OMB identification code: 17-1319-0-1-051	Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012): <input type="checkbox"/> Antideficiency Act <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
Grant program: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Type of account or fund: <input type="checkbox"/> Annual <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Multi-year: <u>September 30, 1997</u> (expiration date) <input type="checkbox"/> No-Year	Type of budget authority: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appropriation <input type="checkbox"/> Contract authority <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____

JUSTIFICATION: This appropriation provides for basic and applied scientific research, development, test, and evaluation, including maintenance, rehabilitation, lease and operation of facilities and equipment. The funding proposed for rescission is available due to revised economic assumptions.

ESTIMATED PROGRAM EFFECT: The Department of the Navy's ability to successfully accomplish its mission would not be affected by this rescission proposal.

OUTLAY EFFECT: (in thousands of dollars):

1996 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1996	FY 1997	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001
8,397,081	8,378,181	-18,900	-11,340	-3,150	-700	-385	-140

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, TEST, AND EVALUATION

Research, development, test, and evaluation, Air Force

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 104-61, \$44,900,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R96-6

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Defense	New budget authority..... \$ <u>12,872,181,000</u> (P.L. 104-61) Other budgetary resources.. \$ <u>2,100,000,000</u> Total budgetary resources... \$ <u>14,972,181,000</u>
BUREAU: Research, Development, Test and Evaluation	
Appropriations title and symbol: Research, development, test and evaluation, Air Force <u>576/73600</u>	
OMB identification code: 57-3600-0-1-051	Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012): <input type="checkbox"/> Antideficiency Act <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
Grant program: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Type of account or fund: <input type="checkbox"/> Annual <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Multi-year: <u>September 30, 1997</u> (expiration date) <input type="checkbox"/> No-Year	Type of budget authority: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appropriation <input type="checkbox"/> Contract authority <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____

JUSTIFICATION: This appropriation provides for basic and applied scientific research, development, test, and evaluation, including maintenance, rehabilitation, lease and operation of facilities and equipment. The funding proposed for rescission is available due to revised economic assumptions.

ESTIMATED PROGRAM EFFECT: The Department of the Air Force's ability to successfully accomplish its mission would not be affected by this rescission proposal.

OUTLAY EFFECT: (in thousands of dollars):

1996 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1996	FY 1997	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001
11,953,848	11,932,969	-20,879	-17,421	-3,996	-1,616	-494	-180

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
 RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, TEST, AND EVALUATION
 Research, development, test, and evaluation, Defense-wide

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 104-61, \$40,600,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R96-7

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Defense	New budget authority..... \$ <u>9,269,414,000</u> (P.L. 104-61) Other budgetary resources.. \$ <u>216,265,000</u> Total budgetary resources... \$ <u>9,485,679,000</u>
BUREAU: Research, Development, Test, and Evaluation	
Appropriations title and symbol: Research, development, test, and evaluation Defense-wide 976/70400	Amount proposed for rescission..... \$ <u>40,600,000</u>
OMB identification code: 97-0400-0-1-051	Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012): <input type="checkbox"/> Antideficiency Act <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
Grant program: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Type of account or fund: <input type="checkbox"/> Annual <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Multi-year: <u>September 30, 1997</u> (expiration date) <input type="checkbox"/> No-Year	Type of budget authority: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appropriation <input type="checkbox"/> Contract authority <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____

JUSTIFICATION: This appropriation provides for basic and applied scientific research, development, test, and evaluation, including maintenance, rehabilitation, lease and operation of facilities and equipment. The funding proposed for rescission is available due to revised economic assumptions.

ESTIMATED PROGRAM EFFECT: The DoD's ability to successfully accomplish its mission would not be affected by this rescission proposal.

OUTLAY EFFECT: (in thousands of dollars):

1996 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1996	FY 1997	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001
9,055,535	9,037,874	-17,661	-16,240	-4,872	-609	-609	-162