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1. AEC 767/5 - Enrico Fermi Award

The Commission considered the recommendations submitted by the Chairman, GAC, that Dr. Ernest O. Lawrence be awarded the second annual Enrico Fermi Award. Mr. Strauss suggested and the other Commissioners agreed that December 2 be established as an appropriate date for the annual presentation of the award because it

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that the costs of the final phase of Operation HARD TACK were included in the FY 1959 budget estimates.

#### Construction Obligations

The Commissioners briefly discussed the consequences of foregoing construction of the proposed Component Production Plant at Hanford which would afford partial duality of facilities for plutonium fabrication.

#### Physical Research

#### Operating Expenses

Mr. McDaniel described the additional items requested for the Physical Research Program for which funding had not been provided in the FY 1959 Budget Estimates. Mr. McDaniel said that the deferred items included funds for the MURA Project and for design of accelerators at Cambridge and Princeton. Mr. McDaniel added that recent successes in the CTR program at Oak Ridge and Livermore indicated that FY 1959 funds might be required to provide for an expansion of the program. In response to a question by Mr. Libby, Mr. McDaniel said that concrete suggestions for pursuing CTR research would be developed at a meeting of experts to be held at Princeton in October 1957.

At this point, Mr. Graham briefly left the meeting.