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TO : K. E. Fields, General Manager

DATE: July 31, 1957

FROM : W. B. McCool, Secretary *WBM*

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SUBJECT: RECAP OF MEETING NO. 1298 - 2:45 P. M., WEDNESDAY, JULY 31, 1957

SYMBOL: SECY:RVW

Commission Decisions

1. AEC 944/32 - Additional Special Nuclear Requirements for PLUMBBOB
Approved as revised.

Mr. Strauss requested that he review the revised letter to the President before it is dispatched. (Starbird)

2. AEC 449/63 - Release of Belgian Congo Uranium - Deferred.

A letter is to be sent to the Secretary of State explaining the Commission's deferral of the matter. (J. Johnson)

Other Business

1. Briefing on Educational and Training Program

Mr. Strauss requested that steps be taken to preserve the original Fermi "neutron chopper" at ANL. (Davis)

Mr. Libby suggested that some of the briefing material be available for presentation before the House Appropriations Committee. (Davis)

2. Use of Yags at HARDTACK

Mr. Strauss said he would request from Admiral Mumma a postponement of the mothballing date. (Secretariat)

3. Technical Cooperation with Poland

Mr. Strauss reported that he had informed the State Department of the Commission's position as discussed at Meeting 1295 on July 24, 1957.

4. Authorization Bill

Mr. Strauss requested continued discussion on Thursday morning. (Secretariat)

Items of Information

1. Portsmouth and Sandia Strikes

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