

Chemical Safety and Hazard Investigation Board

Office of General Counsel

Memorandum

To:

Board Members

From:

Christopher Warner

Cc:

Manuel Gomez

Rachael Gunaratnam Christina Morgan

Subject:

Board Action Report - Notation Item 804

Date:

October 22, 2010

On September 23, 2010, the Board approved Notation Item 804, thereby designating Urgent Recommendations 2010-01-I-CT-UR4, 5, 7, and 8, to General Electric (UR4), Siemens (UR5), Mitsubishi Power Systems (UR7), and Pratt & Whitney (UR8) (from the Kleen Energy Investigation), with the status of Open-Acceptable Response.

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Voting Summary – Notation Item 804

Disposition: APPROVED

Disposition date: September 23, 2010

	Approve	Disapprove	Calendar	Not Participating	Date
R. Moure-Eraso	X				9/20/2010
J. Bresland	X				9/30/2010
M. Griffon				x	
W. Wark	X				9/23/2010
W. Wright	X				9/22/2010



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Rafael Moure-Eraso, Ph.D., CIH Chairperson and CEO

John S. Bresland Board Member Mark Griffon Board Member William B. Wark Board Member William E. Wright Board Member

CHEMICAL SAFETY AND HAZARD INVESTIGATION BOARD MEMBER VOTING RECORD

Notation No.:

804

Voting Period:

September 21 – October 5, 2010

Subject:

Status Change – Urgent Recommendations to Multiple Recipients (2010-01-I-CT-

UR4, 5, 7, 8) from the Kleen Energy Investigation (2010-08-I-CT)

Whereas,

- 1. The Board is authorized by 42 U.S.C. § 7412(r)(6)(C)(i) to "investigate . . . and report to the public in writing the facts, conditions, and circumstances and the cause or probable cause of any accidental release resulting in a fatality, serious injury or substantial property damages;"
- 2. The Board is further authorized by 42 U.S.C. § 7412(r)(6)(C)(ii) to "issue periodic reports to the Congress, Federal, State and local agencies, including the Environmental Protection Agency and the Occupational Safety and Health Administration, concerned with the safety of chemical production, processing, handling and storage, and other interested persons recommending measures to reduce the likelihood or the consequences of accidental releases and proposing corrective steps to make chemical production, processing, handling and storage as safe and free from risk of injury as is possible;"
- 3. The Board has issued such recommendations, on an urgent basis, to General Electric (UR4), Siemens (UR5), Mitsubishi Power Systems (UR7), and Pratt & Whitney (UR8), based upon the findings of the Board's Kleen Energy investigation;
- 4. Consistent with Order 022, the Board is to vote on changes to the status of recommendations;
- 5. The staff of the Office of Recommendations proposes that the status of the above-named urgent recommendations should be changed, as described in the attached Recommendation Response Evaluation.

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Subject:

Status Change - Recommendations 2010-01-I-CT-UR4, 5, 7, 8

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Therefore, pursuant to its authority, the Board hereby votes to designate Urgent Recommendations 2010-01-I-CT-UR4, 5, 7, and 8 with the status of Open-Acceptable Response.

-	I APPROVE this notation item AS PRESENTED.
	I CALENDAR this notation item for discussion at a Board meeting. Some of my concerns are discussed below or on the attached memorandum.
	I DISAPPROVE this notation item. A dissent is attached. I will not file a dissent.
	I am NOT PARTICIPATING.
Date:	
Memb	er: