



## Central Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Commission

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# *RESOLUTION*

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### **AUTHORIZATION TO EXPORT LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE FROM THE CENTRAL INTERSTATE LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE COMPACT**

**WHEREAS**, the Central Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Commission ("Commission") was established in 1984 pursuant to the Central Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Compact ("Compact") (Public Law 99-240) and has, as current member states, Arkansas, Kansas, Louisiana, and Oklahoma, and

**WHEREAS**, Article III.g. of the Compact provides that, unless authorized by the Commission, it shall be unlawful after January 1, 1986 for any person to export from the region, low-level radioactive waste ("LLRW") generated within the region, and to transport LLRW from the site at which it is generated except to a regional facility, and

**WHEREAS**, in 2006, the Commission adopted a resolution to not actively pursue siting a regional facility in one of the member states, and

**WHEREAS**, by not having a regional facility in one of the member states, all LLRW generators in the member states have exported their LLRW wastes from the region to a non-Compact disposal facility after having applied to, and obtained authorization from, the Commission, as required by Article III.g., and

**WHEREAS**, the Commission has determined there is no further need to require each LLRW generator to apply to the Commission for export authorization,

#### ***BE IT NOW THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT:***

A. This Resolution shall take effect July 1, 2017 and shall serve as authorization for export required under Article III.g. of the Compact.

B. The Commission authorizes all LLRW generators within the member states to export LLRW generated at their facilities to any duly authorized and permitted disposal facility outside of the Compact, without application to the Commission or payment of any application fee, provided the export is done in compliance with all applicable state and federal laws and regulations and any

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terms or conditions required of both the disposal facility to receive the LLRW and the regional Compact in which the disposal facility is located.

C. Within 30 days of the date this Resolution is adopted, the Administrator shall ensure a copy of this Resolution is posted on the Commission's webpage and is provided to:

1. all LLRW generators who have filed Export Applications with the Commission during Fiscal Years 2015 to the present; and
2. the following LLRW disposal facilities and their associated Compact:
  - a. EnergySolutions in Barnwell, South Carolina (Atlantic Compact);
  - b. EnergySolutions in Clive, Utah (Northwest Compact);
  - c. U. S. Ecology in Richland, Washington (Northwest Compact); and
  - d. Waste Control Specialists in Andrews, Texas (Texas-Vermont Compact).

This resolution shall remain in effect until modified, suspended, or revoked by the Commission.

*Adopted by a 4 to 0 vote of the Central Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Commission on June 20, 2017.*

  
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Jon A. Roberts, Chairperson