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FOR NUCLEAR PROJECTS 1, 4

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Award of nearly \$27.5 million in contracts for Washington Public Power Supply System's Nuclear Projects No. 1 and No. 4 was authorized today by the Supply System's Executive Committee, meeting in Seattle.

One of the contracts is for furnishing and erecting structural steel and various steel components in the General Services and Containment Buildings at each of the two 1250 megawatt duplicate nuclear power plants. Award of the \$19,482,000 contract was authorized to Allied-Capital (A joint venture), Chicago, Illinois.

Another contract is for provision of supports for major equipment at each project. The Executive Committee authorized award of the contract to Boeing Engineering & Construction, Seattle, Washington, for \$7,995,000.

Nuclear Projects No. 1 and No. 4 are duplicate power plants situated on the Energy Research and Development Administration's Hanford Reservation in Eastern Washington. Site preparation and excavation is under way on Project No. 1.

The Executive Committee also authorized award of a \$741,983 contract to Jelco, Inc., Salt Lake City, for instrument racks for the Supply System's Nuclear Project No. 2, now under construction on the Hanford Reservation. In addition, the Committee authorized issuance of \$51,056 in purchase orders for pump parts and radio and communication equipment for the project.

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In other actions, the Executive Committee:

\* Authorized the Supply System to purchase some nine acres plus timber rights from the Weyerhaeuser Company for \$25,522. The property will be used to fulfill terms of an agreement the Supply System has with a property owner at its nuclear power plant site near Satsop, Washington.

\* Authorized the Supply System to solicit bids for security services under a single contractor at its office and warehouse in Richland and at the Nuclear Projects No. 1, No. 2, and No. 4 job sites on the Hanford Reservation. At present several different contractors provide these services.

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