

NATIONAL NUCLEAR SECURITY ADMINISTRATION
DESIGNATION ORDER NO. NA-2022-DES-NA1-NA3-01
TO JAMES J. MCCONNELL

1. DESIGNATION. Pursuant to the authority vested in me under Sections 3212 and 3261 of the *National Nuclear Security Administration (NNSA) Act* (50 U.S.C. 2402, 2461), I designate James J. McConnell, the Associate Principal Deputy Administrator (NA-3), as the NNSA Central Technical Authority (CTA) as that title, its functions, and responsibilities are described in NNSA Supplemental Directive 450.2B, *Functions, Responsibilities, and Authorities (FRA) for Safety Management* (or successor document).
2. RESCISSION. Previous designations of individuals to serve as the NNSA CTA are hereby rescinded. Concurrences for safety matters made by previous NNSA CTAs remain in effect.
3. LIMITATION.
 - 3.1 In exercising the designated authority in this Order, the designee is covered by the rules and regulations of DOE/NNSA, the policies and procedures prescribed by the Secretary of Energy, Deputy Secretary of Energy, and/or the Under Secretary of Nuclear Security, as well as NNSA Supplemental Directive 450.2B.
 - 3.2 Any amendments to this designation shall be in consultation with the NNSA General Counsel.
4. AUTHORITY TO REDESIGNATE. This designation may not be redesignated or delegated.
5. DURATION AND EFFECTIVE DATE.
 - 5.1 All actions pursuant to any authority designated prior to this Order or any authority delegated pursuant to previous designations, taken prior to and in effect on the date of this Order, are ratified and remain in force as if taken under this Order, unless or until rescinded, amended, or superseded.
 - 5.2 A copy of this Order shall be provided to NNSA's Office of Policy and Strategic Planning, NNSA Directives Team.
 - 5.3 This Order is effective January 31, 2022.



Jill Hruby
Under Secretary for Nuclear Security
Administrator, NNSA