



## Department of Energy

Office of Scientific and Technical Information

Post Office Box 62

Oak Ridge, Tennessee 37831

August 10, 2016

Re: OSTI-2016-01064-F

Dear Mr. Ravnitzky:

This is in final response to the request for information you sent to the Department of Energy (DOE), Office of Scientific and Technical Information (OSTI) under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. 552 on June 22, 2016.

You requested a "copy of records, electronic, or otherwise, of each letter TO and FROM universities, companies, and organizations, from the OSTI 'cold fusion' documents collection." On July 11, 2016, you were emailed an interim response letter informing you of the need for OSTI to obtain release authorization from the Department of Energy. OSTI received notification to release the letters to you in their entirety on August 8, 2016. As a result, OSTI is releasing 72 cold fusion letters in this mailing on a CD-ROM because of the volume and file size of the PDFs.

In addition, there are approximately 13 letters that are currently being reviewed by the DOE's General Counsel Office (GC) for release or redaction. Upon receipt of guidance from GC, OSTI will release in whole or in part.

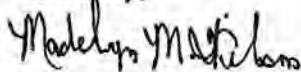
This decision, as well as the adequacy of the search, may be appealed within **90** calendar days from your receipt of this letter pursuant to 10 C.F.R. § 1004.8. Appeals should be addressed to Director, Office of Hearings and Appeals, HG-1, L'Enfant Plaza, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20585-1615. The written appeal, including the envelope, must clearly indicate that a FOIA appeal is being made. You may also submit your appeal to [OHA.filings@hq.doe.gov](mailto:OHA.filings@hq.doe.gov), including the phrase "Freedom of Information Appeal" in the subject line. The appeal must contain all of the elements required by 10 C.F.R. § 1004.8, including a copy of the determination letter. Thereafter, judicial review will be available to you in the Federal District Court either: 1) in the district where you reside; 2) where you have your principal place of business; 3) where DOE's records are situated; or 4) in the District of Columbia.

You may contact OSTI's FOIA Public Liaison, Charlene Luther, Office of Preservation and Technology at 865.576.1138 or by mail at the Department of Energy, Office of Scientific and Technical Information, 1 Science.gov Way, Oak Ridge, TN 37830 for any further assistance and to discuss any aspect of your request. Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer.

The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, e-mail at [ogis@nara.gov](mailto:ogis@nara.gov); telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769.

If you have any questions about the processing of the request or about this letter, please contact Madelyn M. Wilson at

Sincerely,



Madelyn M. Wilson  
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1 Science.gov Way  
Oak Ridge, TN 37830

September 9, 1988

Professor Neil Ashcroft  
LASSP  
Cornell University  
Clark Hall  
Ithaca, NY 14853-2501

Dear Professor Ashcroft:

I am enclosing for your review a copy of the proposal entitled, "The Behavior of Electrochemically Compressed Hydrogen and Deuterium," submitted to the Department of Energy's Division of Advanced Energy Projects by the University of Utah.

DOE regulations require that reviewers agree to: (1) return the proposal to us with the reviewer's comments; (2) use the information contained in the proposal for evaluation purposes only; and (3) treat such information in confidence. We shall assume that your proceeding with the review constitutes your agreement to comply with these requirements.

The programmatic objectives of the Division are briefly summarized in the enclosed sheet. You may find this information helpful in performing your review. Should you have any questions regarding the review, please feel free to call me at 301/353-5995.

Your willingness to help in the evaluation of the proposal is genuinely appreciated.

Sincerely,

Ryszard Gajewski, Director  
Division of Advanced Energy Projects  
Office of Basic Energy Sciences, ER-16

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New Energy Times

September 9, 1988

Dr. Theodore Beck  
Electrochemical Technology Corp.  
1601 Dexter Avenue North  
Seattle, WA 98109

Dear Dr. Beck:

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Professor L. M. Falicov  
Department of Physics  
University of California  
Berkeley, CA 94720

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Professor Steven E. Jones  
Department of Physics &  
Astronomy  
Brigham Young University  
Provo, Utah 84602

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Professor Johann Rafelski  
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