



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.

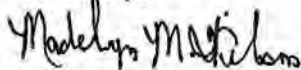
This decision, as well as the adequacy of the search, may be appealed within **90** calendar days from your receipt of this letter pursuant to 10 C.F.R. § 1004.8. Appeals should be addressed to Director, Office of Hearings and Appeals, HG-1, L'Enfant Plaza, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence 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, 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; 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
FOIA Officer
DOE OSTI
1 Science.gov Way
Oak Ridge, TN 37830

ER-16

WMP
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05/09/89

May 9, 1989

ER-16

Cancellation of Grant, DE-FG02-89ER14007, University of Utah,
Professor Stanley Pons, Principal Investigator

ER-16
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5/9/89

Donald K. Stevens, ER-10

Title: "The Behavior of Electrochemically Compressed Hydrogen and Deuterium"

ER-16 *R.G.*

As indicated in the attached letters from the University of Utah officials,
the above-referenced grant application has been withdrawn.

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5/9/89

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

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Attachments

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New Energy Times

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PROCUREMENT REQUEST-AUTHORIZATION

1. To Awarding Office Director, Contracts Division Chicago Operations Office ATTN: PADS	3. PR Number 02-89ER14007.000
	4. Change/Correction to a PR in Process? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	5. If item 4 is Yes, Enter PR Correction Letter <u>A</u>
2. From Initiating Office Associate Director for Basic Energy Sciences, OER	6. <input type="checkbox"/> Acquisition <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assistance
	7. Consistent with Principal Purpose of Program? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

8. Description of Work/Purpose of Assistance (180 characters maximum)
THE BEHAVIOR OF ELECTROCHEMICALLY COMPRESSED HYDROGEN AND DEUTERIUM

Has List of Sources Been Attached? Yes No

9. Name UTAH, UNIVERSITY OF	11. Address SALT LAKE CITY, UT (PONS)
10. Division	
For Acquisition Only: 12. Product or Service Code	

For Assistance Only: 13. CFDA Number _____ Proposed Instrument: 14. Cooperative Agreement 15. Grant

16. OSTI Deliverable For All Actions	17. (Reserved)	18. Master BIN	19. Desired Award Date (mm/dd/yy) / /
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20. Unsolicited Proposal Number	21. Project Number
22. Government Property (F-Furnished, P-Purchased, B-Both, N-Not Involved)	

FINANCIAL DATA

23. Government Share -322,462	24. Awardee Share	25. Total -322,462
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FY FUNDS COMMITTED

26. Approp. Symbol	27. B&R Number	28. Dollar Amt.	29. Allotment	30. Object Class	31. AFP	32. CFA
89X0224.91	KC0501	-322,462				

33. From Continuation Sheet	35. Project Period from 05/01/89 thru 10/31/90
34. Total Funds This PR -322,462	36. Budget Period from 05/01/89 thru 10/31/90

PROJECT MANAGER/INITIATOR

37. Name Ryszard Gajewski	38. Signature <i>Walt M. P...</i>	39. Date 5-9-89	40. Office Code ER-16000
			41. FTS Phone 233-5995

PROGRAM REVIEWING OFFICIAL

42. Name Donald K. Stevens	43. Signature <i>Ryszard Gajewski</i>	44. Date 5/10/89
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PROGRAM OFFICE BUDGET OFFICIAL

45. Name	46. Signature	47. Date
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CERTIFYING OFFICIAL. I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FUNDS CITED IN ITEM 34 ARE AVAILABLE

48. Name	49. Signature	50. Date
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51. Initiating Official/Local Office Use
CANCELLATION

Administrative Contact
Carolyn A. Magers, ER-64

memorandum

DATE: May 9, 1989

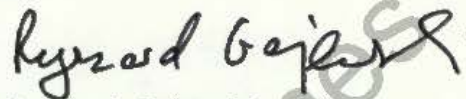
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Attachments

New Energy Times



24 April 1989

ROBERT L KLADIVA, CONTRACT SPECIALIST
CONTRACTS DIVISION
U S DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY
CHICAGO OPERATIONS OFFICE
9800 SOUTH CASS AVENUE
ARGONNE IL 60439

SUBJECT: Withdrawn Proposal
University of Utah PID No. 8808032

Dear Mr. Kladiva:

Enclosed is a copy of the 14 April 1989 letter from Dr. Stanley Pons withdrawing the above referenced proposal. This proposal was for the project entitled "THE BEHAVIOR OF ELECTROCHEMICALLY COMPRESSED HYDROGEN AND DEUTERIUM."

A new proposal will be submitted in the near future.

Sincerely,

Ray M. Nilsson
Grant & Contract Administrator
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Enclosure

cy: Dr. B. Stanley Pons
Dr. Hugo Rossi, Dean

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309 Park Building
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April 14, 1989

Ryszard Gajewski, Director
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APR 18 1989
ACT
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Because of the long delays that have occurred (due to the review process and due to the negotiations of the unusual circumstances that arose in that process), I must tell you that we have accomplished most of the preliminary work proposed to you. I am therefore obligated to instruct the University of Utah to withdraw the proposal.

We intend now to begin a major research effort in new directions which will lead to a more complete understanding of the reactions involved in the process. This new effort is quite broad in scope, and we will be seeking annual funding levels of approximately \$2.5 million. We would of course like to know if we might submit a new proposal to you for consideration.

Sincerely yours,

Stanley Pons
Professor

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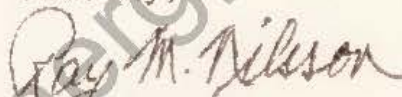
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